Minnesota Newspaper Association Legislative Bill Status Report

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Bill Summary – Title/Description	Senate File Number/Author/ Committee Status	House File Number/Author/ Committee Status
Bar Assn bill; procedural change to publication requirement(monitor)		HF46/Smith/Civil Passed 1/12; to Public Safety
Automatic Contract Renewal Limitation(concerns)	SF73/Clausen/Commerce	HF209/Wills/Commerce
Law Enforcement Data; classifies some data as private(concerns)		HF132/Runbeck/Public Safety
Email Retention; 18 month requirement	SF123/Latz/Local Govt	HF70/Quam/GovOp
Health Plans; makes provider payment and reimbursement rate data public(support)		HF38/Lesch/HHS
Working Parent Act: wage theft protection; paid family leave; earned sick/safe time; fair scheduling		HF239/Thissen/Civil Law
Legislature; requires commission on data practices to study expanding access to legislative records/meetings(support)		HF240/Thissen/Civil Law
Reverse Referendum approval of issuance of debt; contains publication requirement		HF112/Runbeck/GovOp
Election Judge Party Affiliation made public; but lists of potential election judges under current law not public(drafting concerns)		HF63/Quam/Civil Law