

Minnesota Newspaper Association

Legislative Bill Status Report

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Bill Summary – Title/Description	<u>Senate File</u> Number/Author/ Committee Status	<u>House File</u> Number/Author/ Committee Status
MNSURE; Removing some open meeting law exemptions (support)	SF390 /Benson/ Health, Human Services and Housing CHAPTER 71	HF5 / Mack/ Health and Human Services Reform
Campaign finance; electioneering communications regulation	SF154 /Carlson/ Rules and Administration	HF43 /Winkler/ Government Operations and Elections Policy Heard 3/19; defeated
License plate readers data classification/regulation; no data retention; offered as Senate floor amdt to SF 86, not adopted	SF31 /Petersen, B./ Judiciary See SF 86	HF155 /Scott/ Civil Heard 2/26 and 3/10
License plate reader regulation to be retained for 60 days only; amended on Senate floor to include SF 498, body camera legislation—removed in conference cmte	SF86 /Latz/Judiciary CHAPTER 67	HF222 /Cornish/Civil Law
License plate reader regulation		HF154 /Scott/Civil
MNSure; makes governing body a state agency; advisory committees made subject to the OML(MNA amdt); FINAL BILL PROVIDED FOR INTERIM TASK FORCE	SF139 /Lourey/ State/Local DID NOT PASS	HF1496 /Schultz/HHS
Foreclosure by advertisement repealed(oppose)		HF124 /Mullery/Civil Law and Data Practices
Prehospital Care Data/Ambulance Service Providers; classifies medical info not on individuals as nonpublic	SF307 /Dziedzic/HHS Passed HHS, Judiciary, HHS Fin	HF188 /Newberger/HHS Passed 2/4; to Civil law
Campaign Finance Board agency bill: disclaimer requirement	SF205 /Carlson/Rules CHAPTER 73	HF337 /Sanders/ Government Operations and Elections Policy
Campaign finance; electioneering communications regulation	SF214 /Carlson/Rules Passed Elections subc 3/12; to Rules	HF2015 /O’Driscoll/ GovOp

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Uniform Defamation Act	SF317 /Dibble/Judiciary	HF455 /Winkler/ Civil Law and Data Practices
Assumed names publication requirement removed(oppose)	SF376 /Hall/Judiciary	
Legislative/budget proposals data classification		HF397 /Scott/Government Operations and Elections Policy
Timber jay 2-- requiring submission of subcontracts		HF418 /Scott/Government Operations and Elections Policy
Body cameras data classified as private— AMENDED ONTO LPR BILL, BUT REMOVED IN CONF.CMTE	SF498 /Latz/Judiciary Passed Senate Did not pass	HF430 /Cornish/Civil Law and Data Practices
Insurance fraud; incident data not public until 30 days after created; exception for news media for access to accident report(all objectionable data sections removed from both bills)	SF782 /Jensen/Commerce Nonobjectionable language passed as part of HF 1437; VETOED	HF864 /Sanders/ Commerce and Regulatory Reform
Personnel data; requiring disclosure of private sources of remuneration(support)		HF759 /Scott/ Civil Law and Data Practices
Law enforcement surveillance technology data classification as private		HF786 /Mullery/ Civil Law and Data Practices
Public employees personnel data disclosure re: complaint/charge(support)		HF831 /Scott/Civil Law and Data Practices
Automatic renewal of consumer contracts; requires written disclosure	SF1651 /Clausen/ Commerce Informational hearing 3/25	HF1802 /Wills/Commerce
Juvenile court: limits open hearings(oppose)		HF714 /Dehn, R./ Health and Human Services Reform
Data practices funds for IPAD to train local gov't (\$100,000/yr for 2 years) (Letter of Support)	SF853 /Dziedzic/Finance included in omnibus state gov't bill, SF888, removed in conf cmt; DID NOT PASS	HF1339 /Freiberg/Civil
OAH; Gov's funding for data practices cases overages(\$12,000)	SF888 /Saxhaug/State and Local Gov't. CHAPTER 77	HF 495 /Anderson, S./State Gov't Finance
Protections related to public participation in govt modified in civil actions(support)	SF1025 /Housley/Judic CHAPTER 49	HF906 /Lohmer/Civil Law and Data Practices

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Mortgage foreclosure publication change; permitting publication in any paper in county or adjoining county with sufficient circulation(MNA bill) Senate floor amdt to remove notices from newspapers defeated 2-54	SF1147/Latz/Judiciary CHAPTER 14	HF953/O'Driscoll/Commerce and Regulatory Reform
Body camera data private		HF999/Quam/Civil Law and Data Practices
Complaint data on teachers who resign/are terminated made public(support)	SF972/Clausen/ Judiciary	HF1129/Lohmer/Educ
Municipal power agencies: required to comply with open meeting law and data practices act(support)	SF978/Dahle/Judiciary Scheduled 3/13; removed from agenda	HF1117/Bly/Job Growth
Drones; restricts law enforcement use	SF1792/Nienow/Judic	HF986/Johnson,PS
Privacy Constitutional Amendment	SF32/Petersen, B/Judic	Hf327/Scott/Civil Passed Civil, GovOp and State Govt ; to Public Safety committee; did not pass
Govt Ethics; requires conference committees and budget negotiations to be open to public; electioneering communications provisions(support)	Sf1401/Marty/Rules	
Elections; permits sample ballots to go on county website; requires publication of ad on where ballots can be viewed;(oppose)	SF1500/Torres Ray/Rules	HF1753/Runbeck/GovOp
OAH; requires transfer of costs for DPA hearings	SF1532/Hoffman/Finance	HF1668/Theis/Civil
Noncompete Agreements; study of economic impact	SF1586/Metzen/Jobs	HF1532/Atkins/Commerce
Publication of public notices on government websites instead of in newspapers(oppose)	SF1660/Dahle/Local Govt	Hf1679/Yarusso/GovOp
Unclaimed Property Changes: restores publication of names in newspapers(support)	SF1645/Metzen/Commerce Passed as amended 3/25; On General Orders	HF1693/Atkins/Commerce Passed House as part of omn.jobs bill; not in final bill; DID NOT PASS

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Public notice; requiring designation of qualified newspaper with highest circulation	SF1856 /Goodwin/State and Local Govt	HF2008 /Laine/GovOp
Public Employment Relations Board/OML Exemption(oppose as introduced; includes some compromise language)	SF1794 /Pappas/Local Govt Passed Senate as part of SF2101; not in final bill; DID NOT PASS	HF1918 /Carlson/Civil
LCC to support legislative commission on data practices; \$70,000	SF1923 /Limmer/Finance CHAPTER 77	HF1809 /Lucero/StateFin
Townships to comply with Data Practices(support)		HF1989 /Erickson/Civil
Public access to MnScu operations increased	SF1395 /Eken/Higher Ed	HF773 /Lien/Civil Passed Civil as amended; to Higher Ed
Health plan info public access increased(support)	SF1717 /Rosen/Commerce	HF1588 /Dean/Commerce
OML applied to treaty meetings		HF1759 /Ericson/Outdoor Rec
Drones	Sf685 /Petersen,B/Judic	HF1197 /Lesch/PS
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Drones; prohibits use by law enforcements without search warrant; classifies data as private investigative data	SF1299 /Dibble/Judic incl in Judic policy, SF878; removed in conf cmte; DID NOT PASS	HF1491 /Lesch/Public Safety
Birth Records address info made private(Senate amendment to health data practices bill)	SF1818 /Wiklund/HHS Passed Senate as part of omn.HHS bill; removed in conf cmte; DID NOT PASS	HF1961 /Hortman/HHS
Body Cameras Task Force/Moratorium(request media member on task force)		HF2100 /Lesch/ Public Safety
Public Notice; removes requirement that economic development authority specifically publish notice in daily newspaper(can publish in any newspaper) for establishment of an EDA district(Sect.10; Minn.State.469.101(1)) MNA neutral	SF1308 /Rest/Finance included in omn. Tax bill, SF826; LEFT IN CONF. CMTE; DID NOT PASS	HF1474 /Davids/Taxes

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Prohibits use of court funds to expand audio/video coverage in criminal proceedings(oppose)		HF2210 /Knoblach/Public Safety
Revisors bill; Health data cross reference(bill amended per MNA language)	SF1218 /Limmer/Judic CHAPTER 21	HF1972 /Schomacker/Civil
Body camera data made private		HF2323 /Quam/Civil
NAIOP budget and information disclosure/publication		HF2354 /Peterson/Taxes
Labor negotiations open meeting law requirement		HF2364 /Draskowski/ GovOp