

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON S.F. No. 2437

A bill for an act

relating to public safety; recodifying and clarifying the domestic abuse no contact order law; expanding the tampering with a witness crime; increasing the maximum bail for nonfelony domestic assault and domestic abuse order for protection violations; clarifying the requirement that the data communications network include orders for protection and no contact orders; exempting certain domestic abuse or sexual attack programs from data practices requirements; extending area for protection to a reasonable area around residence or dwelling in ex parte orders for protection; modifying crime of stalking; authorizing a pilot project to allow judges to order electronic monitoring for domestic abuse offenders on pretrial release; imposing criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2008, sections 299C.46, subdivision 6; 518B.01, subdivision 7; 609.498, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 609.749; 629.471, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 629.72, subdivisions 1, 2a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 13; 629; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 518B.01, subdivision 22.

April 26, 2010

The Honorable James P. Metzen
President of the Senate

The Honorable Margaret Anderson Kelliher
Speaker of the House of Representatives

We, the undersigned conferees for S.F. No. 2437 report that we have agreed upon the items in dispute and recommend as follows:

That the Senate concur in the House amendment and that S.F. No. 2437 be further amended as follows:

Page 1, delete section 1 and insert:

"Section 1. [13.823] DOMESTIC ABUSE OR SEXUAL ATTACK PROGRAMS.

Subdivision 1. Definitions. For purposes of this section:

(1) "domestic abuse" has the meaning given in section 518B.01, subdivision 2; and

(2) "sexual attack" has the meaning given in section 611A.21, subdivision 2.

Subd. 2. Provisions not applicable. Except as otherwise provided in this subdivision, a program that provides shelter or support services to victims of domestic abuse or a sexual attack and whose employees or volunteers are not under the direct

- 2.1 supervision of a government entity is not subject to this chapter, except that the program
2.2 shall comply with sections 13.822, 611A.32, subdivision 5, 611A.371, subdivision 3,
2.3 and 611A.46."

3.1 We request the adoption of this report and repassage of the bill.

3.2 Senate Conferees:

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3.7 House Conferees:

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