Legislative Budget Office Oversight Commission

Meeting Minutes

September 3, 2025

Hybrid meeting in MN Senate Building 1100 and via Zoom

Chair Wiklund called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

Members Present:

Rep. Patti Anderson
Sen. Gary Dahms
Sen. John Marty
Rep. Mohamud Noor
Rep. Bernie Perryman
Rep. Dave Pinto
Sen. Eric Pratt
Sen. Melissa Wiklund

Members Excused:

Emily Adriaens, Chief Fiscal Analyst, House (Ex-Officio)
Christian Larson, Director, Legislative Budget Office (Executive Secretary)
Eric Nauman, Principal Fiscal Analyst, Senate (Ex-Officio)
Judy Randall, Legislative Auditor, Office of the Legislative Auditor (Ex-Officio)

A quorum was present.

Review and Approval of Minutes

Representative Noor made a motion to approve the minutes from October 16, 2023 as presented – **MOTION PREVAILED.**

Election of Commission Chair and Vice Chair

Chair Wiklund noted that elections for the new Legislative Budget Office Oversight Commission (LBOOC) Chair and Vice-Chair would now take place.

Sen. Anderson moved to nominate Rep. Noor for the position of Chair. Rep. Noor accepted the nomination. No other nominations were made for the position of Chair.

A roll call vote was taken.

NOOR:	ABSTAIN:	EXCUSED:
Sen. Wicklund		
Rep. Anderson		
Sen. Dahms		
Sen. Marty		
Rep. Noor		
Rep. Perryman		
Rep. Pinto		
Sen. Pratt		

There being 8 votes for NOOR, 0 ABSTAINS, and 0 EXCUSED, the Motion Prevailed, Rep. Noor was elected the LBOOC Chair.

Sen. Dahms moved to nominate Sen. Pratt for the position of Vice Chair. Sen. Pratt accepted the nomination. No other nominations were made for the position of Vice Chair.

A roll call vote was taken.

PRATT:	ABSTAIN:	EXCUSED:
Sen. Wicklund		
Rep. Anderson		
Sen. Dahms		
Sen. Marty		
Rep. Noor		
Rep. Perryman		
Rep. Pinto		
Sen. Pratt		

There being 8 votes for PRATT, 0 ABSTAIN, and 0 EXCUSED, the Motion Prevailed, Sen. Pratt was elected LBOOC Vice Chair.

Roles and Responsibilities of LBO and LBO Oversight Commission

Christian Larson, Director with the Legislative Budget Office (LBO) gave the Commission an overview of the roles and responsibilities of the LBO, as defined in Minnesota statute. Commission questions and discussion followed.

LBO Update

Christian Larson, Director with the LBO gave the Commission an overview of LBO administration including budget, staffing, technical, fiscal note and local impact note activity, and the support of the Tax Expenditure Review Commission. Commission questions and discussion followed.

Future Meeting Dates and Topics

Chair Noor noted that the Commission plans to meet two more times before the start of the 2026 legislative session.

Public Testimony

Josh Berg, Director of Minnesota Services & Strategic Growth for Accessible Space, Inc. testified in support of using dynamic budgeting for legislative fiscal notes. Commission questions and discussion followed.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 11:42 a.m.