

COMMERCE COMMITTEE

MINUTES

Representative John Sarna, Chairman of the Commerce Committee, called the twenty-second meeting to order at 1:15 a.m., in Auditorium 1 of Mankato East High School, Mankato, Minnesota, on September 10, 1987.

The clerk noted the roll.

Members present:

Sarna, Chair	Beard
Bennett	Forsythe
Hartle	McDonald
McEachern	Nelson, C.
O'Connor	Pelowski
Peterson	Price
Richter	Sparby

Members excused:

Milbert	Anderson, R.
Bishop	Burger
Jacobs	Kinkel
McKasy	Murphy
Solberg	

Hank Todd, Director of the Office of Tourism, gave a presentation to the committee concerning the fall commercials to be released in Minnesota and the 1988 work plan for the Tourism Office. He introduced Bob Kanabec of the new regional tourism office in Mankato that covers the entire southern part of the state.

Mr. Gary Hannen, director of the Small Business Development Center at Mankato State University, testified concerning the effects of government on small business.

The Tourism Office presented their film, "Minnesota Overtures" for the Government Affairs classes at the high school.

The meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.


JOHN SARNA, CHAIR


Betsy Chesebrough
Clerk