

2021-2022 Session
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House Discrimination Prevention Panel

The House Discrimination Prevention Panel receives and investigates complaints of alleged discrimination involving members of the House and legislative staff working in the House. The Panel also adopts and updates the House Policy for the Prevention of Discrimination.

Previous Meetings - Full Report

Friday, February 12, 2021

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 3:00 PM

Meeting Called to Order

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
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- Election of Chair

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 4:00 PM

Adjourn

Monday, April 26, 2021

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM

Meeting Called to Order

Rep. Mari Cordes, Chair, House Discrimination Prevention Panel

- **House Discrimination Prevention Policy**

finalization

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

10:00 AM Adjourn

Friday, May 14, 2021

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

3:00 PM Meeting Called to Order

Rep. Mari Cordes, Chair, House Discrimination Prevention Panel

- **Committee Discussion**

next steps

4:00 PM Adjourn

Tuesday, September 28, 2021

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

1:00 PM Review of House training plan

Rep. Mari Cordes, Chair, House Discrimination Prevention Panel

Rep. Jill Krowinski, Speaker of the House

2:00 PM Panel Discussion

3:00 PM

Adjourn

Monday, January 24, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM Meeting Called to Order
- Rep. Mari Cordes, Chair, House Discrimination Prevention Panel
- Welcome Rep. Killacky to the Panel

Friday, February 4, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM Testimony from Vermont Disability Advocates
- Susan Aranoff, Senior Planner and Policy Analyst, Vermont Developmental Disabilities Council
- Sarah Launderville, Executive Director, Vermont Center for Independent Living
- Rachel Seelig, Director, Vermont Legal Aid Disability Law Project
- Panel Communications

Friday, February 18, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM Meeting Called to Order

Rep. Mari Cordes, Chair, House Discrimination Prevention Panel

- Americans with Disabilities Act request process

Rep. Alice M. Emmons, Chair, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions
Mike Ferrant, Director of Operations, Office of Legislative Operations
Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

9:30 AM Adjourn

Friday, March 18, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM Meeting Called to Order

Rep. Mari Cordes, Chair, House Discrimination Prevention Panel

- Committee Discussion

update from the Speaker's Office and Legislative Operations

Heather Batalion, Staff Development and Training Coordinator, HireAbility Vermont
(formerly VocRehab)
Mike Ferrant, Director of Operations, Office of Legislative Operations

9:30 AM Adjourn

Friday, April 1, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM

Panel Updates

1. Chair updates

2. Speaker's Office updates

Rep. Mari Cordes, Chair, House Discrimination Prevention Panel
- Panel policy review and update

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 9:30 AM

Adjourn

Friday, April 15, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM

Policy Work

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- Update on Remote Work

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 11:45 AM

Policy Review

possible vote

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 12:00 PM

Adjourn

Friday, April 22, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM

Continued Committee Discussion

- review changes to policy

- possible vote on policy

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- **Rules of Procedure Discussion and Review**

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 9:20 AM

Adjourn

Friday, April 29, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:20 AM

Continued Discussion of Procedures

- continued review and possible vote

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Wednesday, May 4, 2022

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

11:45 AM Review Panel Policy and Rules of Procedure

possible vote

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
