



FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION**

**HB 1426-FN**, requiring the department of environmental services to employ certified personnel in each program area.

Interim Study, Vote 5-0.

Senator Timothy Lang for the committee.

HB 1426-FN would require the department of environmental services to employ or contract certified personnel in each program area that requires a license or certification. The committee determined that non-legislative approaches could address the initial underlying issue and expressed concern about the burden the legislation would place on the Department of Environmental Services.