

Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for EDUCATION

Date: *February 14, 2024*

Location: *RM 116*

Convened: *7:10 PM*

Adjourned: *9:10 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Rozenboom-CH, Taylor, J.-VC, Quirmbach-RM, Celsi, Cournoyer, Donahue, Evans, Garrett, Giddens, Green, Gruenhagen, Kraayenbrink, Salmon, Sinclair, Trone Garriott, Westrich

Absent:

Excused:

Chair Rozenboom called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm.

Roll call was taken silently with Senator J. Taylor excused until he arrived.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved unanimously.

The subcommittee assignments were distributed electronically.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Cournoyer as chair of [SSB 3041](#). Senator Cournoyer made opening comments on the bill. [SSB 3041](#) then passed with 15 Yeas and 1 Excused via short form.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Garrett as chair of [SSB 3047](#). Senator Garrett made opening comments on the bill. [SSB 3047](#) then passed with 15 Yeas and 1 Excused via short form.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Gruenhagen for [SSB 3050](#). Senator Gruenhagen made opening comments on the bill and noted that there was an amendment. Senator Gruenhagen introduced amendment 3050.2933. There was discussion on the amendment, and it passed with Senators Quirmbach and Celsi recorded as Nay and Senator J. Taylor as excused. [SSB 3050](#) as amended was discussed and passed with 15 Yeas and 1 Excused via short form.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Evans for [SF 2075](#). Senator Evans made opening comments on the bill and noted that there was an amendment. Senator Evans introduced amendment 2075.2716. There was discussion on the amendment, and it passed with Senator J. Taylor as excused. [SF 2075](#) as amended was discussed and passed with 14 Yeas 1 Nay and 1 Excused via short form.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Cournoyer as chair of [SSB 3156](#). Senator Cournoyer made opening comments on the bill. There was discussion on the bill and [SSB 3156](#) passed with Senators Quirmbach, Celsi, Donahue, Giddens and Trone Garriott voting Nay and Senator J. Taylor as Excused.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Gruenhagen as chair of [SSB 3157](#). Senator Gruenhagen made opening comments on the bill. There was discussion on the bill and [SSB 3157](#) passed with Senators Quirmbach, Celsi, Donahue, Giddens and Trone Garriott voting Nay and Senator J. Taylor as Excused.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Kraayenbrink as chair of [SSB 3164](#). Senator Kraayenbrink made opening comments on the bill. [SSB 3164](#) then passed with 15 Yeas and 1 Excused via short form.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Cournoyer for [SF 2041](#). Senator Cournoyer made opening comments on the bill and noted that there was an amendment. Senator Cournoyer introduced amendment 2041.2838. There was discussion on the amendment, and it passed Senator J. Taylor and Trone Garriott as excused. [SF 2041](#) as amended was discussed and passed with 15 Yeas and 1 Excused via short form.

Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator Evans for [SSB 3073](#). Senator Evans made opening comments on the bill and noted that there was an amendment. Senator Evans

introduced amendment 3073.2901. There was discussion on the amendment, and it passed with Senators Quirnbach, Celsi, Donahue, Giddens and Trone Garriott voting Nay. [SSB 3073](#) as amended passed with Senators Quirnbach, Celsi, Donahue, Giddens, Trone Garriott and Salmon voting Nay. Chair Rozenboom recognized Senator J. Taylor as chair of [SSB 3048](#). Senator J. Taylor made opening comments on the bill. [SSB 3048](#) then passed unanimously. Senator Cournoyer moved to adjourn at 9:10 pm.

Senator Ken Rozenboom

Sarah Moore, Committee Secretary