

House Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for COMMERCE

Date: *February 5, 2014*

Location: *RM 103*

Convened: *2:00 PM*

Adjourned: *2:45 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Cownie-CH, Brandenburg-VC, Hall-RM, Baltimore, Dawson, Fisher, Forbes, Jacoby, Kressig, Landon, Lykam, Meyer, Oldson, Ourth, Pettengill, Riding, Sands, Smith, J., Soderberg, Taylor, R., Vander Linden, Watts

Absent: None

Excused: Representative Grassley

The Commerce Committee meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m. by Chairman Cownie.

Roll call was called with a quorum present.

Chairman Cownie asked for any revisions to the minutes of the February 3rd meeting. The minutes were revised to show the nay vote on the failed amendment 566.2483. Hearing none, the minutes were unanimously approved.

Chairman Cownie announced the following (2) bill assignments:

[HSB 609](#) – Landon-CH: Smith & Dawson

[HF 2111](#) - Brandenburg-CH: Fisher & Jacoby

Chair Cownie gave opening remarks and recognized Representative Ourth.

Representative Ourth introduced his intern Hannah Jones.

Chair Cownie recognized Representative Riding for his opening remarks.

Chair Cownie recognized Deb Grooms, Executive Director, Iowa Propane Gas Association and she introduced Jeff LaPan, Senior Account Manager, CHS Inc., Wholesale Propane and Todd Pellett, Owner, Pelgas, Inc. and Chris Behrens, Marketing Manager, Farm Service Cooperative, for their presentations.

Chair Cownie thanked them for their presentations and opened the floor for questions.

With no further business to come before the Committee, Chairman Cownie gave closing remarks and moved to adjourn and Representative Jacoby seconded the motion.

The Commerce Committee adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Representative Peter Cownie

Marlene Martens, Committee Secretary