

House Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for COMMERCE

Date: *February 25, 2015*

Location: *RM 103, Sup. Ct. Chamber*

Convened: *1:00 PM*

Adjourned: *1:45 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Cownie-CH, Carlson-VC, Oldson-RM, Baltimore, Dawson, Forbes, Grassley, Hagenow, Hall, Holt, Jacoby, Kaufmann, Kressig, Landon, Lykam, Meyer, Ourth, Pettengill, Rizer, Sands, Soderberg, Vander Linden, Watts

Absent:

Excused:

Chairman Cownie called the Commerce Committee meeting to order at 1:01 p.m.

Roll call was taken with a quorum present.

Chair Cownie asked for any revisions to the minutes of the February 23th meeting. Hearing none, the minutes were unanimously approved.

Chair Cownie announced the following (5) bill assignments:

[HF 317](#) – Cownie-CH: Soderberg & Oldson

[HF 318](#) – Cownie-CH: Soderberg & Oldson

[HF 319](#) – Kaufmann-CH: Rizer & Forbes

[HF 349](#) – Kaufmann-CH: Carlson & Forbes

[HF 358](#) – Kaufmann-CH: Rizer & Kressig

Chairman Cownie announced the bills for debate today and both parties went to caucus at 1:03 p.m.

Reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

Representative Rizer was recognized to take up [HSB 133](#); a study bill relating to alcoholic beverage control and matters under the purview of the alcoholic beverages division of the department of commerce. The subcommittee report of Reps. Rizer, Forbes and Holt was submitted and signed. Rep. Rizer gave opening remarks, discussion followed. Rep. Rizer gave closing remarks and moved the bill. Chair Cownie moved [HSB 133](#), as a committee bill on a roll call vote. Motion carried with 23 ayes.

Representative Rizer was recognized to take up [HSB 134](#); a study bill concerning the reporting and payment of wine gallonage sales and taxes. The subcommittee report of Reps. Rizer, Forbes and Holt was submitted and signed. Rep. Rizer gave opening remarks, discussion followed. Rep. Rizer gave closing remarks and moved the bill. Chair Cownie moved [HSB 134](#), as a committee bill on a roll call vote. Motion carried with 23 ayes.

Representative Pettengill was recognized to take up [HSB 139](#); a study bill relating to various

matters involving insurance and the insurance division of the department of commerce and including effective date provisions. The subcommittee report of Reps. Pettengill, Forbes and Landon was submitted and signed. Rep. Pettengill gave opening remarks and asked permission to take up amendment 139.392. Amendment passed on a voice vote. Discussion followed and Rep. Pettengill gave closing remarks and moved the bill. Chair Cownie moved [HSB 139](#), as amended as a committee bill on a roll call vote. Motion carried with 23 ayes.

Representative Pettengill was recognized to take up [HSB 140](#); a study bill for requiring the submission of a corporate governance annual disclosure to the commissioner of insurance by certain insurers or insurance groups, and including penalties and applicability date provisions. The subcommittee report of Reps. Pettengill, Forbes and Landon was submitted and signed. Rep. Pettengill gave opening remarks and asked permission to take up amendment 140.403. Amendment passed on a voice vote. Discussion followed and Rep. Pettengill gave closing remarks and moved the bill. Chair Cownie moved [HSB 140](#), as amended as a committee bill on a roll call vote. Motion carried with 23 ayes.

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

The Commerce Committee adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Representative Peter Cownie

Marlene Martens, Committee Secretary