House Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for WAYS AND MEANS

Location: RM 102, Sup. Ct. Consult

Date: *March 18, 2015*

Convened: 1:05 PM

Recessed: 2:00 PM

Reconvened: 4:00 PM

Adjourned: 5:15 PM

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Sands-CH, Maxwell-VC, Jacoby-RM, Baltimore, Brown-Powers, Byrnes, Cownie, Finkenauer, Forristall, Gaskill, Grassley, Hagenow, Hein, Isenhart, Kearns, Kelley, McConkey, Miller, L., Moore, Nunn, Prichard, Ruff, Steckman, Vander Linden, Windschitl

Absent:

Excused:

Chairman Sands called the meeting to order at 1:07 PM.

Roll Call was read and a quorum was present.

As there were no corrections, amendments and/or deletions to the March 10th meeting minutes, they were unanimously approved.

The following bill was assigned:

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<u>HSB 216</u>	Moore - Chair, Byrnes & Kelley
<u>HSB 217</u>	Windschitl - Chair, Nunn & McConkey
<u>HSB 218</u>	Vander Linden - Chair, Maxwell & Brown-Powers
<u>HSB 219</u>	Hein - Chair, Grassley & Isenhart
<u>HSB 220</u>	Windschitl - Chair, Nunn & Finkenauer
<u>HF 225</u>	Hein - Chair, Maxwell & Jacoby
<u>HF 226</u>	Hein - Chair, Maxwell & Jacoby
<u>HF 340</u>	Nunn - Chair, Baltimore & Ruff
<u>HF 388</u>	Moore - Chair, Miller L. & Gaskill
<u>HF 443</u>	Miller L Chair, Vander Linden & Prichard
<u>HF 454</u>	Grassley - Chair, Miller L. & McConkey
<u>HF 466</u>	Hagenow - Chair, Cownie & Prichard
<u>HF 487</u>	Vander Linden - Chair, Grassley & Jacoby
<u>HF 523</u>	Moore - Chair, Grassley & Kelley
<u>HF 545</u>	Miller L Chair, Forristall & Brown-Powers
<u>HF 555</u>	Baltimore - Chair, Cownie & Finkenauer
<u>HF 557</u>	Windschitl - Chair, Cownie & Ruff
<u>HF 556</u>	Baltimore - Chair, Hagenow & Prichard
<u>HF 576</u>	Cownie - Chair, Sands, Byrnes, Jacoby & Prichard
<u>SF 124</u>	Maxwell – Chair, Grassley & Jacoby

The committee stood at ease at 1:11 PM for both parties to caucus.

The committee reconvened at 1:59 PM. The committee recessed at 2:00 PM. The committee reconvened at 4:00 PM. The committee stood at ease at 4:01 PM for the Democrats to caucus. The committee reconvened at 4:47 PM.

Chairman Sands recognized Representative Vander Linden for opening remarks on <u>HSB 215</u>. An Act relating to the individual income tax by providing an alternative base income tax and related alternative cumulative income surtax imposed at the election of the taxpayer and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

The bill was moved and passed by the vote 13 Aye, 11 Nay and 1 Absent. The nay votes were Representatives Jacoby, Brown-Powers, Finkenauer, Gaskill, Isenhart, Kearns, Kelley, McConkey, Prichard, Ruff, Steckman. The absent member was Representative Baltimore. The bill will move to the house floor as a Ways and Means Committee Bill.

Chairman Sands recognized Representative Byrnes for opening remarks on <u>HSB 64</u>. An Act exempting from the sales tax the sales price for the use of self-pay washers and dryers.

The bill was moved and passed by the vote 20 Aye, 4 Nay and 1 Absent. The nay vote were Representatives Isenhart, Kearns, McConkey and Steckman. The absent member was Representative Baltimore. The bill will move to the house floor as a Ways and Means Committee Bill.

Chairman Sands recognized Representative Vander Linden for opening remarks on <u>HF 514</u>. An Act establishing a motor vehicle insurance verification program, establishing fees, and including penalty and effective date provisions.

The chair recognized Representative Vander Linden for Amendment 945. The amendment was moved and passed on short form.

The bill as amended was moved and passed by the vote 14 Aye, 10 Nay and 1 Absent. The nay vote were Representatives Jacoby, Brown-Powers, Finkenauer, Isenhart, Kearns, Kelley, McConkey, Prichard, Ruff, Steckman. The absent member was Representative Baltimore. The bill will move to the house floor as amended as a Ways & Means Committee Bill.

As there was no additional business to come before the committee Representative Hagenow moved to adjourn at 5:15 PM.

Representative Thomas R. Sands