

\*House Committee\*

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: *February 16, 2016*

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

Convened: *3:00 PM*

Recessed: *4:20 PM*

Reconvened: *5:05 PM*

Adjourned: *6:20 PM*

### Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Vander Linden-CH, Sexton-VC, Lensing-RM, Bacon, Berry, Branhagen, Cohoon, Hein, Highfill, Hunter, Kelley, Koester, Mascher, Miller, L., Moore, T., Pettengill, Stanerson, Stutsman, Taylor, T., Watts, Wills, Winckler

Absent:

Excused: Representative Prichard

The State Government Committee was called to order by Chair Vander Linden at 3:00 pm. Roll Call was taken with a quorum present.

As there were no corrections, amendments, and/or deletions to the February 15th meeting minutes, Chair Vander Linden moved to approve the minutes as distributed.

The members went to caucus at 3:03 pm and reconvened at 4:19 pm.

The members recessed for session at 4:19 pm and reconvened at 5:03 pm.

Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Sexton for opening comments on [HSB 574](#), a study bill concerning alcoholic beverage control, including micro-distillery production and sales and dramshop liability insurance requirements, requiring a comprehensive study on alcoholic beverage control, and establishing fees. Representative Sexton introduced Amendment 2515 to [HSB 574](#). After discussion, Representative Sexton moved Amendment 2515 and it passed by voice vote. Following discussion, Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Sexton for closing comments on [HSB 574](#), as amended. Representative Sexton moved [HSB 574](#), as amended. A record roll call was taken and [HSB 574](#), as amended, passed (22-0). [HSB 574](#) moves to the house floor as a committee bill.

Chair Vander Linden yielded the Chair to Representative Sexton.

Chair Sexton recognized Representative Vander Linden for opening comments on [HSB 541](#), a study bill relating to school corporations by changing the date of the election of directors of local school districts, merged areas, and area education agency boards and including applicability and transition provisions. Representative Hunter introduced Amendment 2507 to [HSB 541](#). After discussion, Representative Hunter moved Amendment 2507 and it failed by voice vote. Representative Vander Linden introduced Amendment 2530 to [HSB 541](#). Following discussion, Representative Vander Linden moved Amendment 2530 and it passed by a voice vote. After discussion, Chair Sexton recognized Representative Vander Linden for closing comments on [HSB 541](#), as amended. Representative Vander Linden moved [HSB 541](#), as amended. A record roll call was taken and [HSB 541](#), as amended, passed (12-10)(Nays:Sexton, Lensing, Berry, Cohoon, Hunter, Kelley, Koester, Mascher, Taylor, Winckler). [HSB 541](#) moves to the house floor as a committee bill.

Chair Sexton returned the Chair to Representative Vander Linden.

Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Miller for opening comments on [HSB 550](#), A study bill relating to the services dental hygienists may perform. Representative Miller

introduced Amendment 2594 to [HSB 550](#). After discussion, Representative Miller withdraws Amendment 2594. Following discussion, Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Miller for closing comments on [HSB 550](#). Representative Miller moved [HSB 550](#). A record roll call was taken and [HSB 550](#), as amended, passed (16-6) (Nays:Berry, Cohoon, Kelley, Mascher, Stutsman, Watts). [HSB 550](#) moves to the house floor as a committee bill.

Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Pettengill for opening comments on [HF 450](#), a bill for an act concerning the contract bidding process for public improvement projects and its application to certain government entities. Representative Pettengill introduced Amendment 2502 to [HF 450](#). After discussion, Representative Pettengill moved Amendment 2502 and it passed by voice vote. Following discussion, Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Pettengill for closing comments on [HF 450](#), as amended. Representative Pettengill moved [HF 450](#), as amended. A record roll call was taken and [HF 450](#), as amended, passed (13-9)(Nays:Lensing, Cohoon, Hunter, Kelley, Koester, Mascher, Stutsman, Taylor, Winckler). [HF 450](#) moves to the house floor as a committee bill.

Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Pettengill for opening comments on [HSB 584](#), a study bill relating to continuation of or reenrollment in group accident or health care coverage by certain dependents of public employees and including applicability date provisions. Representative Pettengill introduced Amendment 2575 to [HSB 584](#). After discussion, Representative Pettengill moved Amendment 2575 and it passed by voice vote. Following discussion, Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Pettengill for closing comments on [HSB 584](#), as amended. Representative Pettengill moved [HSB 584](#), as amended. A record roll call was taken and [HSB 584](#), as amended, passed (13-9)(Nays:Lensing, Berry, Cohoon, Hunter, Kelley, Mascher, Stutsman, Taylor, Winckler). [HSB 584](#) moves to the house floor as a committee bill.

Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Moore for opening comments on [HSB 613](#), a study bill for permitting the state registrar of voters to retain fees charged by the registrar for furnishing certain voter registration services and information, and including effective date provisions. Following discussion, Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Moore for closing comments on [HSB 613](#). Representative Moore moved [HSB 613](#). A record roll call was taken and [HSB 613](#) passed (13-9) (Nays:Lensing, Berry, Cohoon, Hunter, Kelley, Mascher, Stutsman, Taylor, Winckler). [HSB 613](#) moves to the house floor as a committee bill.

Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Pettengill for opening comments on [HF 2067](#), a bill for an act relating to licensing fees collected by the board of educational examiners and deposited in the general fund of the state, and including effective date provisions. Following discussion, Chair Vander Linden recognized Representative Pettengill for closing comments on [HF 2067](#). Representative Pettengill moved [HF 2067](#). A record roll call was taken and [HF 2067](#) passed (22-0). [HF 2067](#) moves to the house floor as a committee bill.

With no other business to come before the Committee, Representative Bacon moved to arise at 6:18 pm.

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Representative Guy Vander Linden

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Nick Laning, Committee Secretary