

\*Senate Committee\*

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for EDUCATION

Date: *February 15, 2017*

Location: *RM 22*

Convened: *1:50 PM*

Adjourned: *2:20 PM*

### Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Sinclair-CH, Edler-VC, Quirmbach-RM, Behn, Bowman, Chelgren, Danielson, Dvorsky, Greene, Hart, Johnson, C., Kraayenbrink, Lofgren, Mathis, Rozenboom

Absent:

Excused:

The meeting came to order at 1:49 pm.

Minutes were approved.

Iowa BIG will no longer be presenting due to a scheduling conflict.

Democrats went to caucus at 1:50.

Senator Sinclair recognized Senator Chelgren for the committee report on [SSB 1047](#).

Senator Chelgren gave the committee report and introduced [SSB 1047](#).

Senator Hart was recognized.

Senator Hart gave an explanation on her concerns regarding [SSB 1047](#) specifically regarding funding.

Senator Sinclair recognized Senator Quirmbach.

Senator Quirmbach addressed his concerns regarding funding of [SSB 1047](#) and broadening of the computer science aspect of the bill.

Senator Chelgren gave closing remarks on [SSB 1047](#) and confirmed his willingness to look into changes in the bill.

Senator Chelgren moved [SSB 1047](#) and asked for short form on the bill.

The bill was moved forward as a committee bill.

Senator Sinclair informed the committee that Dr. Richards was coming to the next committee meeting.

Senator Quirmbach asked if the candidate would be available to come in early to speak with the senators individually.

Senator Sinclair confirmed that the candidate was currently the only item on the agenda and would have the entire committee block to speak with senators.

Committee adjourned at 2:18 pm

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Senator Amy Sinclair

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Casey Nickel , Committee Secretary