

Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

Date: *April 19, 2017*

Location: *RM 22*

Convened: *11:45 AM*

Adjourned: *11:55 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Dix-CH, Whitver-VC, Hogg-RM, Behn, Dvorsky, Feenstra, Jochum, Ragan, Schneider, Sinclair, Smith

Absent:

Excused:

Meeting called to order by Senator Bill Dix, Chair at 11:47 a.m. in Room 22

Attendance: 11 present, 0 excused, 0 absent

Reviewed April 11th meeting minutes, Chair called for any changes. Senator Charles Schneider moved to approve and passed without objection.

Chair passed the gavel to Vice Chair, Senator Jack Whitver, who presided over the meeting as Chair until further noted.

Chair recognized Senator Dix who introduced [SSB 1200](#) (A resolution deferring action on the confirmation of certain appointments submitted by the Governor). Senator Dix gave opening remarks stating the bill extends the time for the Senate to consider the Governor's appointments. This reflects the Senate's similar legislation in 2015, when they also changed the deadline.

Chair asked for any discussion. Senator Hogg was recognized and stated his concerns shifting the date, but supports considering the nominees' confirmation. Senator Dix moved [SSB 1200](#) and Senator Robert Dvorsky requested a record vote.

Secretary called the roll, 10 Ayes and 1 Nay (Senator Dvorsky). Chair ruled that [SSB 1200](#) passed the committee and moved it to be placed on the Senate Calendar.

Chair passed the gavel to Senator Dix who resumed the duty of Chair. There was no further business before the committee. On motion by Senator Amanda Ragan, the meeting was moved to arise at 11:52 a.m.

Senator Bill Dix

Dylan C. Keller, Committee Secretary