

\*Senate Committee\*

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for EDUCATION

Date: ***March 28, 2018***

Location: ***RM 22***

Convened: ***2:00 PM***

Adjourned: ***2:10 PM***

### Attendance Roll Call:

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

Absent:

Excused: Senator Danielson

The meeting came to order at 2:02 pm.

The previous minutes were approved.

Senator Danielson was excused until he arrived.

A document with all of the governor appointments being considered was distributed and considered by the committee.

Senator Rozenboom shared a concern with the candidate Katie Lott to the Early Childhood Iowa State Board and shared that the subcommittee report was signed without recommendation. Chairwoman Senator Sinclair shared that the governor's office was aware there were concerns and would be sending more information soon.

Ranking Member Senator Quirmbach expressed concerns regarding voting on Katie Lott without more information and expressed his desire to wait to move her out of committee.

Senator Hogg expressed the opinion of moving some appointments to the individual calendar and Chairwoman Senator Sinclair confirmed that any time after moving the appointments out of committee any senator may request to move an appointment to the Individual calendar.

Senator Quirmbach moved to move all governor appointees to the En Bloc calendar with the committee's recommendation, excluding Katie Lott.

The motion passed unanimously on a voice vote with Senator Danielson excused.

Senator Rozenboom moved to move Katie Lott to the En Bloc calendar without recommendation.

The motion passed 13-1-1 with Senator Quirmbach voting no and Senator Danielson excused

The committee adjourned at 2:12 pm .

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Senator Amy Sinclair

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Casey Nickel, Committee Secretary