

REPORT OF THE
LEGISLATIVE FISCAL COMMITTEE
TO THE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

November 15, 1984
10:00 A.M. ROOM 24

The Legislative Fiscal Committee met on November 15, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 24. Members present were:

Representative Tom Jochum, Co-chairperson
Senator Edgar Holden
Senator Bill Hutchins
Senator William Palmer
Senator Dale Tieden
Representative Lowell Norland
Representative Hugo Schneckloth
Representative Richard Welden

Also present were Legislative Fiscal Bureau staff and other interested persons.

Douglas Wulf, Program Evaluation Manager, presented an update on the Mental Health Evaluation, and on the current project--Dispute Resolution Evaluation. A Proposal for Issue Analyses was also presented and discussed. The Committee concurred with the concept.

Seven evaluation topics were presented by Mr. Wulf for prioritizing by the Committee. They were: Administrative Staffing at Mental Health Institutions and Hospital-Schools, Child Welfare System, Child Day Care Regulation, Civil Rights Commission - Case Backlog, Job Training Program, Public Transportation Systems, and Sabbatical "Developmental" Leaves - Regents.

The Committee voted the following studies and their priority:

- No. 1 Job Training Program
- No. 2 Child Welfare System (focus on Foster Care)
- No. 3 Public Transportation Systems

Glen Dickinson presented a request from the Education Visitation Committee that they be authorized six days of visitation. The Committee voted to rerefer this request to the Studies Committee of the Legislative Council.

The meeting was adjourned.

REPORT OF THE STUDIES COMMITTEE

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

November 15, 1984

The Studies Committee of the Legislative Council met at 1:15 p.m. in Committee Room 22 of the State House and submits the following report for the approval of the Legislative Council:

1. That the Education Task Force be extended and allowed to meet upon approval of the Legislative Council.
2. That the Political Campaign Study Committee be authorized one additional meeting day.
3. That the Drainage Laws Study Committee be authorized one additional meeting day.
4. That the Health Care Costs Study Committee be authorized one additional meeting day.
5. That the Cattle Industry Study Committee be authorized one additional meeting day.
6. That the Export and Trade Center Study Committee be authorized two additional meeting days.
7. That the Education Follow-up Study be authorized one additional meeting day for the full Study Committee and two meeting days for each of three six-member subcommittees of the Study Committee.
8. That the Legislative Council approve the payment of mileage expenses to two persons who have testified before the Drunk Driving Study Committee.
9. That the Legislative Council approve the payment of expenses to two persons to be invited to testify before the Board of Parole Study Committee.

The Studies Committee was also informed that the Final Report of the Tax Study Committee will not be completed until mid-December. A copy of the letter is in the Council packet.

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR LOWELL L. JUNKINS
Chairman

REPORT OF THE SERVICE COMMITTEE
OF THE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

November 15, 1984

The Service Committee met on October 2, 1984 and November 15, 1984 and makes the following recommendations to the Legislative Council:

1. That the Legislative Council accept the resignation of Mr. Serge H. Garrison as Director of the Legislative Service Bureau effective December 7, 1984.

2. That Mr. Burnette Koebernick be named Acting Director of the Legislative Service Bureau until a director is appointed by the Legislative Council.

A decision about the salary for the Acting Director will be considered by the Service Committee at its next meeting.

3. That Ms. JoAnn Brown be named Acting Code Editor until a Code Editor is appointed by the Legislative Council.

4. That Ms. Lynette Donner be employed as an Attorney I in the Legislative Service Bureau to replace Mr. Craig Jontz who resigned. She will be compensated at Pay Grade 29, step 1.

5. That the salaries of four employees of the Legislative Service Bureau be increased by one cent per hour for an annual salary increase of \$20.80 so that their salaries are equal to the salaries for those grades and steps on the legislative pay matrix.

6. That the Acting Director of the Legislative Service Bureau be authorized to employ on a temporary basis, subject to approval of the Legislative Council, an additional attorney during the month of December and through the legislative session to assist the Bureau in completing bill drafts and doing research.

7. That Ms. Autumn McGrean, Word Processor in the Legislative Service Bureau, who is scheduled to return to work in the Public Information Office during the legislative session, be retained in the Legislative Service Bureau offices in order to assist in front office work and amendments and that the Acting Director of the Legislative Service Bureau be authorized to employ a secretary for the Public Information Office for the session.

8. That Mr. Carey Novak be employed as a Legislative Analyst in the Legislative Fiscal Bureau at Pay Grade 24, step 2.

9. That Mr. Robert Snyder be employed as a Legislative Analyst in the Legislative Fiscal Bureau at Pay Grade 24, step 2.

10. That Mr. Randy A. Meline be employed as an Assistant Citizens' Aide at Pay Grade 24, step 1.

In addition, the Service Committee, subject to the approval of the Chairperson of the Legislative Council, voted to employ Mr. Sanford B. Scharf as Director of the Computer Support Bureau at an annual salary of \$37,500 and Mr. David Robinson as a Computer Operator at Grade 21, step 2.

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR C. W. (BILL) HUTCHINS
Chairman