

M I N U T E S
STUDIES COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

August 8, 1979

Room 22, State House

The meeting of the Studies Committee was called to order by Co-chairperson Senator Calvin Hultman at 1:25 p.m. Members present in addition to Senator Hultman were Representative Roger Halvorson, Co-chairperson, Representatives Donald Avenson, John Clark, and Speaker of the House Floyd Millen; Senators Joe Coleman, Lowell Junkins, and Ray Taylor.

Representative Avenson moved that the minutes of the previous meeting be approved and the motion carried. Senator Hultman moved that the Chairperson of the Legislative Council, Speaker of the House Floyd Millen, be authorized to appoint the Council member who will be a member of the County Home Rule Study Committee. The motion was seconded by Representative Avenson and carried.

NOTE: Speaker of the House Floyd Millen appointed Representative John Clark to be a member of the Home Rule Study Committee.

Speaker Millen announced that pursuant to Council authorization he had appointed the following persons as members of the Corrections Study Committee: Representative Horace Daggett, Temporary Chairperson, Representatives Andy McKean, B. J. Clark, Don Doyle, and Clay Spear. Speaker Millen noted that Representative McKean had resigned from the Solar Access Subcommittee in order to serve on the Corrections Committee and Representative Darrell Hanson would replace Representative McKean on the Solar Access Subcommittee. Senator Hultman announced that the appointments of the Lt. Governor were Senators James E. Briles, Temporary Co-chairperson, Bob Carr, Merlin Hulse, Tom Slater, and Sue Yenger.

It was moved by Senator Hultman, seconded by Representative Halvorson, that the appointments submitted by the Speaker of the House and the Lt. Governor be accepted by the members of the Studies Committee.

The next item of business was the letter from Senator Forrest V. Schwengels requesting that the Police Communications Review Committee be considered as a study committee for the purpose of studying the areas noted in his letter, a copy of which is attached and by this reference made part of the minutes. It was specifically noted that the Police Communications Review Committee would not be holding any additional meetings.

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It was moved by Senator Hultman, seconded by Representative Avenson, and carried that the Police Communications Review Committee be constituted as a study committee for the purpose of studying the areas noted in the letter. The motion carried.

Senator Briles inquired if the Governor had made the gubernatorial appointments to the County Home Rules Study Committee. The director of the Service Bureau indicated that he had not been notified of any such appointments.

NOTE: The Governor forwarded to the Legislative Service Bureau a list of the appointments he had made to the County Home Rule Study Committee following an inquiry by the director on August 9, 1979.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Serge H. Garrison, Director
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