

M I N U T E S

STUDIES COMMITTEE

October 12, 1983

The meeting of the Studies Committee of the Legislative Council was called to order by the Studies Committee Chairman, Senator Lowell Junkins, at 1:20 p.m., Wednesday, October 12, 1983 in Committee Room 22 of the State House, Des Moines, Iowa. Members present in addition to Senator Junkins were:

Senator James Briles
Senator Calvin O. Hultman
Senator C. W. Hutchins
Speaker Donald Avenson
Representative Jean Lloyd-Jones
Representative Lester Menke
Representative Richard Welden

Chairman Junkins recognized Speaker Avenson who moved that the Committee dispense with the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and that the minutes be approved as submitted. The motion was adopted.

Chairman Junkins noted that the minutes of the last meeting of the Studies Committee did not include action on part of the Committee to indefinitely postpone consideration of an interim study committee on the land preservation and use law enacted in 1982. He requested a motion to dispose of this study topic.

Representative Menke moved that the Committee postpone further discussion on the topic of an interim study on the land preservation and use law. Representative Lloyd-Jones stated that a study should be authorized. She stated that this is an important issue and that Representative Cochran has outlined an agenda for this study which would address questions which have arisen from the operation of the law.

There being no further discussion, Representative Menke's motion was adopted. Representative Lloyd-Jones voted no.

Chairman Junkins noted that the Committee received two letters, one from the Public Retirement Systems Subcommittee and one from the Securities Regulation Study Committee requesting one additional meeting day to complete their respective study assignments.

After discussion, Senator Hultman moved that the Studies Committee recommend one additional meeting day for the Securities Regulation Study Committee and the Public Retirement Systems Subcommittee by the Legislative Council. The motion was adopted with Representative Welden voting no.

The final agenda item was a request from the Legislative Fiscal Committee relating to the visitations by appropriations subcommittees. After discussion, Speaker Avenson moved that the

chairpersons of the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations request from the respective chairpersons of the Appropriations Subcommittees' agendas for one or two-day meetings of their respective subcommittees to consider budget reduction or other appropriation matters before the convening of the 1984 regular legislative session and that the request be submitted to the Studies Committee for consideration at its November meeting. The motion was adopted.

There being no further business before the Studies Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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