

Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: *March 5, 2019*

Location: *RM 22*

Convened: *1:05 PM*

Adjourned: *1:50 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Smith, R.-CH, Johnson-VC, Bisignano-RM, Celsi, Chapman, Cournoyer, Dawson, Feenstra, Jochum, Lykam, Miller-Meeks, Schultz, Taylor, T., Whiting, Zaun

Absent:

Excused:

The meeting was called to order at 1:05 pm.

Attendance was taken. All members were present.

Minutes from 2/28/2019 were unanimously approved.

Chairman Smith recognized Senator Feenstra for opening remarks on [SSB 1125](#). Senator Feenstra presented amendment .531. A voice vote was requested and held on amendment .531. Amendment .531 passed unanimously. A voice vote was requested and held on [SSB 1125](#) as amended. [SSB 1125](#), as amended, passed by a vote of 13 AYES (Senators Smith, Johnson, Bisignano, Chapman, Cournoyer, Dawson, Feenstra, Lykam, Miller-Meeks, Schultz, Taylor, Whiting and Zaun) to 2 Nos (Senators Celsi and Jochum) and will pass to the calendar as a committee bill under Rule 40.

Chairman Smith recognized Senator Chapman for opening remarks on [SJR 9](#) and amendment .69. A voice vote was requested on .69. Amendment .69 passed with a vote of 14 AYES to 1 NO (Senator Celsi). A roll call vote was requested and held on [SJR 9](#) as amended. [SJR 9](#), as amended, passed with 10 Ayes (Senators Smith, Johnson, Chapman, Cournoyer, Dawson, Feenstra, Miller-Meeks, Schultz, Whiting and Zaun) and 5 Nos (Senators Bisignano, Celsi, Jochum, Lykam and Taylor). [SJR 9](#), as amended, passes to the calendar as a committee bill under Rule 40.

Seeing no other committee business Senator Bisignano moved the committee adjourn at 1:50 pm.

Senator Roby Smith

Carrie Genest, Committee Secretary