

Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for VETERANS AFFAIRS

Date: *February 18, 2020*

Location: *RM 24*

Convened: *11:00 AM*

Adjourned: *11:45 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Carlin-CH, Miller-Meeks-VC, Taylor, R.-RM, Costello, Dawson, Dotzler, Edler, Giddens, Koelker, Lofgren, Ragan

Absent:

Excused:

On February 18, 2020 at 11:00 A.M., an immediate Senate Veterans Affairs meeting was held in room 24.

The roll was taken, all members were present.

The minutes from February 13, 2020 were distributed electronically. Senator Taylor made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Short form vote was made, the minutes were approved

At this time both parties went to caucus.

Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Edler for [SSB 3044](#). The floor was open for discussion. There was an amendment. Short form vote was called, the amendment passed, the nay votes were Senator R. Taylor, Senator Dotzler, Senator Giddens, and Senator Ragan. With no further discussion Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Edler for closing remarks. Short-form vote was called the vote 7(aye)- 4(nay)-0(excused) the nay votes were Senator R. Taylor, Senator Dotzler, Senator Giddens, and Senator Ragan. [SSB 3044](#) moves to the Senate Floor as a committee bill under Rule 40 as amended.

Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Dawson for [SSB 3100](#). The floor was open for discussion. With no further discussion Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Dawson for closing remarks. Short-form vote was called the vote 11(aye)- 0(nay)-0(excused). [SSB 3100](#) passed the Senate Veterans Affairs committee as a whole and moves to the Senate Floor.

Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Koelker [SSB 3145](#). The floor was open for discussion. With no further discussion Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Koelker for closing remarks. Short-form vote was called the vote 11(aye)- 0(nay)-0(excused). [SSB 3145](#) passed the Senate Veterans Affairs committee as a whole and moves to the Senate Floor.

Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Koelker for [SSB 3168](#). The floor was open for discussion. With no further discussion Chairperson Carlin recognized Senator Koelker for closing remarks. Short-form vote was called the vote 11(aye)- 0(nay)-0(excused). [SSB 3145](#) passed the Senate Veterans Affairs committee as a whole and moves to the Senate Floor.

With no further business to come before the committee Senator Dotzler moved to adjourn the committee at 11:45 P.M.

Senator Jim Carlin

Talynn Griggs, Committee Secretary