

\*House Committee\*

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: *February 1, 2022*

Location: *RM 103, Sup. Ct. Chamber*

Convened: *3:30 PM*

Recessed: *3:35 PM*

Reconvened: *4:15 PM*

Adjourned: *4:50 PM*

### Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Kaufmann-CH, Boden-VC, Mascher-RM, Bacon, Bloomingdale, Bossman, Cohoon, Donahue, Gjerde, Hunter, Jacobsen, Jones, Lundgren, Meyer, A., Mitchell, Moore, T., Nielsen, Nordman, Siegrist, Winckler, Wolfe

Absent:

Excused: Representatives Kurth, Sexton

On February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 Chairman Kaufmann announced at 3:32 PM both parties would immediately caucus.

On February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 At 4:18 pm the State Government committee convened in the Supreme court chamber. Chair Kaufmann approved minutes of the previous State Government committee meeting.

The clerk called roll and a quorum was present with two excused (Kurth and Sexton). Chairman Kaufmann assigned the following bills. [HSB 641](#) (Representatives Sexton (Chair), Moore, Cohoon). [HSB 640](#) (Representatives Jones (Chair), Bacon, Winckler). [HSB 642](#) Representatives Siegrist (Chair), Bossman, Hunter). [HSB 649](#) (Representatives Nordman (Chair), Boden, Wolfe). [HF 2108](#) (Representatives Jones (Chair), Sexton, Nielsen). [HF 2071](#) (Representatives Bacon (Chair), Bossman, Donahue).

Chairman Kaufmann postponed discussion of [HSB 606](#) until the next State government meeting on February 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Moore for opening statements on [HSB 567](#). Representative Moore made comments and opened discussion for [HSB 567](#). Discussion was had. Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Moore for closing statements. Representative Moore moved the bill and Chair Kaufmann asked clerk to call roll. With 21 Yea and 0 Nay with 2 excused (Kurth and Sexton) the bill moved to the floor as a committee bill.

Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Bacon for opening statements on [HSB 573](#). Representative Bacon, proposed amendment .2746. Chair Kaufmann called for discussion on the amendment. With no discussion, Chair Kaufmann called for vote short form on amendment .2746. Amendment .2746 passed short form. Chair called for discussion on [HSB 573](#), as amended. Discussion was had. Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Bacon for closing statements. Representative Bacon moved the bill as amended and Chair Kaufmann asked clerk to call roll. With 21 Yea and 0 Nay with 2 excused (Sexton and Kurth) the bill [HSB 573](#) as amended moved to the floor as a committee bill.

Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Bloomingdale for opening statements on [HSB 576](#). Chair Kaufmann opened discussion for [HSB 576](#). Discussion was had. Representative Bloomingdale moved the bill. Chair Kaufmann asked the clerk to call roll. With 21 Yea and 0 Nay with 2 excused (Sexton and Kurth) the bill moved to the floor as a committee bill.

Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Bossman for opening statements on [HSB 605](#). Chair Kaufmann opened discussion for [HSB 605](#). Discussion was had. Representative Bossman moved the bill. Chair Kaufmann asked the clerk to call roll. With 20 Yea (Representatives Kaufmann, Boden, Mascher, Bacon, Bloomingdale, Bossman, Cohoon, Donahue, Gjerde, Jacobsen, Jones, Lundgren, Meyer, A., Mitchell, Moore, T., Nielsen, Nordman, Siegrist, Winckler, Wolfe) and 1 Nay (Representative Hunter) the bill moved to the floor as a committee bill.

Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Lundgren for opening statements on [HF 2012](#). Representative Lundgren proposed amendment .2793. Representative Kaufmann opened up for discussion on amendment .2793. There was discussion. Chair Kaufmann called for vote on amendment .2793 short form. Amendment .2793 passed short form. Chair Kaufmann opened discussion for [HF 2012](#) as amended, Discussion was had. Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Lundgren for closing comments on [HF 2012](#) as amended. Representative Lundgren moved the bill. Chair Kaufmann asked the clerk to call roll. With 12 yea (Kaufmann, Boden, Bacon, Bloomingdale, Bossman, Jacobsen, Lundgren, A. Meyer, Mitchell, T. Moore, Nordman, Siegrist) and 9 Nay (Mascher, Cohoon, Donahue, Gjerde, Jones, Hunter, Nielsen, Winckler, Wolfe) with 2 excused (Kurth and Sexton) the bill [HF 2012](#) as amended, moved to the floor as a committee bill.

Chair Kaufmann recognized Representative Jones for opening comments on [HSB 603](#). Chair Kaufmann called for discussion on [HSB 603](#). With no discussion to be had Representative Jones moved [HSB 603](#). Chair Kaufmann asked the clerk to call roll. With 21 Ayes 0 Nays with 2 excused (Kurth and Sexton) [HSB 603](#) moved to the floor as a committee bill.

With no business to follow, Representative Mascher moved to arise at 4:50pm

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Representative Bobby Kaufmann

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Mitchell Ireland, Committee Secretary