Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for EDUCATION

Date: *February 3, 2022*

Location: Room 116

Convened: *11:05 AM*

Adjourned: 12:05 PM

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Sinclair-CH, Taylor, J.-VC, Quirmbach-RM, Carlin, Celsi, Cournoyer, Giddens, Goodwin, Johnson, Kraayenbrink, Rozenboom, Smith, J., Sweeney, Trone Garriott, Zaun

Absent:

Excused:

Chair Sinclair called the meeting to order at 11:05. Attendance was taken silently by the secretary with it being noted the Democrats were already caucusing. The minutes from the February 2, 2022 meeting were approved that had been distributed electronically. Chair Sinclair said they would be doing two bills today, <u>SSB 3079</u>, with amendment and <u>SSB 3080</u> with amendment. The Republicans then went to caucus at 11:07 and reconvened at 11:38.

Chair Sinclair turned the chair over to Vice Chair Taylor who recognized Senator Sinclair for <u>SSB 3079</u>. She submitted her subcommittee report signed by Senators Sinclair, Taylor & Quirmbach. Opening comments were given on the bill. There was an amendment and opening comments were given on it as well. There was discussion on the amendment. After closing remarks, a motion was made to move the amendment. Shortform was requested and it passed by a voice vote unanimously. There was no discussion on the bill as amended. Closing comments were made and the bill was moved, as amended, with a shortform vote. Passed on a voice vote unanimously and it passed out under Rule 40.

Vice Chair Taylor again recognized Chair Sinclair for <u>SSB 3090</u>. Subcommittee report was turned in with Senators Sinclair & Cournoyer signing the report. She then gave opening comments & then went to the amendment. Opening comments were made and there was discussion and closing comments followed. A shortform vote was requested for the amendment and it passed with a voice vote unanimously. Back to the bill, as amended, with discussion. Closing remarks were given and a record roll call was requested. The bill, as amended, passed 10-5 under Rule 40. Those voting yea: Sinclair, Taylor, Carlin, Cournoyer, Goodwin, Johnson, Kraayenbrink, Rozenboom, Sweeney, and Zaun. Those voting nay: Quirmbach, Celsi, Giddens, J Smith, and Trone Garriott.

Chair Sinclair noted to make sure and look at your committee assignments and get any subs planned in the next two weeks.

Senator Goodwin moved to adjourn.

Senator Amy Sinclair