COMMITTEE MINUTES for ECONOMIC GROWTH

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Date:	January 15, 2008		Place:	Rm 102, Supreme Court Consult Rm		
Convened:	1/15/2008	Recessed:	Reconve	ened:	Adjourned:	1/15/2008

Present: Representatives Thomas-CH, Staed-VC, Hoffman-RM, Anderson, Bailey, Clute, Ford, Granzow, Horbach, May, Miller, H., Olson, D., Olson, T., Schickel, Schueller, Van Fossen, Wenthe, Wiencek, Wise

Absent: None

Excused: Representatives Dandekar, Petersen

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Chairman Thomas called the meeting to order. Roll call was taken with 18 members present and 2 excused.

Chairman Thomas sent HF 97, relating to distress for counties under the enterprise zone program back to original committee members: Bailey, chair with members, Anderson and Schueller. HF 763 (formerly HF 100), also relating to distress criteria under the enterprise zone was assigned to Bailey, chr., Anderson and Schueller.

Chairman Thomas welcomed members and guests and introduced new faces to the committee. The committee rules were agreed upon as set last year. Chairman Thomas talked on last year's achievements and goals for this session. Vice Chairman Staed and Ranking Member Hoffman also commented on accomplishments they would like this session.

Chairman Thomas informed the committee on the Pioneer-Dupont Legislative Briefing to be held on next Tues., Jan. 22 at the Wallace Building Auditorium. Handouts were also provided for this meeting.

Rep. D. Olson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned.

Representative Roger Thomas

Rosemary Thomas, Committee Secretary