COMMITTEE MINUTES for
STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: March 19, 2008 **Place:** Room 22

Convened: 3/19/2008 2:00 PM **Recessed:** **Reconvened:** **Adjourned:** 3/19/2008 2:45 PM

Present: Senators Connolly-CH, Horn-VC, Zieman-RM, Appel, Behn, Danielson, Gaskill, Hahn, Kettering, Kibbie, Schmitz, Wood

Absent: None

Excused: Senators Black, Hatch, McKibben

Senator Connolly called the meeting to order. Following roll call, the minutes from the previous meeting were approved as distributed. A list of bills and subcommittee assignments was handed out.

The chair discussed procedures and a timetable for committee action on the Governor's appointments. A timetable handout was distributed.

The chair recognized Senator Danielson to take up HF 2547, a bill for an act modifying provisions relating to statewide licensure and certification of electricians and alarm system contractors and installers, and providing an effective date. Senators Danielson, Horn and Zieman signed the subcommittee report recommending passage. The HF 2547 was approved unanimously on short form vote. The bill was moved to the Senate calendar.

The chair recognized Senator Danielson to take up HF 2411, a bill for an act providing for changes in electrician licensure requirements for specified licensure classifications, and providing an effective date. Senators Danielson, Horn and Zieman signed the subcommittee report recommending passage. HF 2411 was approved unanimously on short form vote. The bill was moved to the Senate calendar.

The chair recognized Senator Danielson to take up HF 2410, a bill for an act relating to alarm system installer or contractor certification and electrician licensure provisions, and providing an effective date. Senators Danielson, Horn and Behn, signed the subcommittee report recommending passage. The HF 2410 was approved unanimously on short form vote. The bill was moved to the Senate calendar.

The chair recognized Senator Danielson to take up HF 2390, a bill for an act relating to the licensing and regulation of plumbers and mechanical professionals and providing effective dates. Senators Danielson and Horn signed the subcommittee report recommending passage. Senator Zieman did not sign the report. After discussion it was decided to defer final action on the bill until the next committee meeting.

There being no further business, Senator Behn moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Senator Michael Connolly

Martha Connolly, Committee Secretary