COMMITTEE MINUTES for
STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: March 27, 2008 **Place:** Rm 103, Supreme Court Chamber

Convened: 3/27/2008 1:05 PM **Recessed:** 3/27/2008 1:10 PM **Reconvened:** 3/27/2008 1:25 PM **Adjourned:** 3/27/2008 1:50 PM

Present: Representatives Mascher-CH, Wessel-Kroeschell-VC, Boal-RM, Abdul-Samad, Drake, Gaskill, M., Greiner, Jacobs, Jacoby, Jochum, Kaufmann, Lensing, Miller, L., Pettengill, Raecker, Roberts, Shomshor, Taylor, T., Wendt, Whitead

Absent: None

Excused: Representative Quirk

The meeting was convened at 1:00.

The roll call was taken.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Democrats and Republicans caucused at 1:05.

Democrats and Republicans returned from caucus at 1:25.

The chair recognized Rep. Jochum for consideration of SF 2355, Ch. Jochum, Jacobs, Lensing. A bill for an act providing time off from work to attend presidential precinct caucuses and making penalties applicable. (Formerly SF 2188.)

Rep. Jochum moved SF 2355.

SF 2355 passed, 17 ayes 3 Nays 1 absent.

SF 2355 moved to the house floor as a senate file.

Chairwoman Mascher, temporarily gave up the gavel to Vice-Chairwoman Wessel-Kroeschell for consideration of SF 2131.

The temporary chair asked for unanimous consent to consider SF 2131 as a subcommittee of the whole.

There were no objections to consider SF 2131 as a subcommittee of the whole.

The temporary chair recognized Rep. Mascher for consideration of SF 2131, as a subcommittee of the whole.

Rep. Mascher moved SF 2131, on a voice vote.

The temporary chair dissolved the subcommittee of the whole.

SF 2131 passed out of the subcommittee of the whole, and moved to the state government committee for consideration.

The temporary chair recognized Rep. Mascher for consideration of SF 2131.

Rep. Mascher moved SF 2131.

SF 2131 passed, 19 ayes, 0 nays, 2 absent.

SF 2131 having recieved a constitutional majority moved tot he house floor as a senate file.

Rep. Taylor moved to adjourn at 1:50.

Representative Mary Mascher

Jesse Tangkhpanya, Committee Secretary