

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: April 03, 2008

Place: Room 22

Convened: 4/3/2008 8:00 AM
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Reconvened:

Adjourned: 4/3/2008 8:50 AM

Present: Senators Hatch-CH, Kreiman-VC, Johnson-RM, Ragan, Seymour
Representatives Foege-CH, Gayman-VC, Heaton-RM, Abdul-Samad, Granzow, Miller, L.,
Palmer, Smith, Tomenga

Absent: None

Excused: None

Senator Hatch called the meeting to order at 8:00AM. Roll call was taken and attendance recorded. Minutes of the last meeting were approved as drafted.

Democrats went to caucus; the meeting was at ease until 8:15AM.

Senator Hatch introduced the HHS appropriations bill, LSB 5002JA, and moved the first amendment, LSB 5002JA.512. Patty Funaro and John Pollock, LSA, explained the corrections that are in the amendment. The amendment passed both Senate and House sub-committees unanimously on a voice vote.

Representative Tomenga moved amendment LSB 5002JA. The amendment failed both Senate and House sub-committees on a voice vote.

Senator Hatch moved amendment LSB 5002JA.000. The amendment passed both Senate and House sub-committees on a voice vote.

Members had discussion regarding the bill. Senator Hatch moved the bill, and it passed both the House and Senate sub-committees. Those senators voting aye: Senator Hatch, Senator Kreiman, Senator Ragan, and Senator Seymour. Those voting no: Senator Johnson. The bill passed the Senate sub-committee 4-1. House members voting aye: Representative Foege, Representative Gayman, Representative Abdul-Samad, Representative Palmer, Representative Smith. Those voting no: Representative Heaton, Representative Granzow, Representative Miller, Representative Tomenga. The bill passed the House sub-committee 5-4.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50AM.

Senator Jack Hatch

Susan Salter, Committee Secretary