COMMITTEE MINUTES for
STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: April 15, 2008 **Place:** Room 22

Convened: 4/15/2008 3:35 PM **Recessed:** **Reconvened:** **Adjourned:** 4/15/2008 3:40 PM

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

Absent: None

Excused: Senator Black

Senator Connolly called the meeting to order. Following roll call, the minutes from the previous meeting were approved as distributed.

Senator Connolly asked unanimous consent to move to the committee as a whole to take up the leadershop bill, Senate File 2414. Without objection, it was so ordered. Senator Connolly recognized Senator Kibbie to take up SF 2414, a bill for an act prohibiting the use of campaign funds as compensation to a candidate and providing an effective date. After discussion, the bill was approved unanimously in subcommittee on short form vote. The bill was moved to the full committee. The subcommittee of the whole was disolved and returned to the standing committee.

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There being no further business, Senator Appel moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously on short form vote.

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Senator Michael Connolly

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Martha Connolly, Committee Secretary