## COMMITTEE MINUTES for APPROPRIATIONS

**Date:** April 22, 2008 **Place:** Rm 103, Supreme Court Chamber

Convened: 4/22/2008 Recessed: Reconvened: Adjourned: 4/22/2008

12:55 PM 3:05 PM

Present: Representatives Oldson-CH, Kuhn-VC, Raecker-RM, Alons, Berry, Chambers, Cohoon,

Dandekar, Dolecheck, Foege, Ford, Gayman, Heaton, Hunter, Huseman, Jacoby, Lukan,

Reichert, Schickel, Taylor, T., Watts, Wenthe, Winckler

**Absent:** None

**Excused:** Representatives De Boef, Roberts

Chairperson Oldson called the meeting to order at 12:55 p.m. Roll was called; a quorum was present. Members who were not yet in attendance were excused. Representatives De Boef and Roberts were excused for the entire meeting. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

Chairperson Oldson announced the appointment of the following subcommittee on SF 2411: Cohoon - chair, Schickel and Taylor, T.

The committee recessed at 12:55 p.m. for caucuses of both parties. The committee reconvened at 2:00 p.m.

Chairperson Oldson asked for and received unanimous consent to meet as a committee of the whole.

Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Reichert for consideration of SF 2422. Rep. Reichert explained the proposed legislation. The following members were recognized for comments and questions: Representatives Raecker, Watts and Heaton. Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Reichert for closing remarks. Rep. Reichert moved that SF 2422 be sent to the full committee for consideration. Short form was requested. The motion was adopted.

Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Taylor for consideration of HSB 796. Rep. Taylor explained the proposed legislation. The following members were recognized for comments and questions: Representatives Heaton (twice), Winckler, Alons (twice) and Raecker. Jennifer Acton of the Legislative Services Agency responded to questions from members. Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Taylor for closing remarks. Rep. Taylor moved that HSB 796 be sent to the full committee for consideration. Short form was requested. The motion was adopted.

Chairperson Oldson asked for and received unanimous consent to dissolve the committee of the whole and return to the full appropriations committee.

Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Reichert for consideration of SF 2422. There was no discussion. Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Reichert for closing remarks. Rep. Reichert moved that SF 2422 be sent to House for consideration. Roll was called. The results of the vote were 15 ayes, 8 nays and 2 absences. The bill is sent to the House with a recommendation of Do Pass.

Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Taylor for consideration of HSB 796. There was no discussion. Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Taylor for closing remarks. Rep. Taylor moved that HSB 796 be sent to the House for consideration. Roll was called. The results of the vote were 14 ayes, 9 nays and 2 absences. The bill goes to the House as a committee bill with a recommendation of Do Pass.

Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Jacoby for consideration of LSB 6676. Rep. Jacoby explained the proposed legislation. Chairperson Oldson recognized Rep. Jacoby for amendment 701. Rep. Jacoby explained the amendment and moved its adoption. Short form was requested. The amendment was adopted. The committee returned to consideration of LSB 6676 as amended. The following

members were recognized for comments a Lukan, Raecker, and Heaton. Chairpers final remarks. Rep. Jacoby moved that	J 1
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recommendation of Do Pass.	
Representative Jo Oldson	

Cathy Jury, Committee Secretary