

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
JUSTICE SYSTEM APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: February 19, 2009

Place: Room 24

Convened: 2/19/2009
10:35 AM

Recessed:

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Adjourned: 2/19/2009
11:25 AM

Present: Senators Hancock-CH, Hogg-VC, Noble-RM, Fraise, Zaun
Representatives Taylor, T.-CH, Palmer-VC, Worthan-RM, Anderson, Tjepkes, Willems,
Zirkelbach

Absent: None

Excused: Representatives Horbach, Olson, R.

The meeting convened at 10:35 am. Minutes of the February 17, 2009 meeting were approved and attendance was taken.

Mr John Baldwin, director of the Department of Corrections and Mr. Gary Hinzman, director of the 6th CBC District programs for persons in the corrections system with mental health issues.

At the request of Representative Tjepkes, Mr. Baldwin agreed to provide statistics concerning the incidence of mental health diagnoses in the general population to parallel those he provided concerning the incarcerated population.

Other questions and discussion followed.

The committee moved to arise at 11:25 am.

Senator Tom Hancock

Mardi Deluhery, Committee Secretary