

Date:	February 26, 2009	Place:	Rm 102, Supreme Court Consult Rm	
Convened:	2/26/2009 12:05 PM	Recessed:	Reconvened:	Adjourned: 2/26/2009 12:55 PM
Present:	Representatives Zirkelbach-CH, Whitead-VC, Windschitl-RM, Alons, Bailey, Bukta, Ficken, Gayman, Kearns, Mascher, Rants, Sweeney, Taylor, D., Thomas, Tymeson, Watts			
Absent:	None			
Excused:	Representative Van Engelenhoven			

Kearns, Mascher, Rants, Sweeney, Taylor, Thomas, Tymeson,
Nays: Watts
Absent: Van Engelenhoven

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Thomas for opening remarks on HSB 65, a study bill concerning the definition of veteran.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Thomas to explain Amendment 201.

Chair Zirkelbach asked for comments. Representative Alons made a comment.

A voice vote was taken, and the amendment passed.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Thomas for closing remarks on HSB 65.

Representative Thomas moved the bill. A roll call vote was taken with 16 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent. HSB 65 passed out of the committee as a whole.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Thomas for opening remarks on HSB 129, a study bill for requiring record checks for persons who are prospective or current employees or volunteers for the Iowa veterans home.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Thomas to explain Amendment 201.

Chair Zirkelbach asked for comments. A few representatives made comments.

A voice vote was taken and the amendment passed.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Thomas for closing remarks on HSB 129.

Representative Thomas moved the bill. A roll call vote was taken with 16 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent. HSB 129 passed out of the committee as a whole.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Alons for opening remarks on HSB 179, a study bill for correcting references in the Code relating to the United States department of veterans affairs.

Chair Zirkelbach asked for comments.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Alons for closing remarks on HSB 179.

Representative Alons moved the bill. A roll call vote was taken with 16 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent. HSB 179 passed out of the committee as a whole.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Tymeson for opening remarks on HF 250, a bill for an act creating a distinguished flying cross special motor vehicle registration plate and providing fees.

Chair Zirkelbach asked for comments. A few representatives made comments.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Tymeson for closing remarks on HF 250.

Representative Tymeson moved the bill. A roll call vote was taken with 16 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent. HF 250 passed out of the committee as a whole.

As there was no further business, Representative Watts moved for the meeting to adjourn.

Representative Ray S. Zirkelbach

Amy Hein, Committee Secretary