COMMITTEE MINUTES for STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: March 12, 2009 **Place:** Rm 103, Supreme Court Chamber

Convened: 3/12/2009 Recessed: Reconvened: Adjourned: 3/12/2009

4:50 PM

4:05 PM

Present: Representatives Mascher-CH, Beard-VC, Struyk-RM, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, M.,

Isenhart, Kaufmann, Koester, Lensing, Pettengill, Quirk, Raecker, Roberts, Schulte,

Shomshor, Taylor, T., Wendt, Willems

Absent: None

Excused: Representative Rants

The meeting was called to order by Chair Mascher at 4:05 p.m.

Attendance was taken. A quorum was present. Excused: Rants

The Minutes of the 3-11-09 Meeting were approved as printed.

HF 458 was considered:

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks of HF 458.

Discussion was held.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Comments on HF 458.

Rep. Lensing moved HF 458.

Roll Call Vote: 19 Ayes 1 Nay Absent: Rants

Ayes: Mascher, Beard, Struyk, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, Isenhart, Kaufmann, Koester, Lensing, Pettengill, Quirk, Raecker, Roberts, Schulte, Shomshor, Taylor, T., Wendt

Nay: Willems

HF 458 passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Committee Bill.

HF 572 was considered.

The Chair recognized Rep. Schulte for Opening Remarks on HF 572.

Discussion was held.

The Chair recognized Rep. Schulte for Closing Comments on HF 572.

Rep. Schulte moved HF 572.

Roll Call Vote: 20 Ayes 0 Nay Absent: Rants All those present voted aye.

HF 572 passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Committee Bill.

HSB 13 was considered:

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on HSB 13.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on Amendment 501 (Strike-after Amendment)

Discussion was held.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Remarks on Amendment 501.

Rep. Lensing moved Amendment 501.

Amendment 501 to HSB 13 passed by Voice Vote.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Comments on HSB 13 as amended.

Rep. Lensing moved HSB 13 as amended.

Roll Call Vote: 20 Ayes 0 Nays Absent: Rants All those present voted aye.

HSB 13 as amended passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Committee Bill.

HF 599 was considered.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on HF 599.

Discussion was held.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Comments on HF 599.

Rep. Lensing moved HF 599.

Roll Call Vote: 13 Ayes 7 Nays Absent: Rants

Ayes: Mascher, Beard, Cohoon, Frevert, Gaskill, Isenhart, Lensing, Quirk, Shomshor, Struyk, Taylor, T., Wendt, Willems

Nays: Drake, Kaufmann, Koester, Pettengill, Raecker, Roberts, Schulte

HF 599 passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Committee Bill.

HF 602 was considered:

The Chair recognized Rep. Isenhart for Opening remarks on HF 602.

Discussion was held.

The Chair recognized Rep. Isenhart for Closing Comments on HF 602.

Rep. Isenhart moved HF 602.

Roll Call Vote: 20 Ayes 0 Nays Absent: Rants All those present voted aye.

HF 602 passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Committee Bill.

Vice Chair Beard assumed as Chair of the meeting for purposes of Bill consideration.

HSB 229 was considered:

The Vice Chair recognized Rep. Mascher for Opening Remarks on HSB 229.

The Vice Chair recognized Rep. Mascher for Opening Remarks on Amendment 504(Strike-after Amendment)

Discussion was held.

The Vice Chair recognized Rep. Mascher for Closing Comments on Amendment 504.

Rep. Mascher moved Amendment 504.

Amendment 504 to HSB 229 passed by Voice Vote.

The Vice Chair recognized Rep. Mascher for Closing Comments on HSB 229 as amended.

Roll Call Vote: 19 Ayes 1 Nay Absent: Rants

Ayes: Mascher, Beard, Struyk, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, Isenhart, Kaufmann, Koester, Lensing, Pettengill, Quirk, Raecker, Roberts, Schulte, Shomshor, Taylor, T., Willems

Nay: Wendt

HSB 229 as amended passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Committee Bill.

Rep. Mascher resumed as Chair of the Meeting.

HSB 234 was considered:

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on HSB 234.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on Amendment 502 (Strike-after Amendment)

Discussion was held.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Comments on Amendment 502.

Rep. Lensing moved Amendment 502.

Amendment 502 to HSB 234 passed by Voice Vote.

The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Comments on HSB 234 as amended.

Rep. Lensing moved HSB 234 as amended.

Roll Call Vote: 20 Ayes 0 Nays Absent: Rants All those presented voted aye.

HSB 234 as amended passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as Committee Bill.

Rep. Roberts asked for unanimous consent to consider HF 258 as a committee of the whole. There was an objection.

Rep. Roberts moved to consider HF 258.

Roll Call Vote: 8 Ayes 12 Nays Absent: Rants

Ayes: Struyk, Drake, Kaufmann, Koester, Pettengill, Raecker, Roberts, Schulte

Nays: Mascher, Beard, Cohoon, Frevert, Gaskill, Isenhart, Lensing, Quirk, Shomshor, Taylor, T., Wendt, Willem.

The motion to consider HF 258 Failed.

Rep. Willems moved to adjourn at 4:50 p.m.

Mary Ann Ahrens, Committee Secretary