COMMITTEE MINUTES for STATE GOVERNMENT

Date:	March 26, 2009		Pl	lace:	Rm 103, Supreme Court Chamber		
Convened:	3/26/2009 8:00 AM	Recessed:	3/26/2009 8:05 AM	Reconvo	ened: 3/26/2009 8:25 AM	Adjourned:	3/26/2009 8:55 AM
Present:	Representatives Mascher-CH, Struyk-RM, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, M., Isenhart, Kaufmann, Koester, Lensing, Pettengill, Quirk, Raecker, Rants, Roberts, Schulte, Taylor, T., Wendt, Willems						
Absent:	None						
Excused:	Representatives Beard-VC, Shomshor						
The meeting was called to order by Chair Mascher at 8:00 a.m.							
Attendance was taken. A quorum was present. Excused: Beard, Shomshor							
The Minutes of the 3-25-09 Meeting were approved as printed.							
The Democrats and Republicans caucused at 8:05 a.m.							
Chair Mascher reconvened the meeting at 8:25 a.m.							
The following Bill was read in:							
SF 226 Frevert CH, Beard, Struyk							
The following Bills were considered:							
The Chair recognized Rep. Quirk for Opening Remarks on SF 224.							
The Chair recognized Rep. Struyk for Opening Remarks on Amendment 704 to SF 224.							
Discussion was held.							
The Chair recognized Rep. Struyk for Closing Comments on Amendment 704.							
Amendment 704 Failed by Voice Vote.							
Rep. Quirk moved SF 224.							
Roll Call Vote: 15 Aye 4 Nay Absent: Beard, Shomshor							
Aye: Mascher, Struyk, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill Isenhart, Koester, Lensing, Quirk, Rants, Schulte, Taylor, T., Wendt, Willems							
Nay: Kaufmann, Pettengill, Raecker, Roberts							
SF 224 passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Senate Bill.							
The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on SF 420.							
Discussion was held.							
The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Comments on							

SF 420. Rep. Lensing moved SF 420. Roll Call Vote: 19 Aye 0 Nay Absent: Beard, Shomshor All those present voted aye. Aye: Mascher, Struyk, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, Isenhart, Kaufmann, Koester, Lensing, Pettengill, Quirk, Raecker, Rants, Roberts, Schulte, Taylor, T., Wendt, Willems SF 420 passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Senate Bill. The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on SF 447. Discussion was held. Rep. Lensing moved SF 447. Roll Call Vote: 18 Aye 1 Nay Absent: Beard, Shomshor Aye: Mascher, Struyk, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, Isenhart, Kaufmann, Koester, Lensing, Pettengill, Quirk, Rants, Roberts, Schulte, Taylor, T. Wendt, Willems Nay: Raecker SF 447 passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a Senate Bill. The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on HF 777. The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Opening Remarks on Amendment 702 to HF 777. Discussion was held. Rep. Lensing moved Amendment 702. Amendment 702 passed by Voice Vote. The Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for Closing Comments on HF 777 as amended. Rep. Lensing moved HF 777 as amended. Roll Call Vote: 19 Aye 0 Nay Absent: Beard, Shomshor All those present voted aye. Aye: Mascher, Struyk, Cohoon, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, Isenhart, Kaufmann, Koester, Lensing, Pettengill Quirk, Raecker, Rants, Roberts, Schulte, Taylor, T., Wendt, Willems. HF 777 as amended passed by constitutional majority and will move to the House Floor for debate as a House Bill. Rep. Kaufmann moved adjournment at 8:55 a.m.

Representative Mary Mascher

Mary Ann Ahrens, Committee Secretary