

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: January 28, 2010

Place: Room 19

Convened: 1/28/2010
10:00 AM

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Adjourned: 1/28/2010
11:40 AM

Present: Senators Schoenjahn-CH, Quirmbach-VC, Boettger-RM, Horn
Representatives Winckler-CH, Hanson-VC, Dolecheck-RM, Chambers, Ficken, Frevert,
Koester, May, Wenthe

Absent: None

Excused: Senator Feenstra

Senator Schoenjahn called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M. Minutes approved as published. Senator Schoenjahn recognized Dr. Gail Moorman Behrens, Director of Teacher Education at Upper Iowa University.

Presentation from Allan Nelson, Clayton Ridge School, regarding blended education technology. Questions followed.

Presentation from John Carver and students, Van Meter School, demonstrated virtual reality classroom technology and the 1:1 laptop initiative.

Brief discussions took place regarding the technology initiatives occurring in Iowa.

Senator Quirmbach moved to arise at 11:40 A.M.

Senator Brian Schoenjahn

Jodi Grover, Committee Secretary