COMMITTEE MINUTES for
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Date: February 10, 2010 **Place:** Rm 102, Supreme Court Consult Rm

Convened: 2/10/2010 1:05 PM **Recessed:** **Reconvened:** **Adjourned:** 2/10/2010 2:15 PM

Present: Representatives Olson, D.-CH, Kearns-VC, Olson, S.-RM, Anderson, Deyoe, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, M., Gayman, Hagenow, Hanson, Kressig, Lensing, Lukan, Miller, H., Reichert, Schultz, Smith, Soderberg, Watts, Whitead

Absent: None

Excused: None

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 1:06 pm in room 102. Roll was called and a quorum was present.

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

The following bills were assigned:
HSB 717 - A study bill relating to motor fuel, by providing for a biodiesel quality standard, making penalties applicable, and including effective date provisions.
Reichert-CH, Frevert, Olson, S.

The committee dissolved at 1:08 pm for caucus to discuss HSB 587, HSB 660, HSB 662, HF 823 and amendments.

Upon reconvening at 1:37 pm, the Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for an introduction of HSB 587. The Chair then recognized Rep. Lensing for an introduction of amendment 735. Following discussion, Rep. Lensing moved the amendment. Amendment 735 passed on a voice vote. The Chair opened the floor to discussion of HSB 587 as amended. Following discussion, the Chair recognized Rep. Lensing for closing remarks. Rep. Lensing then moved the bill. Roll was called and the bill passed with all present voting aye. The bill will move to the House floor as a Committee Bill.

Rep. D. Olson turned the Chair over to Rep. Kearns. The Chair recognized Rep. D. Olson for an introduction of HSB 660. The Chair then recognized Rep. D. Olson for opening remarks on amendment 797. Following discussion, the Chair recognized Rep. D. Olson to move the amendment. Amendment 797 passed on a voice vote. Following additional comments the Chair recognized Rep. D. Olson for closing remarks on HSB 660. Rep. D. Olson moved HSB 660 as amended. Roll was called and the bill passed with all present voting aye. The bill will move to the House floor as a Committee Bill.

Rep. Kearns turned the Chair over to Rep. D. Olson. The Chair recognized Rep. Kearns for an introduction of HSB 662. The Chair then recognized Rep. Kearns for an introduction of amendment 673. Following discussion, Rep. Kearns moved the amendment. Amendment 673 passed on a voice vote. The Chair opened the floor to discussion of HSB 673 as amended. Following discussion, the Chair recognized Rep. Kearns for closing remarks. Rep. Kearns then moved the bill. Roll was called and the bill passed with all present voting aye. The bill will move to the House floor as a Committee Bill.

The Chair recognized Rep. Reichert for an introduction of HF 823. The Chair then recognized Rep. Reichert for an introduction of amendment 905. Following discussion, the Chair recognized Rep. Reichert for closing remarks on the amendment. Rep. Reichert then moved the amendment. Amendment 905 passed on a voice vote. The Chair opened the floor to discussion of HF 823 as amended. Following discussion, the Chair recognized Rep. Reichert for closing remarks. Rep. Reichert moved the bill. Roll was called and the bill passed 12-9. The bill will move to the House floor as an Individually Sponsored House File 823.

With no other business to come before the committee Rep. Watts moved to arise. The meeting adjourned at 2:13 pm.

Representative Donovan Olson

Bethany Gildner, Committee Secretary