COMMITTEE MINUTES for
ECONOMIC GROWTH/REBUILD IOWA

Date: February 16, 2011 **Place:** Rm 102, Supreme Court Consult Rm

Convened: 2/16/2011 1:00 PM **Recessed:** 2/16/2011 1:05 PM **Reconvened:** 2/16/2011 1:25 PM **Adjourned:** 2/16/2011 2:00 PM

Present: Representatives Grassley-CH, Hanusa-VC, Thomas-RM, Anderson, Baltimore, Byrnes, De Boef, Hager, Hall, Heddens, Jacoby, Lofgren, Lukan, Miller, H., Rasmussen, Running-Marquardt, Schultz, Smith, J., Soderberg, Steckman, Wittneben

Absent: None

Excused: None

The Economic Growth/Rebuild Iowa Committee convened at 1:00 PM. Roll call was taken at the start of the meeting. Chair Grassley asked for any revisions to the previous meetings minutes. Hearing none, Chair Grassley moved to approve the minutes and the motion was unanimously carried.

Chair Grassley assigned the following bill assignments:
HF 263 to Smith (Chair); Lofgren, Running-Marquardt.
HF 269 to Schultz (Chair); De Boef, Steckman.
HSB 103 to Lukan (Chair); Grassley, Soderberg, Miller, Running-Marquardt.

Chair Grassley announced that members would briefly adjourn for caucus at 1:05. The committee came back to order at 1:25.

Chair Grassley recognized Representative Baltimore for opening remarks on HF 176. This is a bill for an act relating to the implementation of federal law or policy by state administrative agencies. Following his opening remarks on the main bill, Representative Baltimore gave opening remarks on Amendment 474, formally a strike after, more practically a technical amendment for HF 176. After answering questions from the committee regarding this amendment, Representative Baltimore then moved Amendment 474; the bill was carried with a majority of ayes on a voice vote.

After answering questions from the committee regarding the bill, Representative Baltimore moved HF 176; the bill was carried 13-8, those opposed: Thomas, Hall, Heddens, Jacoby, Miller, Running-Marquardt, Steckman, Wittneben. The bill will move to the House floor as a committee bill.

Chair Grassley recognized Representative Soderberg for opening remarks on HF 180. This is a bill for an act relating to the rulemaking authority and voting requirements of the environmental protection commission. After stating his opening remarks, and hearing remarks by other members of the committee, Representative Soderberg moved HF 180; the bill was carried unanimously, 21-0. The bill will move to the House floor as a committee bill.

With no further business to come before the meeting, Representative Hager moved for adjournment and the motion was unanimously carried.

The committee adjourned at 2:00 PM.

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Representative Pat Grassley

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John Lund, Committee Secretary