

COMMITTEE MINUTES for EDUCATION

Date: March 03, 2011 **Place:** Rm 102, Supreme Court Consult Rm

Convened: 3/3/2011 4:00 PM **Recessed:** 3/3/2011 4:05 PM **Reconvened:** 3/3/2011 5:40 PM **Adjourned:** 3/3/2011 7:40 PM

Present: Representatives Forristall-CH, Taylor, J.-VC, Willems-RM, Abdul-Samad, Byrnes, Chambers, Cohoon, Cownie, Dolecheck, Gaines, Hanson, Hanusa, Jorgensen, Kelley, Koester, Lofgren, Mascher, Miller, L., Pearson, Schulte, Steckman, Sweeney, Winckler

Absent: None

Excused: None

Representative Forristall (Ch) called the meeting to order at 4:00 PM.

Roll Call was taken.

Minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

The chair assigned the following bills:

HF 433--Representatives L. Miller (Ch), Forristall, Willems
HF 472--Representatives L. Miller (Ch), Forristall, Willems
HF 438--Representatives L. Miller (Ch), Forristall, Willems
HF 471--Representatives Hanusa (Ch), Pearson, Gaines
HF 488--Representatives L. Miller (Ch), Forristall, Willems

Representative Forristall distributed a list of bills to be considered during the meeting. Both parties recessed at 4:05 for caucus.

The committee reconvened at 5:40.

Representative Forristall turned the chair over to Representative J. Taylor (VC). After unanimous consent the meeting was moved to a subcommittee of the whole for consideration of HF 438 (a bill about school district health plans). Representative Forristall was recognized for opening remarks on HF 438. Representative offered Amendment 1017 and was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks. After discussion Representative Forristall was recognized for closing remarks and moved the amendment for passage. Amendment 1017 passed in short form.

The chair recognized members of the committee for questions and discussion of HF 438. Representative Forristall moved the bill for passage, and it passed on short form unanimously. After unanimous consent the committee of the whole was dissolved and the meeting continued.

Chair J. Taylor recognized Representative Forristall for opening and closing remarks on Amendment 1017. Representative Forristall moved the amendment for passage, and it passed on short form. The Chair asked for discussion and questions on HF 438. Representative Forristall was recognized for closing remarks and moved the bill as amended. HF 438 as amended passed out as a committee bill with 19 Ayes and 4 Nays (Representatives Abdul-Samad, Gaines, Mascher, Winckler).

Representative J. Taylor returned the Chair to Representative Forristall. Representative Hanusa was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks on HF 247 (a bill about Junior Reserve Officer Training). Representative Hanusa offered Amendment 940 and after comments and discussion was recognized for final comments. Representative Hanusa moved Amendment 940, and it passed on short form.

The Chair asked for discussion and questions on HF 247. Representative Hanusa was recognized for final comments and moved the bill as amended for passage. HF 247 as amended passed out as a committee bill with 19 Ayes and 4 Nays (Cohoon, Hanson, Mascher, Winckler).

Representative Forristall turned the Chair over to Representative J. Taylor. Representative Forristall was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks on HSB 146 (a bill about administrator licensure). Representative Forristall offered Amendment 831 and was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks. Discussion and comments followed. Representative Forristall was recognized for closing comments and moved Amendment 831 for passage. It passed on short form.

Representative Forristall was recognized for additional remarks on HSB 146. Discussion and questions followed. Representative Forristall was recognized by the Chair for final comments and moved the bill as amended. HSB 146 as amended passed out as a committee bill with 13 Ayes and 10 Nays (Representatives Willems, Abdul-Samad, Cohoon, Gaines, Hanson, Kelley, Mascher, Steckman, Sweeney, Winckler).

Representative Forristall was recognized by Chair J. Taylor for opening remarks on HF 379 (a bill about aid to competent private instruction). Representative Forristall offered Amendment 964 and was recognized by the Chair for opening and closing remarks. Representative Forristall moved Amendment 964 for passage, and it passed on short form unanimously.

Chair J. Taylor recognized Representative Forristall for opening remarks on HF 379 as amended. Discussion and questions followed. Representative Forristall was recognized by the Chair for closing comments and moved HF 379 as amended for passage. HF 379 as amended passed out as a committee bill with 16 Ayes and 7 Nays (Representatives Abdul-Samad, Cohoon, Gaines, Hanson, Mascher, Steckman, Winckler).

Representative J. Taylor returned the Chair to Representative Forristall. The Chair recognized Representative Pearson for opening remarks on HF 160 (a bill about parent-taught driving courses). Discussion and questions followed. Representative Pearson was recognized for closing comments and moved HF 160 for passage. It passed out as a committee bill with 14 Ayes and 9 Nays (Willems, Abdul-Samad, Cohoon, Gaines, Hanson, Kelley, Mascher, Steckman, Winckler).

Representative Dolecheck was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks on HF 167 (a bill about independent accreditation of administrators). Representative Dolecheck offered Amendment 652 and was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks. The Chair recognized Representative Dolecheck for closing remarks and Representative Dolecheck moved the amendment for passage. Amendment 652 passed on short form unanimously.

After discussion of HF 167 Representative Dolecheck was recognized for closing comments and moved HF 167 as amended for passage. It passed out as a committee bill with 14 Ayes and 9 Nays (Representatives Willems, Abdul-Samad, Cohoon, Gaines, Hanson, Kelley, Mascher, Steckman, Winckler).

Representative Forristall turned the Chair over to Representative J. Taylor (VC). Representative J. Taylor recognized Representative Forristall for opening remarks on HSB 147 (a bill about independent private instruction). Questions and discussion followed. Representative Forristall was recognized for closing remarks and moved HSB 147 for passage. HSB 147 passed out as a committee bill with 14 Ayes and 9 Nays (Representatives Willems, Abdul-Samad, Cohoon, Gaines, Hanson, Kelley, Mascher, Steckman, Winckler).

Representative J. Taylor returned the Chair over to Representative Forristall. Representative Hanusa was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks on HSB 160 (a bill about school bus inspection). Representative Hanusa offered Amendment 994. The Chair recognized Representative Hanusa for opening remarks on Amendment 994. Discussion followed. Representative Hanusa was recognized by the Chair for closing remarks and moved the amendment for passage. Amendment 994 passed on short form unanimously.

Representative Forristall asked for discussion and comments on HSB 160. Representative Hanusa was recognized by the Chair for closing remarks and moved HSB 160 for passage. HSB 160 passed out as a committee bill with 16 Ayes and 7 Nays (Representatives J. Taylor, Byrnes, Chambers, Jorgensen, L. Miller, Pearson, Schulte).

Representative Byrnes was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks on HSB 161 (a bill about community college department bills). Representative Byrnes offered Amendment 890 and was recognized by the Chair for opening and closing remarks. Representative Byrnes moved the amendment, and Amendment 890 passed on short form unanimously. Representative Byrnes was recognized for final comments on HSB 161 and moved the bill as amended for passage. HSB 161 as amended passed out as a committee bill with a unanimous vote of 23 Ayes.

The Chair recognized Representative Koester for opening remarks on HF 385 (a bill about student athlete brain protection). Amendment 935 was offered by Representative Koester. The Chair recognized Representative Koester for opening and closing remarks on the amendment. Representative Koester moved the amendment for passage, and Amendment 935 passed on short form unanimously.

The Chair asked for questions and comments on HF 385 from the committee. After discussion Representative Koester was recognized by the Chair for closing comments and moved HF 385 as amended for passage. HF 385 as amended passed out as a committee bill with a unanimous vote of 23 Ayes.

Representative Forristall (Ch) recognized Representative Abdul-Samad for opening remarks on HF 414 (a bill about tobacco products on school grounds). Representative Abdul-Samad offered Amendment 1011 and was recognized by the Chair for opening and closing remarks on the amendment. Representative Abdul-Samad moved the amendment for passage, and Amendment 1011 passed on short form unanimously.

The Chair recognized Abdul-Samad for final comments on HF 414, and Representative Abdul-Samad moved HF 414 for passage. HF 414 as amended passed out as a committee bill with a unanimous vote of 23 Ayes.

Representative Forristall (Ch) turned the Chair over to Representative J. Taylor (VC). Representative J. Taylor recognized Representative Forristall for opening remarks on HSB 144 (a bill about high school proficiency assessments). Representative Forristall offered Amendment 1020 and was recognized by the Chair for opening remarks. Discussion and questions followed. Representative Forristall was recognized by the chair for final comments and moved Amendment 1020 for passage. Amendment 1020 passed on short form unanimously.

The Chair asked for discussion and question on HSB 144. After some discussion Representative Forristall was recognized for final comments on HSB 144 and moved the bill as amended. HSB 144 as amended passed out as a committee bill with 13 Ayes and 10 Nays (Representatives Willems, Abdul-Samad, Cohoon, Gaines, Hanson, Kelley, Mascher, Steckman, Sweeney, Winckler).

As there was no other business to come before the committee, Representative Pearson moved for adjournment at 7:40.

Representative Greg Forristall

Carol Forristall, Committee Secretary