

COMMITTEE MINUTES for STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: January 24, 2012

Place: Room 103

Convened: 1/24/2012
4:20 PM

Recessed:

Reconvened:

Adjourned: 1/24/2012
5:10 PM

Present: Representatives Cownie-CH, Vander Linden-VC, Lensing-RM, Drake, Gaskill, Hein, Helland, Hunter, Isenhardt, Iverson, Jorgensen, Kajtazovic, Kaufmann, Koester, Mascher, Massie, Pettengill, Quirk, Raecker, Rogers, Schulte, Taylor, T., Wenthe

Absent: None

Excused: None

The State Government Committee was called to order by Chair Cownie at 4:20 p.m.

Roll call was taken with a quorum present.

Chair Cownie asked for any revisions to the minutes of the January 18th meeting. Hearing none, Chair Cownie moved to approve the minutes as printed.

Chair Cownie gave opening remarks and announced the following (9) bill assignments:

HJR 2002 - Iverson/Chair: Helland and Hunter
HJR 2004 - Iverson/Chair: Helland and Gaskill
SF 468 - Iverson/Chair: Helland and Mascher
HF 2015 - Pettengill/Chair: Hein and Wenthe
HF 2020 - Vander Linden/Chair: Jorgensen and Hunter
HF 2055 - Pettengill/Chair: Hein and Quirk
HF 2062 - Helland/Chair: Rogers and Isenhardt
HF 2066 - Iverson/Chair: Cownie and Kajtazovic
HF 2067 - Jorgensen/Chair: Hein and Lensing

Chair Cownie asked and received unanimous consent to assign HSB 542 to Kaufmann/Chair: Cownie and Quirk.

Chair Cownie recognizes Representative Jorgensen for opening remarks on HSB 522. A study bill for exempting review services from specified requirements otherwise applicable to the performance of attest services by out-of-state certified public accounting firms. The subcommittee report was submitted and signed by Rep. Jorgensen, Hein, and Kajtazovic. Rep. Jorgensen gave opening remarks, followed by discussion and closing remarks. Chair Cownie moved HSB 522, as a committee bill to the calendar on a roll call vote. Motion carried with 23 ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent.

Chair Cownie recognized and introduced guest speakers, Jack Ketterer, Iowa Racing & Gaming Commission and Brian Ohilorko, Iowa Racing & Gaming Commission for their presentation on the Possible Regulation of Intrastate Internet Poker in the State of Iowa and Senate File 526.

With no further business to come before the Committee, Chair Cownie moved for adjournment. Representative Jorgensen seconded the motion.

The Committee adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Representative Peter Cownie

Marlene Martens, Committee Secretary