

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for  
JUDICIARY**

**Date:** February 16, 2012

**Place:** Room 102

**Convended:** 2/16/2012 1:05 PM    **Recessed:** 2/16/2012 1:20 PM    **Reconvended:** 2/16/2012 1:45 PM    **Adjourned:** 2/16/2012 2:05 PM

**Present:** Representatives Anderson-CH, Baltimore-VC, Wolfe-RM, Alons, Gaines, Garrett, Hagenow, Heaton, Kaufmann, Lensing, Massie, Oldson, Olson, R., Olson, T., Pearson, Rogers, Smith, M., Taylor, J., Tjepkes, Wessel-Kroeschell

**Absent:** None

**Excused:** Representative Swaim

The House Judiciary Committee was called to order at 1:05 P.M. in Room 102 by Chairperson Anderson.

Roll call was taken and Chair Anderson declared a quorum was present.

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved as previously distributed.

Chair Anderson assigned and distributed the following bills:

- HF 2253 Kaufmann CH, Garrett, Wolfe
- HF 2254 Tjepkes CH, Heaton, Olson, R.
- HF 2268 Tjepkes CH, Heaton, Olson, T.
- HF 2269 Pearson CH, Kaufmann, Gaines
- HF 2277 Rogers CH, Heaton, Wolfe
- HF 2280 Massie CH, Alons, Smith, M.
- HSB 637 Anderson CH, Heaton, Lensing
- HSB 638 Rogers CH, Massie, Oldson
- HSB 639 Anderson CH, Baltimore, Olson, R.

Reassigned:

- HSB 638 Baltimore CH, Massie, Oldson

Chair Anderson recognized Representative Massie for opening comments on HSB 606. Representative Massie was recognized for opening comments on Amendment 3782. There being no discussion, Representative Massie was recognized for closing comments on Amendment 3782. Representative Massie moved passage of Amendment 3782. The amendment passed by a voice vote. There being no further discussion, Representative Massie was recognized for closing comments on HSB 606. Representative Massie moved HSB 606 as amended. Representative Hagenow seconded the motion. HSB 606 passed the Judiciary Committee 20-0, with one absent, Representative Swaim. Chair Anderson announced that HSB 606 having received a constitutional majority would pass to the Floor of the House as a committee bill.

Chair Anderson recognized Representative Tjepkes for opening comments on HSB 625. There being no discussion, Representative Tjepkes was recognized for closing comments on HSB 625. Representative Tjepkes moved HSB 625. Representative Tyler Olson seconded the motion. HSB 625 passed the Judiciary Committee 20-0, with one absent, Representative Swaim. Chair Anderson announced that HSB 625, having received a constitutional majority would pass to the Floor of the House as a committee bill.

Chair Anderson recognized Representative Hagenow for opening comments on HSB 596. Following discussion, Representative Hagenow was recognized for closing comments on HSB 596. Representative Hagenow noted that there may be a corrective amendment on the floor. Representative Hagenow moved HSB 596. HSB 596 passed the Judiciary Committee 20-0, with one absent, Representative Swaim. Chair Anderson announced that HSB 596, having received a constitutional majority would pass to the Floor of the House as a committee bill.

Chair Anderson recognized Representative Baltimore for opening comments on HSB 613. Following discussion, Representative Baltimore was recognized for closing comments on HSB 613. Representative Baltimore moved HSB 613. Representative

Alons seconded the motion. HSB 613 passed the Judiciary Committee 20-0, with one absent, Representative Swaim. Chair Anderson announced that HSB 613, having received a constitutional majority would pass to the Floor of the House as a committee bill.

Chairperson Anderson announced that they would be recessing for respective caucuses at 1:20 P.M. The House Judiciary Committee reconvened at 1:55.

Chair Anderson recognized Representative Tjepkes for opening comments on HF 2037. Representative Tjepkes was recognized for opening comments on Amendment 3850. There being no discussion, Representative Tjepkes was recognized for closing comments on Amendment 3850. Representative Tjepkes moved passage of Amendment 3850. The amendment passed by a voice vote. Discussion on HF 2037 as amended followed. Representative Rick Olson noted, with concurrence by Representative Tjepkes, that the bill will be amended on the House floor. Representative Tjepkes was recognized for closing comments on HF 2037. Representative Tjepkes moved HF 2037 as amended. Representative Alons seconded the motion. HF 2037 passed the Judiciary Committee 15-5, with one absent, Representative Swaim. Those voting nay were Representatives Wolfe, Gaines, Lensing, Oldson and Wessel-Kroeschell. Chair Anderson announced that HF 2037, having received a constitutional majority would pass to the Floor of the House as a committee bill.

There being no further business to come before the committee, Representative Massie moved to adjourn. The House Judiciary Committee adjourned at 2:03 P.M.

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Representative Richard Anderson

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Pam Anderson, Committee Secretary