Education Appropriations Subcommittee Rules

2001-2002 Biennium

- 1. A quorum of the Joint Subcommittee is declared to be a majority of the members of the House Subcommittee and a majority of the members of the Senate Subcommittee.
- 2. Final action by the Joint Subcommittee in the adoption of rules and in the making of recommendations will require, on separate roll call vote, a majority vote of the members of the House Subcommittee and a majority vote of the Senate Subcommittee. However, other action shall require only a simple majority of each chamber present.
- 3. No rule or rules of this Committee shall be suspended, altered or eliminated except by unanimous consent or by voice vote of a simple majority of Committee members of each chamber.
- 4. The Chairperson of the Senate Education Appropriations Subcommittee and the Chairperson of the House Education Appropriations Subcommittee will serve as co-chairpersons of the Joint Appropriations Subcommittee and preside as agreed to by both.
- 5. The secretary of the Senate Chairperson and the secretary of the House Chairperson will serve cooperatively as co-secretaries of the Joint Subcommittee and cooperatively keep minutes and records of the Joint Subcommittee action.
- 6. Agendas for the subcommittee meetings will be scheduled by the Subcommittee Chairpersons.
- 7. Budget recommendations approved by the Joint Subcommittee will be prepared in bill form as ordered by the Legislative Fiscal Bureau.
- 8. Budget recommendations shall not be voted upon the same day the budget request is heard.
- 9. Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure shall govern in all cases not covered by these rules or by the Joint Rules.
- 10. Smoking shall not be permitted in the committee room during the Joint Subcommittee meeting.
- 11. Cellular phone technology is to be utilized only in a silent mode of call notification.