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## COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities was scheduled for Thursday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010, for 1:00 p.m., in the Senate Hearing room of the Boji Tower.

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#### The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) Discussion of pending legislation regarding energy theft.

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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m., the delay being caused by lack of a quorum. He instructed the Clerk to call the roll. At that time, the following members were present; Chairman Patterson, Senators, Brown, Kuipers, Richardville, Olshove, and Thomas, a quorum.

ABSENT: Sen.(s) Birkholz, Nofs, Clarke and Clark-Coleman.

At 1:06 p.m., the Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Brown to approve the minutes of the February 11<sup>th</sup> committee meeting.

The motion Passed without objection.

At 1:07 p.m., the Chairman proceeded to agenda item number one. He invited Ms. Nancy Moody, Director of State Government Affairs for DTE and Mr. Mark Stadt, Manger of State Government Affairs for DTE to give an overview of the effects energy theft and the pending legislation.

At 1:08 p.m., Sen.(s) Brown and Kuipers left the meeting.

Sen.(s) Patterson, and Thomas posed questions to which the witnesses responded.

The Chairman thanked Ms. Moody and Mr. Stadt for their testimony.

At 1:30 p.m., The Chairman invited Mr. Todd Tennis of the Utility Workers Union of America to provide an overview of the effects of energy theft on utility workers.

Sen.(s) Patterson, and Thomas posed questions to which the witnesses responded.

The Chairman thanked Mr. Tennis for his testimony.

The Chairman adjourned the meeting at 1:50 p.m., on a voice vote, without objection.

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Scott Jones,  
Clerk of the Committee

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Senator Bruce Patterson,  
Chairman of the Committee

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Date Adopted by Committee