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COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

September 27, 2012

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Regulatory Reform was scheduled for Thursday, September 27, 2012, at 12:30 p.m., in Room 110 of the Farnum Building.

The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) Reported HB 4561 (S-1) with recommendation and immediate effect.
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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 12:33 p.m. He instructed the Clerk to call the roll. At that time, the following members were present; Chairman Rocca, Sen.(s) Jones, Meekhof, Pavlov, and Warren, a quorum.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Meekhof to adopt the minutes of the September 13, 2012, committee meeting. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Meekhof to excuse absent members. Without objection, Sen. Hune was excused.

The Chairman invited Representative Haveman to summarize HB 4561 (S-1) for the committee.

The Chairman invited the following people to testify before the committee regarding HB 4561.

- Mr. Lynn Briggs, Contractors Legislative Services—Oppose
- Scott Robbins, MI Forest Products Council—Support
- David Williams, the International Association for Electrical Inspectors—Oppose
- Robert Clark, APA – the Engineered Wood Association—Support
- Michael O’Brian, MI Association of Fire Chiefs—Oppose

The following people submitted testimony cards but did not wish to speak concerning HB 4561:

- Lee Schwartz, MI Association of Home Builders—Support
- Shelly Edgerton and Irvin Poke, MI Dept of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs—Support as amended
- Nikki Brown, MI Municipal League—Support
- Mike Marzano, Small Business Association of MI—Support
- Ron Brown, National Fire Sprinkler Association—Oppose
- Don Iverson, Citizen—Oppose
- Jon Ichesco, Fire Inspectors—Oppose

- Mike Johnston, MI Manufacturers Association—Oppose

Being no further testimony, the Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to adopt the (S-1) version of HB 4561.

- Yeas: Sen.(s) Rocca, Jones, Meekhof, Pavlov, and Johnson
- Nays: Sen. Warren
- The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Meekhof to report the (S-1) version of HB 4561 with recommendation that it pass.

- Yeas: Sen.(s) Rocca, Jones, Meekhof, Pavlov, and Johnson
- Nays: Sen. Warren
- The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to recommend immediate effect for HB 4561. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman adjourned the meeting at 12:57 p.m., on a voice vote, without objection.

(An audio recording of this committee meeting is available upon request for a minimal fee.)

Date Adopted by Committee: November 29, 2012