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COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

November 13, 2013

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Finance was scheduled for Wednesday, November 13, 2013, at 12:30 p.m., in room 210 of the Farnum Building.

The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) Reported SB 408 (S-1) with recommendation and immediate effect.
 - 2) Reported SB 516 (S-1) with recommendation and immediate effect.
 - 3) Reported SB 536 (S-1) with recommendation and immediate effect.
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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 12:30 p.m. He instructed the Clerk to call the roll. At that time, the following members were present; Sen.(s) Brandenburg, Jansen, Pappageorge, Proos, Bieda, and Warren, a quorum was present.

The Chairman moved to adopt the minutes of the October 30, 2013 committee meeting. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

The Chairman invited Sen. Anderson to summarize SB 408 and the (S-1) substitute for the committee.

The Chairman invited Alasdair Whitney of ASMSU to present supportive testimony regarding SB 408.

The following individuals turned in cards not wishing to present testimony to the committee regarding SB 532:
John LaMacchia – Support

The Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Proos to adopt the (S-1) substitute to SB 408.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Brandenburg, Pappageorge, Proos, Bieda, and Warren.

Nays: Sen. Jansen

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Bieda to report SB 408 (S-1) with recommendation that it pass.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Brandenburg, Pappageorge, Proos, Bieda, and Warren.

Nays: Sen. Jansen

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman made a motion to recommend immediate effect for SB 408 (S-1). Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

At 12:45pm, Sen. Robertson entered the meeting.

Next, the Chairman invited Sen. Booher and Patrick Tiedt from his office to summarize SB 516 and the (S-1) for the committee.

The following individuals presented testimony to the committee regarding SB 516:

John Llewellyn, Michigan Bankers Association and Lynn Gandhi, Hongiman – Support
Howard Ryan, Treasury – No Position

The Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Jansen to adopt the (S-1) to SB 516.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Brandenburg, Jansen, Pappageorge, Proos, Robertson, Bieda, and Warren.

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Jansen to report SB 516 with recommendation that it pass.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Brandenburg, Jansen, Pappageorge, Proos, Robertson, Bieda, and Warren.

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman made a motion to recommend immediate effect for SB 516. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman invited Sen. Proos and Ron Kitchens of SW Michigan First summarize SB 536 for the committee.

The following individuals presented testimony to the committee regarding SB 536:

Jim McBryde, MEDC and Howard Ryan, Treasury – No Position
Deena Bosworth, MAC – Neutral

The following individuals turned in cards not wishing to present testimony to the committee regarding SB 536:

Peggy Sindt, Albion Economic Development Corporation - Support

The Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Proos to adopt the (S-1) to SB 536.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Brandenburg, Jansen, Pappageorge, Proos, Robertson, Bieda, and Warren.

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Jansen to report SB 536 with recommendation that it pass.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Brandenburg, Jansen, Pappageorge, Proos, Robertson, Bieda, and Warren.

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman made a motion to recommend immediate effect for SB 536. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chairman adjourned the meeting at 1:35 p.m., on a voice vote, without objection.

Date Adopted by Committee: