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COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES November 7th, 2013

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Regulatory Reform was scheduled for Thursday, November 7, 2013, at 1:00 p.m., in Room 210 of the Farnum Building.

The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) Reported SB 329 (S-1) with recommendation and immediate effect.
 - 2) Reported SB 612 (S-1) with recommendation and immediate effect.
 - 3) Reported SB 641 (S-1) with recommendation and immediate effect.
 - 4) Reported HB 4242 with recommendation and immediate effect.
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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 1:25 p.m. He instructed the Clerk to call the roll. The following members were present; Chairman Rocca, Sen.(s) Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov and Warren, a quorum.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to adopt the minutes of the October 24, 2013, committee meeting. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

The Chairman invited Fred Schaible of Sen. Hildenbrand's office to summarize SB 329 for the committee.

The following individuals turned in cards not wishing to testify before the committee regarding SB 329:

Rob Elhenicky, Leelanau Enterprises – Support
Spencer Nevins, Michigan Beer and Wine Wholesalers Association – Support
Julie Wendt, Liquor Control Commission – Neutral

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to adopt the (S-1) to SB 329.

Yeas: Sens. Rocca (C), Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov and Warren
Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the substitute was adopted.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to report SB 329 with recommendation that it then pass.

Yeas: Sens. Rocca (C), Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov and Warren
Nays: None

The motion prevailed and SB 329 (S-1) was reported.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to recommend immediate effect for SB 329. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman invited Sen. Hopgood and Walt Lupu of the Barber/Styling College of Lansing to summarize SB 612 for the committee.

The following individuals turned in cards wishing to testify before the committee regarding SB 612:
Charles Richardson, Genesee Barber Association - Oppose

The following individuals turned in cards not wishing to testify before the committee regarding SB 612:
Mike Zimmer, LARA – Support
Ron Khoury, Chaldean Chamber of Commerce – Support

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Meekhof to adopt the (S-1) to SB 612.
Yeas: Sens. Rocca (C), Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov and Warren
Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the substitute was adopted.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Meekhof to report SB 612 with recommendation that it then pass.
Yeas: Sens. Rocca (C), Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov and Warren
Nays: Sen. Jones

The motion prevailed and SB 612 (S-1) was reported.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Meekhof to recommend immediate effect for SB 612. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman invited Dave Biswas of Sen. Kowall's office and Brian Westrin of the Michigan Realtors Association to summarize SB 641 for the committee.

The following individuals turned in cards not wishing to testify before the committee regarding SB 641:
Alesha Gensler, LARA – Support

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to adopt the (S-1) to SB 641.
Yeas: Sens. Rocca (C), Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov and Warren
Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the substitute was adopted.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to report SB 641 with recommendation that it then pass.
Yeas: Sens. Rocca (C), Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov and Warren
Nays: None

The motion prevailed and SB 641 (S-1) was reported.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to recommend immediate effect for SB 641. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

At 1:20 pm, Sen. Johnson entered the meeting.

The Chairman invited Matt Wesolek of Rep. Goike's office to summarize HB 4242 for the committee.

The following individuals turned in cards wishing to testify before the committee regarding HB 4242:
Henry Schienebeck, Great Lakes Timber Professionals - Support

The following Individuals turned in cards not wishing to testify before the committee regarding HB 4242:
Jason Geer, Michigan Chamber – Support
Barb Beanett, Michigan Association of Timbermen Self Insurer Fund – Support
Charlie Owen, NFIB – Support
Judy Augeusteen, Michigan Association of Timbermen
Alesha Gensler, LARA – Neutral

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Meekhof to report HB 4242 with recommendation that it then pass.

Yeas: Sens. Rocca (C), Jones, Hune, Meekhof and Pavlov

Nays: Sen.(s) Johnson and Warren

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to recommend immediate effect for HB 4242. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended

The Chairman adjourned the meeting at 1:30 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: 12-5-13