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A meeting of the Senate Committee on Health Policy was held on Wednesday, June 16, 2010 at 3:10 p.m. in the Senate Hearing Room, First Floor of the Boji Tower.

Senate Health Policy Committee members present: George (C), Sanborn, Gleason, Jacobs.

Senator George excused absent members.

Senator George explained Senate Bills 1242 – 1245. Senator George then asked Jonathan Schmidt to explain the substitutes for Senate Bills 1242 and 1243.

Senator George then welcomed Gary Benjamin from MichUHCAN and MLS who gave written and oral testimony on the bills.

Senator George then welcomed Jenita Moore and Joan Moiles from the Michigan Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation who provided oral testimony.

A motion was made by Senator Sanborn to adopt the minutes from the previous meeting, supported by Senator Jacobs.

A motion was made by Senator Sanborn to adopt a substitute (S-1) to SB 1242, supported by Senator Gleason.

Yeas: George, Sanborn, Gleason,

Nays: Jacobs

Pass:

Excused: Allen, Patterson, Clarke

The motion was not supported

A motion was made by Senator Sanborn to reconsider the vote by which the previous motion was not supported, supported by Senator Gleason.

Yeas: George, Sanborn, Gleason, Jacobs

Nays:

Pass:

Excused: Allen, Patterson, Clarke

The motion prevailed

A motion was made by Senator Sanborn to adopt a substitute (S-1) to SB 1242 for the purposes of discussion, supported by Senator Gleason.

Yeas: George, Sanborn, Gleason, Jacobs

Nays:

Pass:

Excused: Allen, Patterson, Clarke

The motion prevailed

The floor was opened up for questions for Joan Moiles and Jenita Moore.

Senator George then welcomed Bret Totoraitis and Bob Ianni from the Attorney General's Office who provided written testimony on the bills. The floor was opened up for questions.

Senator George then welcomed Neale Musolff who gave oral testimony on the bills.

The floor was then opened up for questions.

There being no further business Senator George adjourned the meeting without objection at 4:11 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Holly Nester

Senator Tom George

Committee Clerk

Chairperson

6-23-2010

Date approved by the Committee