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MINUTES

The Senate Committee on Education held a meeting on Wednesday, October 12, 2011, at 12:00 p.m. in Room 110 of the Farnum Building. Senator Pavlov called the meeting to order at 12:29 p.m.

Attendance was recorded as follows:

Present: Senators Pavlov (C), Emmons, Colbeck, Hopgood, and Young
Absent: None
Excused: None

Senator Pavlov announced the order of business for the Education Committee:

- Adoption of October 5, 2011, minutes
- SB 620 Sen. Robertson Education; public school academies; conversion schools; provide for.
- SB 622 Sen. Emmons Education; students; dual enrollment eligibility; modify in postsecondary options act.
- SB 623 Sen. Emmons Education; students; dual enrollment eligibility; modify in career and technical preparation act.
- SB 709 Sen. Emmons Education; students; dual enrollment opportunities for high school students in career and technical preparation programs; expand to nonpublic school and home school students.
- SB 710 Sen. Emmons Education; students; dual enrollment opportunities for high school students in certain postsecondary institutions; expand to nonpublic school and home-schooled students.

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Senator Emmons made a motion to adopt the minutes of the October 5, 2011, committee meeting; being no objection, the motion prevailed.

Dr. Jenny Schanker, and Dr. Adriana Phelan, from Michigan Community Colleges Association, testified in support of Senate Bills 622, 623, 709, and 710.

Mr. Paul Stankewitz, from Michigan Catholic Conference, submitted a card in support of Senate Bill 620 but did not offer testimony.

Being no further testimony, Senator Colbeck made a motion to adopt the (S-4) version of Senate Bill 620.

Yeas: Senators Pavlov, Emmons, and Colbeck

Nays: Senator Young

Pass: Senator Hopgood

The motion prevailed.

Senator Colbeck made a motion to report the (S-4) version of Senate Bill 620 with recommendation.

Yeas: Senators Pavlov, Emmons, and Colbeck

Nays: Senators Hopgood, and Young

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Senator Colbeck made a motion to recommend immediate effect for Senate Bill 620; being no objection, the motion prevailed.

Senator Colbeck made a motion to adopt the (S-2) version of Senate Bill 622.

Yeas: Senators Pavlov, Emmons, Colbeck, and Hopgood

Nays: Senator Young

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Senator Colbeck made a motion to adopt the (S-2) version of Senate Bill 623.

Yeas: Senators Pavlov, Emmons, Colbeck, and Hopgood

Nays: Senator Young

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Senator Colbeck made a motion to adopt the (S-2) version of Senate Bill 709.

Yeas: Senators Pavlov, Emmons, Colbeck, and Hopgood

Nays: Senator Young

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Senator Colbeck made a motion to adopt the (S-2) version of Senate Bill 710.

Yeas: Senators Pavlov, Emmons, Colbeck, and Hopgood

Nays: Senator Young

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Being no further business before the committee, Senator Pavlov adjourned the meeting without objection at 12:44 p.m.

Date Approved: October 19, 2011

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