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Senate Committee on Insurance Minutes

A meeting of the Senate Insurance Committee was held on Tuesday, May 1, 2012, at 2:30 p.m. in the Farnum Building, Room 210.

At the time attendance was recorded as follows:

Present: Senator(s) Hune (C), Marleau, Brandenburg, Hansen, Robertson, Smith and Bieda.

Absent: NONE

A quorum was established.

Senator Hune announced the order of business:

HB 5362 Rep. Denby Insurance; no-fault; liability for damage to motor vehicles; increase limit.

Senator Hune invited Sue Dolato from Rep. Denby's to testify in support of HB5362.

Senator Hune entertained a motion to adopt the minutes from the April 24, 2012 meeting. Senator Marleau so moved. Without objection the minutes were adopted.

Senator Hune acknowledged those who submitted testimony cards in support of HB 5362 but did not wish to speak:

- Peter A. Kuhnmuensch from the Insurance Institute of Michigan.
- Rusty Merchant from the Michigan Insurance Coalition.
- Rob Anderson from the Farm Bureau
- Jenita Moore from the Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation (OFIR)
- Scott Hummel from the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents
- George Carr from Property Casualty Insurers (PCI)

Senator Hune called for a motion to report HB 5362 with recommendation. Senator Bieda so moved.

Yeas: Senator(s) Hune, Marleau, Brandenburg, Hansen, Robertson, Smith and Bieda.

Nays: NONE

The bill was reported.

Next, the chairman entertained a motion to give HB 5362 immediate effect. Senator Marleau so moved.

Without objection the bill was given immediate effect.

Being no further business before the Committee, Senator Hune adjourned the meeting without objection at 2:34 p.m.

Date approved by the Committee: 5/22/12

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