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## COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES March 14, 2013

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Regulatory Reform was scheduled for Thursday, March 14, 2013, at 12:30 p.m., in Room 210 of the Farnum Building.

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#### The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) Reported HB 4045 with recommendation and immediate effect.
  - 2) Reported SB 235 with recommendation and immediate effect.
  - 3) Reported SB 92 (S-4) with recommendation and immediate effect.
  - 4) SB 27 testimony only
  - 5) SB 79 testimony only
  - 6) SB 109 testimony only
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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 12:35 p.m. He instructed the Clerk to call the roll. At that time, the following members were present; Chairman Rocca, Sen.(s) Jones, Hune, Johnson and Warren, a quorum.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Johnson to adopt the rules of the Regulatory Reform Committee. Without objection the rules were adopted.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Johnson to adopt the minutes of the November 29, 2012, committee meeting. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

The Chairman invited Jack Schick representing National Time & Signal Inc. to testify in front of the committee on HB 4045. They were in support of the bill.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Johnson to report HB 4045 with recommendation that it pass.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Rocca, Jones, Hune, Johnson, and Warren.

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Johnson to recommend immediate effect for HB 4045. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman invited Senator Jones to summarize SB 235 for the committee.

Senator Pavlov entered the committee room at 12:42 p.m.

The Chairman invited the following people to testify before the committee regarding SB 235.

- Michael Evans, Michigan Fire Inspectors Society—Support
- Daniel Decker, Safety Systems—Support
- Frank Waters and Irvin Poke, LARA, Bureau of Construction Codes—Neutral

The following people submitted testimony cards but did not wish to speak concerning SB 235:

- Paul Dove, Michigan Fire Inspectors Society—Support
- Brian Batten, City of Ferndale Fire Department & Michigan Fire Inspectors Society—Support
- Ted Jensen, Grand Rapids Fire Department—Support
- Mark Docherty, Michigan Professional Fire Fighters Union—Support

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Johnson to report SB 235 with recommendation that it pass.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Rocca, Jones, Hune, Pavlov, Johnson, and Warren.

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Johnson to recommend immediate effect for SB 235. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman invited Senator Green to summarize SB 92 for the committee.

Senator Meekhof entered the committee room at 1:00 p.m.

The Chairman invited the following people to testify before the committee regarding SB 92:

- Karen Jonas, Michigan Pharmacists Association—Support
- Frank Waters, LARA—Support
- Doug Paterson, Michigan Primary Care Association—Support

The following people submitted testimony cards but did not wish to speak concerning SB 92:

- Doreen Kern, MPA/MSPT—Support
- Christine Shearer, Michigan Association of Health Plans—Support
- Jim Mathews, HomeTown Pharmacies—Support
- Joseph Leonard, MPA—Support
- Sheroyl Kirby, Fred's Pharmacy—Support
- Chris Smith, MPA—Support
- Ronald Melaraoni, MPA—Support
- James Bock, Whitney Health Care Services, Inc., MPA President—Support
- Jeffrey Kauffman, Walmart Stores Inc—Support
- Jeffrey Rowe, Diplomat Specialty Pharmacy—Support
- Brian Peltz, MPA—Support
- Douglas Samojeony, Pharmacy Advantage—Support
- Angela Faszcewski, Michigan Society of Pharmacy Technicians—Support
- Larry Wagenknecht, MPA—Support
- Robyn Parker, MSPT—Support
- Lori Mann, MPA, MSPT—Support
- Heather Nicholoff, Michigan Council of Nurse Practitioners—Support
- Paige Fults, Michigan Health & Hospital Association—Support

- John Shaski, Sparrow Health System—Support
- Joel Kurzman, National Association of Chain Drug Stores—Neutral
- Eric Rule, Michigan Retailers Association—Neutral
- Ryan Wardin, CVS Caremark—Oppose

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Hune to adopt the S-4 to SB 92.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Rocca, Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov, Johnson and Warren

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Jones to report SB 92 (S-4) with recommendation that it pass.

Yeas: Sen.(s) Rocca, Jones, Hune, Meekhof, Pavlov, Johnson, and Warren.

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Johnson to recommend immediate effect for SB 92. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman invited Senator Hildenbrand to summarize SB 27 for the committee.

The following people submitted testimony cards but did not wish to speak concerning SB 27:

- Spencer Nevins, Michigan Beer & Wine Wholesalers Association—Support
- Scott Ellas, MLBA—Support
- David Worthams, Michigan Bankers Association—Support
- Kerry Krone and Julie Wendt, Michigan Liquor Control Commission—Neutral
- Larry Bell, Bell Brewery—Oppose
- Marie Hansen, Michigan Alcohol Policy—Neutral

The Chairman invited Senator Hansen to summarize SB 79 and SB 109 for the committee.

The Chairman invited the following people to testify before the committee regarding SB 79:

- Marie Hansen, Michigan Alcohol Policy—Oppose

The following people submitted testimony cards but did not wish to speak concerning SB 79:

- Nikki Brown, Michigan Municipal League—Support
- David Worthams, Michigan Bankers Association—Support
- Scott Ellas, MLBA—Support
- Spencer Nevins, Michigan Beer & Wine Wholesalers Association—Neutral
- Kerry Krone and Julie Wendt, Michigan Liquor Control Commission—Neutral
- Paul Condino, Associated Food & Petroleum Dealers—Oppose

The following people submitted testimony cards but did not wish to speak concerning SB 109:

- Justin Winslow, Michigan Restaurant Association—Support
- Linda Gobler, Michigan Grocers Association—Support
- Scott Ellas, MLBA—Support
- Spencer Nevins, Michigan Beer & Wine Wholesalers Association—Support
- David Worthams, Michigan Bankers Association—Support
- Kerry Krone and Julie Wendt, Michigan Liquor Control Commission—Oppose
- Marie Hansen, Michigan Alcohol Policy—Oppose

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: 4-18-13