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COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES March 26, 2014

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Families, Seniors, and Human Services was held on March 26, 2014, at 3:00 p.m. in the Farnum Building, Room 210.

The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) Reported HB 4656 with recommendation and immediate effect.**
 - 2) Heard testimony on the issue of human trafficking.**
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The Chairwoman called the meeting to order at 3:05 p.m. She instructed the Clerk to call the roll. The following members were present: Sens. Emmons (C), Rocca, Nofs and Gregory, a quorum.

The Chairwoman entertained a motion to adopt the committee minutes of March 5, 2014. Sen. Rocca so moved. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

The following testified before the committee regarding HB 4656:

- Representative Kate Segal and Cadet Sarah Holtzmann - Support

The Chairwoman entertained a motion to report HB 4656 to the floor with the recommendation that the bill then pass. Sen. Nofs so moved, and a roll call vote was taken.

Yeas: Sens. Emmons (C), Rocca, Nofs and Gregory

Nays: None

The motion prevailed.

The Chairwoman entertained a motion to recommend immediate effect for HB 4656. Sen. Nofs so moved, and without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The following offered comments regarding the issue of human trafficking:

- Andrea Lavigne, Representing herself
- Rebecca Kiessling, Hope After Rape Conception
- Ashley Boyer, Representing herself
- Amber Herlein, Wedgwood Christian Services
- Rebecca McDonald, Women At Risk International
- Dorinda Smith, Women At Risk International

Being no further business before the committee, Chairwoman Emmons adjourned the meeting without objection at 3:45 p.m.

Date approved by the Committee: 4/30/14

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