



THE SENATE

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COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

December 9, 2015

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Commerce was scheduled for Wednesday, December 9, 2015, at 8:30 a.m. in room 210 of the Farnum Building.

The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) SB 490 (S-1) (Schuitmaker) Reported with recommendation and recommended immediate effect
 - 2) SB 627 (Kowall) Testimony only
 - 3) SB 628 (Kowall) testimony only
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Chairman Schmidt called the meeting to order at 8:35 a.m.

Attendance was recorded as follows:

Present: Senators Schmidt (C), Kowall, MacGregor, Nofs and Hertel

Excused: None

Senator Schmidt made a motion to adopt the minutes from December 2, 2015 meeting. Being no objection the motion prevailed.

The Chair reminded members testimony was received Senate Bill 490 during the prior committee meeting.

The Chairman read in the following card submitted to indicate a position on SB 490:

- Robert Ollesa, Amazon - support

The Chairman entertained a motion by Sen. Nofs to report the (S-1) version of SB 490 with recommendation that it pass:

Yeas: Sen. (s) Schmidt, Kowall, MacGregor, Nofs, Hertel

Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the bill was reported.

The Chairman made a motion to recommend immediate effect for SB 490. Without objection, immediate effect was recommended.

The Chairman invited Sen. Kowall to provide a summary of SB 627 and SB 628 to the committee.

The following individuals gave testimony regarding SB 627 and SB 628:

- Joe Pavona, Office of Governor Snyder – no position
- Corey Boock, Nossaman – no position
- James C. Walter, National Motorists Assoc. – oppose

The Chairman read in the following card submitted to indicate a position on SB 627:

- Andrew Doerr, American Insurance Assoc. - oppose

The Chairman read in the following card submitted to indicate a position on SB 627 and SB 628:

- Brian Kandler, HNTB Corp. - support

Being no further business before the committee, The Chairman adjourned the Commerce committee meeting without objection at 9:08 a.m.

Date Adopted by Committee: 01/27/16

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