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## COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES December 2, 2015

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Insurance was held on Wednesday December 2, 2015, at 2:00 p.m., in Room 100 of the Farnum Building.

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#### The agenda summary is as follows:

SB 430 (Hune) Testimony only

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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 2:04 p.m.

Attendance was recorded as follows:

Present: Sen. (s) Hune, Brandenburg, Schmidt, O'Brien, Horn, Jones, Bieda, Johnson and Young

Excused: None

The Chairman entertained a motion by Senator Schmidt to adopt the minutes from the October 28, 2015 meeting; being no objection, the motion carried.

The Chairman provided the committee with an overview of Senate Bill 430.

Senator Brandenburg arrived to committee at 2:06 p.m.

The following individuals gave testimony to indicate their position on SB 430:

- Michael Dooley, LaFontaine Automotive – support
- Ray Fisher, Automotive Service Assoc. of MI – support
- Dan Risley, Automotive Service Assoc. – support
- Peter Kuhnmuensch, Insurance Institute of MI - oppose

Senator Johnson arrived to committee at 2:10 p.m.

The Chairman read in testimony cards from the following individuals for SB 430:

- Slater Shroyer, Automotive Recycles of MI – neutral
- Nick Grojean, State Farm Insurance – oppose
- Carol Hutchinson, Farmers Insurance – oppose

- George Carr, Property Casualty Insurers Assoc. – oppose
- Heather Drake, AAA Michigan – oppose
- Bill Jackson, MI Insurance Coalition - oppose
- Katie Jones, Allstate Insurance Co. – oppose
- Diane Rodenhouse, Rodenhouse Body Shop – support
- Timothy Jones, West MI Body Shop Assoc./Quality Collision Services – support
- Steven J. Plowman, Northern MI Body Shop Assoc. – support
- Joanne Victory, West MI Body Shop Assoc. / Judd’s Body Shop Inc. – support
- Robert M. Willis, Wills Auto Service – support
- Steve Tomaszewski, Alpine Collision Center – support
- Robert L. Redding Jr. Automotive Service Assoc. – support
- Steve Kirk, Kendall Auto Repair Inc. – support
- Roy Schnepfer, Butler’s Collision Inc. – support
- Joe Sproles, Alliance of Automobile Manufactures – support
- Ron Van Dyke, Kool Chevrolet – support
- Bruce Wigginton, Mason Auto Body Repair – support
- Amanda Fisher, NFIB – support
- Kurt Berryman, Auto Dealers of MI – support
- Charlie Pryde, Ford Motor Co. - support

Being no further business before the Committee, The Chairman adjourned the Insurance meeting without objection at 2:44 p.m.

Date Adopted by Committee: 12/09/2015

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