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Minutes

September 30, 2015

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Families, Seniors and Human Services was scheduled for Wednesday, September 30, 2015, at 3:00 p.m., in Room 210, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933.

The agenda summary is as follows:

- 1) SB 334 – Reported S-1 with recommendation and immediate effect
- 2) SB 503 – Testimony only
- 3) SB 529 – Testimony only
- 4) SB 530 – Testimony only

The meeting was called to order at 3:04 p.m.

Members present: Senators Emmons, Pavlov, Jones, Casperson, Johnson

Members excused:

Senator Casperson moved to adopt the minutes from June 10th, 2015, without objection the minutes were adopted.

The Chair announced the next order of business was SB 334.

The Chair summarized the legislation for SB 334.

The following testified on behalf of SB 334:

- Stacie Bladen and Colin Parks representing DHHS – support

The Chairwoman read in the following cards to indicate a position on SB 334:

- Mary Lovik representing Michigan Domestic and Sexual Violence Prevention and Treatment – support
- Homer A. Mandoka representing Nottawaseppi Huron Band of the Potawatomi – support

The Chairwoman entertained a motion via Senator Pavlov to adopt the Emmons amendment to SB 334.

Yeas: Sen (s). Emmons, Pavlov, Jones, Casperson, Johnson

Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

The Chairwoman entertained a motion via Senator Jones to report SB 334 as amended to the floor with recommendation that the bill then pass.

Yeas: Sen (s). Emmons, Pavlov, Jones, Casperson, Johnson

Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the bill was reported.

The Chairwoman moved for Immediate Effect. Without objection, immediate effect was granted.

The Chairwoman requested a clean substitute from the Legislative Service Bureau.

The Chairwoman summarized the legislation for SB 503.

The following testified on behalf of SB 503:

- Judge Tim Connors representing Tribal /State/ Federal Judicial Forum – support
- Homer A. Mandoka representing Nottawaseppi Huron Band of the Potawatomi – support

The Chairwoman read in the following cards to indicate a position on SB 503:

- Ron Khoury representing Sault Ste. Marie Chippewa Indians – support
- Stacie Bladen and Stacey Tadgerson representing DHHS – support

The Chairwoman summarized the legislation for SB 529 and SB 530.

The following testified on behalf of SB 529 and SB 530:

- Cathe Hoover and Stacie Bladen representing DHHS – support
- Homer A. Mandoka representing Nottawaseppi Huron Band of the Potawatomi – support

With no further business before the committee, the Chairwoman adjourned the meeting at 3:25 p.m.

Date Adopted by Committee: October 14, 2015

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