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COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
March 22, 2016

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Judiciary was scheduled for Tuesday, March 22, 2016, at 3:00 p.m., in room 110 in the Farnum Building.

The agenda summary is as follows:

1. SB 848 (Sen. Jones) reported S-1 with recommendation and immediate effect
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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 3:01 p.m. He instructed the Clerk to call the roll. At that time, the following members were present; Sen.(s) Jones, Schuitmaker, Rocca, Colbeck, Bieda a quorum was present.

The Chairman made a motion to adopt the minutes from March 15, 2016. Without objection the minutes were adopted.

The Chairman gave an overview of Senate Bill 848

The following people testified on Senate Bill 848:

Chris Robbins, self – support
Frank LaMonte, Student Press Law Center – support
Bob Kefgen, Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals – oppose
Jeremy Steele, Michigan Interscholastic Press Association – support

The Chairman read in the testimony cards for the following people for Senate Bill 848:

Merissa Kovach, ACLU of Michigan – support
Elena Palombo, Michigan Association of Broadcasters – support
Daniel Hurley, Michigan Association of State Universities – oppose
David Randels, Oakland Schools – oppose
Lisa McGraw, Michigan Press – support
Brad Biladeau, Michigan Association of School Administrators – oppose

The Chairman made a motion to adopt the S-1 substitute to Senate Bill 848.

Yeas: Jones, Schuitmaker, Colbeck, Rocca, Bieda

Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the substitute was adopted.

The Chairman made a motion to report the S-1 substitute to Senate Bill 848 to the floor with recommendation that it pass.

Yeas: Jones, Schuitmaker, Colbeck, Rocca, Bieda

Nays: None

The motion prevailed and the bill was reported.

The Chairman made a motion to recommend immediate effect on the S-1 substitute to Senate Bill 848, without objection immediate effect was recommended.

Being no further business before the Committee, The Chairman moved to adjourn the Senate Committee on Judiciary without objection at 3:24 p.m.

Date Adopted by Committee: 4/12/2016