



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE AND TOURISM

REP. STEVE MARINO

CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, March 23, 2021

9:00 AM

Room 327, House Office Building

The House Committee on Commerce and Tourism was called to order by Chair Marino.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. Marino, Roth, Farrington, Wakeman, Wendzel, Martin, Cambensy, Cherry, Manoogian, Whitsett, Liberati.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Wakeman moved to adopt the meeting minutes from March 16, 2021. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4471 before the committee:

HB 4471 (Rep. Allor)

A bill to prohibit employers from discriminating against an individual because the individual has not received or declines to receive certain vaccinations; to prohibit retaliation; and to provide remedies.

Representative Manoogian moved to refer HB 4471 to the Committee on Workforce, Trades, and Talent. The motion prevailed 11-0-0:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Marino, Roth, Farrington, Wakeman, Wendzel, Martin, Cambensy, Cherry, Manoogian, Whitsett, Liberati.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid HB 4272 before the committee:

HB 4272 (Rep. Steven Johnson)

A bill to regulate the labeling of certain portable

fuel containers as made in and for use in Michigan; and to make findings that, under certain circumstances, portable fuel containers have not entered or substantially affected interstate commerce.

Representative Roth moved to report out HB 4272 with recommendation. The motion prevailed 8-3-0:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Marino, Roth, Farrington, Wakeman, Martin, Cambensy, Whitsett, Liberati.

Nays: Reps. Wendzel, Cherry, Manoogian.

Pass: None.

Larisa Draves and Janet Korn, representing the Michigan Association of Convention and Visitor Bureaus, gave an overview presentation to the committee. Questions and discussion followed.

Joe Miller, representing the Detroit Stage Employee Union, gave an overview presentation to the committee. Questions and discussion followed.

Michael Zehnders, representing the Bavarian Inn, gave an overview presentation to the committee. Questions and discussion followed.

Donna Duron and Jenny Harig, representing themselves, gave an overview presentation to the committee. Questions and discussion followed.

Paul Hess and John McNamara, representing the Michigan Restaurant and Lodging Association, gave an overview presentation to the committee. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the committee, Representative Farrington moved to adjourn the Committee. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent. The Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:13 AM.

Representative Steve Marino, Chair

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