

MINUTES OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Wednesday, June 4, 2014 12:00 p.m. Room 308 House Office Building, Lansing

Representative Nesbitt, Chair, called the meeting to order.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Representatives Nesbitt, Shirkey, Farrington, Franz, Jacobsen, Outman, Pettalia, Price, Schmidt, Graves, Lauwers, Howrylak, Stallworth, Hobbs, Nathan, LaVoy, Lane, Yanez, Lamonte, Phelps.

ABSENT/EXCUSED: Representatives Zorn, Brunner.

Representative Franz made a motion to adopt the minutes of the meeting of June 3, 2014. No objections being offered, the minutes were accepted as presented.

Representative Franz made a motion to excuse absent members. No objections being offered, absent members were excused.

The Chair laid the following bills before the Committee.

HB 5612 (Shirkey) Public utilities; consumer services; use of money in utility consumer representation fund; modify.

HB 5397 (Haveman) Energy; alternative sources; residential renewable energy and energy efficiency improvements; provide for local financing of in communities with municipal electric utilities.

Substitute (H-1) was adopted to HB 5397 on June 3, 2014.

A card for HB 5397 was submitted by Dondre' Young, representing the Michigan League of Conservation Voters, in support.

Tom Frazier, representing the Michigan Townships Association, submitted a card in support of HB 5397 (H-1).

Representative Shirkey made a motion to amend HB 5612 as follows:

1. Amend page 8, line 3, after "**PROCEEDINGS**" by striking out the balance of the line through "**(5)**" on line 4 and inserting "**INITIATED UNDER SECTION 11(3)**".

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Nesbitt, Shirkey, Farrington, Franz, Jacobsen, Outman, Pettalia, Price, Graves, Lauwers, Howrylak, Hobbs, Lane, Yanez, Lamonte, Phelps. (16/22)

Nays: None. (0/22)

Pass: None. (0/22) (16/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Chair Nesbitt stated that the Committee would stand at ease, the time being 12:08 p.m.

The Chair reconvened the meeting at 12:09 p.m.

Representative Jacobsen made a motion to report HB 5612 (H-1) with recommendation.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Nesbitt, Shirkey, Farrington, Franz, Jacobsen, Outman, Pettalia, Price, Schmidt, Graves, Lauwers, Howrylak, Stallworth, Hobbs, Nathan, LaVoy, Lane, Yanez, Lamonte, Phelps. (20/22)

Nays: None. (0/22)

Pass: None. (0/22) (20/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Nesbitt made a motion to amend HB 5397 (H-1) as follows.

1. Amend page 7, line 13, after "than" by striking out "104% of".
2. Amend page 7, line 14, after "205.23" by inserting a comma and "plus 4%".

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Nesbitt, Shirkey, Farrington, Franz, Jacobsen, Outman, Pettalia, Price, Schmidt, Graves, Lauwers, Howrylak, Stallworth, Hobbs, Nathan, LaVoy, Lane, Yanez, Lamonte, Phelps. (20/22)

Nays: None. (0/22)

Pass: None. (0/22) (20/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Schmidt made a motion to report HB 5397 (H-2) with recommendation.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Nesbitt, Shirkey, Farrington, Jacobsen, Outman, Pettalia, Price, Schmidt, Graves, Lauwers, Howrylak, Stallworth, Hobbs, Nathan, LaVoy, Lane, Yanez, Lamonte, Phelps. (19/22)

Nays: None. (0/22)

Pass: Representative Franz. (1/22) (19/0/1)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

There being no additional business before the Committee, Chair Nesbitt declared the meeting adjourned, the time being 12:10 p.m.