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Minutes of the House Standing Committee
On
Oversight

Tuesday, May 13, 2014

11:30 a.m.

Room 326 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Oversight was called to order by Representative Tom McMillin, Chair.

Members present: Representatives McMillin, Kelly, O'Brien, Leonard, Howrylak, Townsend, Robinson, and Phelps. (8/8)

Representative Kelly moved to adopt the minutes of April 29, 2014 as printed.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent of the members present; the minutes were adopted as printed.

Representative Kelly moved to adopt the minutes of May 7, 2014 as printed.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent of the members present; the minutes were adopted as printed.

Chair McMillin laid before the committee a hearing on Hailstorm/Stingray type surveillance devices.

Christopher Soghoian, Principal Technologist and Senior Policy Analyst at the National ACLU, testified before the committee to explain how Hailstorm/Stingray type surveillance devices operate. Mr. Soghoian answered questions for committee members.

Brian Owsley, former United States Magistrate Judge for the Southern District of Texas and professor at Texas Tech University School of Law, testified before the committee on Hailstorm/Stingray type surveillance devices and how they are practically applied by local law enforcement.

Mr. Soghoian returned to testify along with Mr. Owsley to further discuss and explain Hailstorm/Stingray technology. Both Mr. Soghoian and Mr. Owsley answered questions from committee members.

There being no other business before the committee, the Chair declared the meeting adjourned, the time being 12:55 p.m.

Tom McMillin, Chair
House Standing Committee on Oversight

Doug Simon, Committee Clerk

Date approved by the committee