

**MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
REGULATORY REFORM**

Tuesday, April 29, 2014 9:00 a.m. Room 521 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Regulatory Reform was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Crawford, McBroom, Denby, McMillin, LaFontaine, Rendon, Yonker, Kelly, Kesto, Haugh, Abed, Stanley, Dianda, Nathan, Schor.

Members absent/excused: None.

The Chair laid SB 862 before the committee:

SB 862 (Schuitmaker) Liquor; licenses; sale of alcohol at certain sporting events held at a university's outdoor stadium; include certain soccer events.

Senator Schuitmaker testified in support of her bill. Questions and discussion followed.

The following people submitted a card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Kerry Krone, representing the Michigan Liquor Control Commission.

Rob Elhericks, representing Diageo.

Bret Marr, representing Manchester United.

Kirk Proff, representing the University of Michigan.

Scott Ellis, representing the Michigan License Beverage Association.

Rebecca DeVoogut and Michael Brown ,both representing the University of Michigan, testified in support of the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative McBroom moved to report SB 862 with recommendation. The motion prevailed 14-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Crawford, McBroom, Denby, McMillin, LaFontaine, Rendon, Yonker, Kelly, Kesto, Haugh, Abed, Stanley, Dianda, Schor.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid HB 5393 before the committee:

HB 5393 (Haines) Tobacco; retail sales; sales to minors; prohibit sale of electronic cigarette or any oral device that provides vapor nicotine, and require electronic cigarettes to be sold in child-proof containers.

Representative Haines testified in support of her bill.

Dr. Matt Davis and Orlando Todd, representing the Michigan Department of Community Health, testified in support of the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Haines returned to answer further questions.

The following people submitted a card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Doug Paterson, representing the Michigan Primary Care Association.
Angela Clock, representing Tobacco-Free Michigan.
Rebecca Master, representing the Michigan Catholic Conference.
Denise Sloah, representing the Michigan Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics.
Bill Sullivan, representing the Michigan Dental Association.
Alice Betz, representing the American College of Cardiology of Michigan.
Amy Zaagman, representing Michigan Council for Maternal and Child Health.
Judy Stewart, representing the American Cancer Society and Cancer Action Network.
Katherine Knoll, representing the American Heart Association.
Steve Japinga, representing the Michigan State Medical Society.
Shelly Kiser, representing the American Lung Association.
Kristen Kraft, representing Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan.
Kevin McKinney, representing the Michigan Osteopathic Association.
Tabitha Zimny, representing the Michigan Academy of Family Physicians.
Meghan Swaim, representing the Michigan Association for Local Public Health.

The following people submitted a card in opposition to the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Richard Everts, representing A Clean Cigarette.
Polly Reber, representing the Michigan Distributors and Vendors Association.
Tricia Kinley, representing the Michigan Chamber of Commerce.

Cliff Douglas, representing himself, testified in support of the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Jim Casha, representing Prevent Prenatal Alcohol Abuse, testified in support of the bill.

Representative McBroom moved to approve the minutes of the March 25, 2014 meeting. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:08 a.m.

Representative Hugh Crawford, Chair _____

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