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Minutes of the House Standing Committee  
on  
Oversight and Ethics

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Thursday, March 19, 2015

10:30 a.m.

Room 326 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Oversight and Ethics was called to order by Representative Ed McBroom, Chair.

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The Clerk called the roll; members present were **Representatives McBroom, Howrylak, Graves, Theis, Robinson, and Pagan. (6/6)**

The Clerk announced that a quorum was present.

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The Chair laid before the committee the minutes of March 12, 2015 as printed.

**Representative Theis moved to adopt the minutes of March 10, 2015 as printed.**

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

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The Chair laid before the committee House Bill 4070.

**HB 4070 (Heise)**

Public employees and officers; ethics; incompatible offices exception for public safety positions; create for small local units of government.

Representative Heise, the bill sponsor, explained his bill and introduced Jaylee Lynch, Mayor Pro-Tem for the City of Garden City, who testified in support of the bill. Discussion and questions followed.

The following individuals submitted testimony cards in support, but did not wish to speak:

Justin Dickman, Legislative Counsel for the Michigan Townships Association, and  
Nikole Brown, Legislative Associate in State Affairs in the Michigan Municipal League.

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The Chair laid before the committee a presentation given by the Office of Internal Audit Services.

Jeffrey S. Bankowski, Chief Internal Auditor in the State Budget Office, and Chris Harkins, Legislative Liaison and Policy Advisor in the Office of Management and Budget in the Department of Technology, Management and Budget, did a PowerPoint presentation on their scope of services of their internal audit process. Discussion and questions followed. Copies of the PowerPoint presentation is attached.

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There being no other business before the committee; **Representative Pagan moved to adjourn the meeting.**

The motion prevailed, the time being 11:27 a.m.

The Chair declared the Committee adjourned.

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Ed McBroom, Chair  
House Standing Committee on Oversight and Ethics

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Joy Brewer, Committee Clerk

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Date approved by the committee