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Minutes of the House Standing Committee
on
Oversight and Ethics

Thursday, November 10, 2016

11:00 a.m.

Room 326 House Office Building

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

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.

The Chair laid before the committee the minutes of September 22, 2016

Representative Theis moved to adopt the minutes of September 22, 2016 as printed. There being no objection the motion prevailed by unanimous consent of the members present; the minutes were adopted as printed.

The Chair laid before the committee Senate Bill 962.

SB 962 (Stamas) Administrative procedure; rules; joint committee; provide for power to suggest changes to proposed rules.

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

Amanda Fisher, Assistant State Director for the National Federation of Independent Businesses, submitted attached written testimony, and

Lee Schwartz, Executive Vice President for Government Relations for the Home Builders Association.

The following individuals submitted testimony cards in opposition to the bill, but did not wish to speak:

James Clift, Policy Director at the Michigan Environmental Council, and
Kara Cook, Policy Assistant, for the Michigan League of Conservation Voters.

The Chair laid before the committee House Bill 5811.

HB 5811 (Price) Public employees and officers; ethics; contracts between educational institutions and public servants; revise prohibitions.

Representative Price, the bill sponsor, explained the bill and introduced David W. Bertram, Assistant Vice President for State Affairs for Michigan State University, and Charles A. Hasemann, PhD, Assistant Vice President for Innovation and Economic Development at the Michigan State University Innovation Center, who testified on the bill and responded to questions.

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

The motion prevailed, the time being 11:41 a.m.

The Chair declared the Committee adjourned.

Ed McBroom, Chair
House Standing Committee on Oversight and Ethics

Joy Brewer, Committee Clerk

Date approved by the committee