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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Tuesday, May 24, 2016

9:00 a.m.

Room 327 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Criminal Justice was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Heise, Webber, Howrylak, Lucido, Howell, Guerra, Hovey-Wright, and Chang.

Members absent/excused: None.

Representative Webber moved to adopt the May 17th, 2016, minutes. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid SB 858 before the committee:

SB 858 (Jones) Family law; paternity; revocation of paternity in cases where a child's birth is the result of criminal sexual conduct; clarify.

Senator Jones testified in support of his bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Stephanie Johnson, representing the Family Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan, submitted a card in opposition to the bill, but did not wish to speak.

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

Ed Rivet, representing the Right to Life of Michigan.

Rebecca Mastee, representing the Michigan Catholic Conference.

Deb Cain and Mary Lovik, both representing the Michigan Domestic and Sexual Violence Prevention and Treatment Board.

Kathy Hagenian, representing the Michigan Coalition to End Domestic and Sexual Violence.

Representative Webber moved to report SB 858 with recommendation. The motion prevailed 7-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Heise, Webber, Lucido, Howell, Guerra, Hovey-Wright, Chang.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid HB 5103 and HB 5104 before the committee:

HB 5103 (McCready) Law; other; aggressive solicitation prohibition act; create.

HB 5104 (McCready) Crimes; disorderly conduct; begging in a public place; abolish as a disorderly person crime.

The Chair laid the committee at ease, the time being 9:06 a.m.

The Chair brought the committee back to order, the time being 9:11 a.m.

Representative McCready testified in support of his bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Howrylak testified on the proposed substitute to HB 5103.

Representative Howrylak moved to adopt substitute (H-3) to HB 5103. The motion prevailed 8-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Heise, Webber, Howrylak, Lucido, Howell, Guerra, Hovey-Wright, Chang.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Shelli Weisberg, representing the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan, testified in opposition to HB 5103, as substitute (H-3). Questions and discussion followed.

Shelli Weisberg, representing the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan, submitted a card in support of HB 5104.

Representative Howell moved to report HB 5103 with recommendation, as substitute (H-3). The motion prevailed 5-3-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Heise, Webber, Howrylak, Lucido, Howell.

Nays: Reps. Guerra, Hovey-Wright, Chang.

Pass: None.

Representative Lucido moved to report HB 5104 with recommendation. The motion prevailed 5-3-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Heise, Webber, Howrylak, Lucido, Howell.

Nays: Reps. Guerra, Hovey-Wright, Chang.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid HB 5602 before the committee:

HB 5602 (Lucido) Traffic control; driver license; operating a motor vehicle without valid driver license; increase penalties and require police officers to take certain actions.

Representative Lucido testified in support of his bill. Questions and discussion followed.

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

Ben Bodkin, representing the Michigan's Sheriffs Association.

Shelli Weisberg, representing the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan.

Lorray Brown, representing the Michigan Poverty Law Program.

Rita Ramirez, representing One Michigan for Immigrant Rights.
Merari Mireles, representing One Michigan for Immigrant Rights.

Diego Bonesatti, representing Michigan United, testified in opposition to the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Matthew Williams, representing the Michigan State Police, testified with no position on the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Kelsey Herbert, representing the Christian Reformed Church in North American, testified in opposition to the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Aida Cuadrado, representing Action of Greater Lansing, testified in opposition to the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Rudolfo Reyes, representing himself, testified in opposition to the bill.

Samantha Magdaleno, representing One Michigan for Immigrant Rights, testified in opposition to the bill.

Jesus Guterrez, representing One Michigan for Immigrant Rights, testified in opposition to the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Dave Richmond, representing the Secretary of State, came forward to answer further questions.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:21 a.m.

Representative Kurt Heise, Chair _____
Angie Lake, Committee Clerk
House Criminal Justice Committee