

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD
SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES

February 14, 2019
1:00 PM

Senate Finance Room 451-M

Pursuant to the call of Chairman Maroney, the Senate Committee on Health and Human Resources met on February 14, 2019 at 1:00 PM in the Senate Finance Room, 451-M.

Silent roll call was taken. There being twelve (12) members present, a quorum was established. Present were Chairman Maroney, Vice-Chairman Tarr, Senator Azinger, Senator Maynard, Senator Palumbo, Senator Plymale, Senator Prezioso, Senator Roberts, Senator Rucker, Senator Stollings, Senator Takubo, and Senator Weld.

Chairman Maroney recognized Vice-Chairman Tarr who introduced a motion to approve the minutes held February 12, 2019. The minutes were approved.

Chairman Maroney recognized Cindy Dellinger, Counsel, Senate Committee on Health and Human Resources, who presented Senate Bill 86 and the proposed committee substitute for Senate Bill 86 requiring county boards provide free feminine hygiene products in grades 6 to 12. Counsel Dellinger responded to questions from the committee.

With leave of the committee, Alisa Clements with Planned Parenthood, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maroney and addressed the committee and responded to questions regarding SB86.

Chairman Maroney presented the question to the Committee for agreement upon the Committee Substitute for SB86. All voted in favor of the Committee Substitute and it was adopted.

Chairman Maroney recognized Vice-Chairman Tarr who moved that the Committee Substitute to Senate Bill 86 be reported with recommendation to pass, but under the original double reference, first to be referred to the Committee on Finance. The Chairman put the question on the motion. The motion was passed.

Chairman Maroney recognized Cindy Dellinger, Counsel, Senate Committee on Health and Human Resources, who presented Senate Bill 300 and the proposed committee substitute for Senate Bill 300 relating to adoption records. Counsel Dellinger responded to questions from the committee.

With leave of the committee, Gary Thompson, State Registrar at West Virginia DHHR, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maroney and addressed the committee and responded to questions regarding SB300.

Chairman Maroney recognized Vice-Chairman Tarr who moved that the committee substitute for Senate Bill 300 be reported with recommendation to pass, but under the original double reference, first to be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. The Chairman put the question on the motion. The motion was passed.

Chairman Maroney recognized Cindy Dellinger, Counsel, Senate Committee on Health and Human Resources, who presented House Bill 2607 relating to the licensure of nursing homes. Counsel responded to questions from the committee.

Chairman Maroney recognized Vice-Chairman Tarr who moved that House Bill 2607 be reported with recommendation to pass. The Chairman put the question on the motion. The motion was passed.

Chairman Maroney recognized Cindy Dellinger, Counsel, Senate Committee on Health and Human Resources, who presented House Bill 2490 preventing proposing or enforcing rules that prevent recreational water facilities from making necessary upgrades. Counsel responded to questions from the committee.

With leave of the committee, Jeremiah Samples, Deputy Secretary of DHHR, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maroney and addressed the committee and responded to questions regarding HB2490.

With leave of the committee, Judy Vallandingham, Division Director, Public Health Sanitation Division, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maroney and addressed the committee and responded to questions regarding HB2490.

With leave of the committee, Tom Susman representing the Association of Local Health Department, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maroney and addressed the committee and responded to questions regarding HB2490.

Chairman Maroney recognized Vice-Chairman Tarr who moved that House Bill 2490 be laid over. The Chairman put the question on the motion. The motion was passed.

There being no further business to come before the Committee, Vice-Chairman Tarr moved to adjourn. Chairman Maroney put the question on the motion. The motion passed.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Maroney, Chairman

Terri Varney, Committee Clerk/Analyst