

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS
STANDING COMMITTEE
FEBRUARY 5, 2004, 9:30 A.M.
ROOM 403, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING**

Members Present: Sen. Carlene M. Walker, Chair
Sen. Patrice Arent
Sen. Dan Eastman
Sen. Beverly Evans
Sen. Karen Hale
Sen. Peter Knudson

Members Excused: Sen. Bill Hickman

Staff Present: Richard North, Policy Analyst
Saundra Maeser, Secretary

A list of visitors is filed with the committee minutes.

Committee Chair Walker called the meeting to order at 9:38 a.m.

1. **Approval of Minutes**

MOTION: Sen. Arent moved to approve the minutes of February 3, 2004.

The motion passed unanimously.

2. **S.B. 155 County Mental Health Amendments** (G. Davis)

Sen. Gene Davis introduced the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Arent moved to pass S.B. 155 out with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Arent moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

Committee Chair Walker adjourned the meeting at 9:44 a.m.

Minutes reported by Saundra Maeser, Secretary

Sen. Carlene Walker, Committee Chair

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