

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE
ROOM 25, HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING, STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX
February 4, 2009**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Paul Ray, Chair
 Rep. Ronda R. Menlove, Vice Chair
 Rep. Trisha Beck
 Rep. Phil Riesen
 Rep. Stephen E. Sandstrom
 Rep. Evan Vickers

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Brad Daw

STAFF PRESENT: Mark Andrews, Policy Analyst
 Sylvia Newton, House Secretary

Note: A list of visitors and copy of handouts are filed with committee minutes.

Rep. Ray called the meeting to order at 9:11 a.m.

MOTION: Rep. Vickers moved to approve the minutes of the February 3, 2008 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Menlove absent for the vote.

H.B. 114 Abortion Litigation Trust Account Amendments (Rep. K. Sumsion)

Rep. Sumsion explained the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Vickers moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 1, Lines 14 through 19:

14 ▶ provides that money may be deposited into the account, by private entities or by
 the
15 Legislature, for the purpose of defending any law passed by the Legislature on or
16 after January 1, 2009, and on or before July 1, 2014, that challenges the legal
17 concept that a woman has the right to an abortion, even when the woman is not
18 threatened with the loss of her life ~~{or}~~ substantial and irreversible impairment
 of a
19 major bodily function , rape, or incest ;

2. Page 2, Lines 50 through 56:

50 (4) Except as provided in Subsection (9), money deposited into the account on or
 after

121 (b) electronic prescribing is conducted in a secure manner , consistent with
industry standards ; and

5. *Page 5, Lines 124 through 127:*

124 (5) The division may, by rule, grant an exemption from the requirements of this
section

125 to a pharmacy or a practitioner to the extent that the pharmacy or
practitioner can establish, to the satisfaction of the division,

126 that compliance with the requirements of this section would impose an extreme financial

127 hardship on the pharmacy.

Section 4. Effective date.

This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.

The motion to amend the bill passed unanimously with Rep. Menlove absent for the vote.

Rep. Vickers explained the amended bill to the committee.

Spoke in favor of the bill: David Sundwall, M.D., Utah Department of Health
Joseph Cramer, M.D., Digital Health Service Commission
Dave Davis, Utah Retail Merchants Association, Utah Food
Industry Association
Reid Barker, Utah Pharmacists Association
Michelle McOmber, Utah Medical Association

MOTION: Rep. Riesen moved to pass the amended bill with a favorable recommendation.
The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Rep. Beck moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

Rep. Ray adjourned the meeting at 9:46 a.m.

Rep. Paul Ray
Committee Chair