

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE JUDICIARY STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING
Room W020 - House Building, State Capitol Complex
February 24, 2009**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Lorie D. Fowlke, Chair
Rep. Don Ipson, Vice Chair
Rep. Sheryl L. Allen
Rep. Jim Bird
Rep. Jackie Biskupski
Rep. Francis Gibson
Rep. Keith Grover
Rep. Eric K. Hutchings
Rep. Christine A. Johnson
Rep. Brian King
Rep. Kay L. McIff

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Kraig Powell
Rep. Mark A. Wheatley

STAFF PRESENT: Jerry D. Howe, Policy Analyst
Cherri White, Committee Secretary

NOTE: A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Madam Chair Fowlke called the meeting to order at 9:17 a.m., and called for a motion to approve the minutes of February 18, and February 20, 2009.

MOTION: Representative Gibson moved to approve the minutes of February 18 and February 20, 2009. The motion passed unanimously with Representatives Biskupski, King, Powell, and Wheatley absent for the vote.

HB0355 Indigent Inmate Trust Fund Amendments (Rep. K. McIff)

The sponsor introduced the bill and explained its intent. John Reidhead, Director, Department of Finance, addressed questions from the committee.

MOTION: Representative Ipson moved to pass HB 355 out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Representatives Johnson, Powell, and Wheatley absent for the vote.

Madam Chair Fowlke called for a motion to adjourn.

MOTION: Representative Gibson moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Representatives Johnson, Powell, and Wheatley absent for the vote.

Madam Chair Fowlke adjourned the meeting at 9:33 am.

Rep. Lorie Fowlke, Chair