

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE
LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE STANDING COMMITTEE
Room 25, House Office Building, State Capitol Complex
March 2, 2009

Members Present: Rep. Douglas Aagard, Chair
Rep. Curt Oda, Vice Chair
Rep. Trisha Beck
Rep. John Dougall
Rep. Ben Ferry
Rep. Richard Greenwood
Rep. David Litvak
Rep. Becky Lockhart
Rep. Paul Ray
Rep. Jennifer Seelig
Rep. Larry Wiley

Members Absent: Rep. Carl Wimmer

Staff Present: Mr. Stewart Smith, Policy Analyst
Ms. Linda Error, Committee Secretary

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

Rep. Aagard called the meeting to order at 8:07 a.m.

MOTION: Rep. Wiley moved to approve the minutes of the February 26, 2009 meeting. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Ferry, Rep. Litvack, and Rep. Seelig absent for the vote.

H.B. 357 Firearms Amendments (*Rep. S. Sandstrom*)

Rep. Sandstrom reviewed the bill which was previously presented in the February 26, 2008 meeting with the assistance of Mr. Brian Judy, National Rifle Association.

MOTION: Rep. Ray moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Dougall, Rep. Ferry, Rep. Litvack and Rep. Seelig absent for the vote.

H.B. 372 Insurance Provisions Regarding Offenders (*Rep. P. Ray*)

Rep. Ray reviewed the bill which was previously presented in the February 26, 2009 meeting.

Spoke against the bill: Mr. Kelly Atkinson, Utah Health Insurance Association

Spoke for the bill: Mr. Ron Mortenson, citizen

Ms. Linda Mulkey, citizen

Spoke against the bill: Ms. Delayne England, Eagle Forum

MOTION: Rep Wiley moved to pass the bill out favorably.

SUBSTITUTE

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

1. Page 2, Line 36:

36 (ii) "Wireless communication device" {~~includes~~} is limited to a:

The substitute motion to amend passed unanimously, with Rep. Aagard, Rep. Dougall, Rep. Ferry, and Rep. Litvack absent for the vote.

MOTION: Rep. Wiley moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed, with Rep. Lockhart, Rep. Oda, and Rep. Ray voting in opposition. Rep. Aagard, Rep. Dougall, and Rep. Ferry were absent for the vote.

H.B. 384 Public Lewdness Amendments (Rep. D. Ipson)

Rep. Ipson presented the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Rep. Ray moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Aagard and Rep. Ferry absent for the vote.

S.B. 39 Immigration Amendments (Sen. S. Jenkins)

Sen. Jenkins presented the bill to the committee.

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

5, Lines 144 through 145

144 (5) An agency or political subdivision shall verify a certification required under
145 Subsection (4) (b) through the Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements Program,
hereafter

The motion to amend passed unanimously, with Rep. Aagard and Rep. Ferry absent for the vote.
Spoke for the bill: Mr. Dave Davis, Utah Retail Merchants

MOTION: Rep. Dougall moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Aagard and Rep. Ferry absent for the vote.

S.B. 118 Parental Responsibility for Juvenile Criminal Gang Offense Costs (*Sen. J. Greiner*)

Sen. Greiner presented the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Ms. Marilyn Larsen, Utah PTA

MOTION: Rep. Greenwood moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed, with Rep. Dougall and Rep. Litvack voting in opposition.

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

Rep. Oda adjourned the meeting at 9:30 a.m.

Rep. Douglas Aagard, Chair