

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE EDUCATION
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Thursday, February 23, 2017 • 8:00 am • 30 House Building

Members Present:

Rep. Val L. Peterson, Chair
Rep. Kim F. Coleman, Vice Chair
Rep. LaVar Christensen
Rep. Bruce R. Cutler
Rep. Justin L. Fawson
Rep. Eric K. Hutchings
Rep. Daniel McCay
Rep. Carol Spackman Moss
Rep. Derrin R. Owens
Rep. Marie H. Poulson
Rep. V. Lowry Snow

Members Absent:

Rep. Francis D. Gibson
Rep. Bradley G. Last
Rep. Michael E. Noel

Staff Present:

Ms. Allyson R. Goldstein, Policy Analyst
Ms. Lorna Wells, Committee Secretary

Note: A list of others present, a copy of related materials, and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at le.utah.gov.

Chair Peterson called the meeting to order at 8:04 a.m.

1. S.B. 102 Utah Student Privacy Act (Mayne, K.)

Sen. Karen Mayne explained the bill.

Rep. Coleman assumed the chair.

Mr. Brad Asay, President, American Federation of Teachers of Utah, spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Hutchings moved to pass S.B. 102 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 8-0-6.

Yeas:

Rep. K. Coleman
Rep. B. Cutler
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. E. Hutchings
Rep. C. Moss
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. V. Peterson
Rep. M. Poulson

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. L. Christensen
Rep. F. Gibson
Rep. B. Last
Rep. D. McCay
Rep. M. Noel
Rep. V. Snow

MOTION: Rep. Cutler moved to approve the minutes of the February 17, 2017 and February 21, 2017 meetings. The motion passed with a vote of 8-0-6.

Yeas:

Rep. K. Coleman
Rep. B. Cutler
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. E. Hutchings
Rep. C. Moss
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. V. Peterson
Rep. M. Poulson

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. L. Christensen
Rep. F. Gibson
Rep. B. Last
Rep. D. McCay
Rep. M. Noel
Rep. V. Snow

2. H.B. 305 Utah Youth Sports Safety Policy (Ray, P.)

Rep. Paul Ray explained the bill.

Ms. Nancy Kennedy, Utah School Boards Association, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Mr. Carl Boyington, Executive Director, Utah Association of Secondary School Principals, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Mr. Brad Asay, President, American Federation of Teachers of Utah, spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Kim Abbott spoke in opposition to the bill.

Ms. Cate Klundt, Communications Director, Utah Association of Public Charter Schools, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Mr. Ryan Bird, Utah Charter Advocates, spoke in opposition to the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Fawson moved to hold H.B. 305. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-4.

Yeas:

Rep. L. Christensen
Rep. K. Coleman
Rep. B. Cutler
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. D. McCay
Rep. C. Moss
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. V. Peterson
Rep. M. Poulson
Rep. V. Snow

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. F. Gibson
Rep. E. Hutchings
Rep. B. Last
Rep. M. Noel

MOTION: Rep. McCay moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Coleman adjourned the meeting at 9:10 a.m.

Rep. Val L. Peterson, Chair