

**MINUTES OF THE  
SENATE EDUCATION STANDING COMMITTEE**

Tuesday , February 13, 2018 • 2:00 p.m. • 210 Senate Building

**Members Present:**

Sen. Ann Millner, Chair  
Sen. Deidre M. Henderson  
Sen. Lyle W. Hillyard  
Sen. Jani Iwamoto  
Sen. Howard A. Stephenson

**Members Absent:**

Sen. J. Stuart Adams  
President Wayne L. Niederhauser

**Staff Present:**

Mr. Nathan W. Brady, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Karen C. Allred, Committee Secretary

Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at [www.le.utah.gov](http://www.le.utah.gov).

Chair Millner called the meeting to order at 2:13 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hillyard moved to approve the minutes of the February 12, 2018 meeting. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-3

Sen. L. Hillyard  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. A. Millner

Nays-0

Absent-4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Henderson  
Sen. W. Niederhauser  
Sen. H. Stephenson

**1 . H.B. 234 Compulsory Education Revisions (Moss, J.)**

Rep. Jefferson Moss presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hillyard moved to amend H.B. 234 with Amendment #2. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4 .

Amendment 2  
H.B. 234

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53 (9) "Valid excuse" means:

54 (a) ~~{+} an {+} {-a}~~  ~~illness~~ illness, which may be either mental or

54a physical ;

55 (b) a family death;

Yeas-3

Sen. L. Hillyard  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. A. Millner

Nays-0

Absent-4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Henderson  
Sen. W. Niederhauser  
Sen. H. Stephenson

**MOTION:** Sen. Hillyard moved to pass H.B. 234 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-3

Sen. L. Hillyard  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. A. Millner

Nays-0

Absent-4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Henderson  
Sen. W. Niederhauser

Sen. H. Stephenson

**2 . H.B. 236 Public Education Reference Check Amendments (*Moss, J.*)**

Rep. Jefferson Moss presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Iwamoto moved to pass H.B. 236 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2 .

Yeas-5

Sen. D. Henderson  
Sen. L. Hillyard  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. H. Stephenson

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. W. Niederhauser

**MOTION:** Sen. Henderson moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2 .

Yeas-5

Sen. D. Henderson  
Sen. L. Hillyard  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. H. Stephenson

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. W. Niederhauser

Chair Millner adjourned the meeting at 2:24 p.m.