

MINUTES

HOUSE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND WORKFORCE SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE

Monday, February 12, 2024 8:30 a.m. 110 Senate Building

Members Present:

Rep. Mark A. Strong, Vice Chair

Rep. Melissa G. Ballard

Rep. Joel K. Briscoe

Rep. Scott H. Chew

Rep. Paul A. Cutler

Rep. Ariel Defay

Rep. Brett Garner

Rep. Colin W. Jack Rep. Mark A. Wheatley

Members Absent:

Rep. Jeffrey D. Stenguist, Chair

Staff Present:

Sivan Nizan, Policy Analyst

Linda Service, Committee Secretary

Rep. J. Stenguist

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Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at www.le.utah.gov.

Chair Strong called the meeting to order at 8:40 a.m.

MOTION: Rep. Jack moved to approve the minutes of the February 8, 2024 meeting. The motion passed with

a vote of 8 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 8 Absent - 2 Nays - 0 Rep. J. Briscoe

Rep. M. Ballard

Rep. S. Chew

Rep. P. Cutler

Rep. A. Defay

Rep. B. Garner

Rep. C. Jack

Rep. M. Strong

Rep. M. Wheatley

1. S.B. 123 Commercial Email Act (Cullimore, K. A.)

Sen. Cullimore introduced the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Cutler moved to pass S.B. 123 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 8 Navs - 0 Absent - 2 Rep. M. Ballard

Rep. J. Briscoe

Rep. S. Chew

Rep. P. Cutler

Rep. A. Defay

Rep. B. Garner

Rep. C. Jack

Rep. M. Strong

Rep. M. Wheatley

2. S.J.R. 3 Joint Resolution Concerning the Success Sequence (Fillmore, L.)

Sen. Fillmore introduced the resolution.

Amee Winder Newton, Senior Advisor, Governor's Office and Director, Office of Families, spoke in support of the bill.

Jim Moss, Chair, Utah State Board of Education, spoke to the bill.



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Stan Rasmussen, Vice President of Government Affairs, Sutherland Institute, spoke in support of the bill.

Nola Williams, Eagle Forum, spoke in support of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Ballard moved to pass S.J.R. 3 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 2 - 1.

Yeas - 7 Nays - 2 Absent - 1 Rep. J. Briscoe Rep. M. Ballard

Rep. J. Stenguist

Rep. S. Chew Rep. B. Garner Rep. P. Cutler Rep. A. Defay Rep. C. Jack

MOTION: Rep. Chew moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 9 - 0 - 1.

Yeas - 9 Nays - 0 Absent - 1

Rep. M. Ballard Rep. J. Stenguist

Rep. J. Briscoe Rep. S. Chew

Rep. A. Defay Rep. B. Garner Rep. C. Jack Rep. M. Strong

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Chair Strong adjourned the meeting at 9:09 a.m.