House Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Minutes
5/7/2019

Clerk called the roll, a quorum was present, and the minutes were approved.

Chair Vitale called upon Co-chair Stein to testify on the findings of the Energy Generation Subcommittee as relates to Sub H.B. 6.

Chair Vitale called on Co-chair O’Brien to speak to the findings of the energy Generation Subcommittee as relates to H.B. 6.

Chair Vitale recognized Representative Boggs’ appointment to the Energy and Natural Resources Committee.

Chair Vitale recommended that the committee accept Sub H.B. 6.

The sub bill was accepted without objection.

Chair Vitale called up Sam Randazzo, Chairman of the Public Utilities Commission to testify on electric generation in the state of Ohio.

The committee asked questions,

Mr. Randazzo answered the committee’s questions.

Chair Vitale called up Zachary Frimer to testify on behalf of the Ohio Chamber of Commerce.

The committee asked questions.

Mr. Frimier answered the questions of the committee.

Chair Vitale called up Mike Volpe to testify on behalf of Open Road Renewables.

The committee asked questions.

Mr. Volpe answered the questions of the committee.

Chair Vitale called up Becky Campbell to testify on behalf on First Solar, Inc.

The committee asked questions.

Ms. Campbell answered the questions of the committee.
Chair Vitale called up Robert Kelter to testify on behalf of the Environmental Law and Policy Center.
The committee asked questions.
Mr. Kelter answered the committee’s questions.
Chair Vitale called up MaryEllen Etiene to testify on behalf of the US Green Building Council.
The committee asked questions.
Ms. Etiene answered the questions of the committee.
Chair Vitale called up Gary Swanson to testify on behalf of Energy Management Solutions Inc.
The committee asked questions.
Mr. Swanson answered the questions of the committee.
Chair Vitale called up David Little to testify on behalf of Innergex Renewables, USA, LLC.
The committee asked questions.
Mr. Little answered the questions of the committee.
Chair Vitale called up Patricia Marida to testify on behalf of the Ohio Sierra Club Nuclear Free Committee.
Chair Vitale called up Trish Demeter to testify on behalf of the Ohio Environmental Action Fund.
Chair Vitale called up Jeff Schlegel to testify on behalf of Ohio businesses.
Chair Vitale called up Jim Hartman to testify about the bill.
Chair Vitale adjourned the meeting at approximately 2:10p.m.