



## Committee Minutes

**COMMITTEE:** Primary and Secondary Education  
**CHAIRPERSON:** Louis W. Blessing III  
**DATE:** April 9, 2019  
**TIME:** 5:00 PM  
**ROOM:** Room 121

Chairman Blessing called the meeting of the House Primary & Secondary Education Committee to order at 5:06pm in the Statehouse Room 121. Attendance was taken and a quorum was present. Representative Koehler moved to accept the minutes from the previous meeting. The motion was approved without objection.

Chairman Blessing called House Bill 127 for its second hearing.

Representative Crawley moved to accept Substitute Bill 1\_133\_0482-1. Chairman Blessing called Representative Hambley to speak to the substitute bill. Representative Hambley answered the questions on the substitute bill from the committee. The motion was approved without objection.

Chairman Blessing called Jennifer Hogue, Barb Shaner, and Thomas Ash to provide proponent testimony on Sub. HB 127. Jennifer Hogue, Barb Shaner, and Thomas Ash answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Chad Aldis to provide opponent testimony on Sub. HB 127. Chad Aldis answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing directed members to review the written proponent testimony on Sub. HB 127.

Chairman Blessing called House Bill 154 for its second hearing.

Representative Jones moved to accept Substitute Bill 1\_133\_0935-2. Chairman Blessing called Darold Johnson from the Ohio Federation of Teachers to speak to the substitute bill. Darold Johnson answered the questions of the committee. The motion was approved without objection.

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Chairman Blessing called Jennifer Hogue, Barb Shaner, and Thomas Ash to provide proponent testimony on Sub.HB 154. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Chad Aldis to provide opponent testimony on Sub. HB 154. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Matt Dotson, Becky Higgins, Larry Ellis, and Jay Pickering to give proponent testimony on Sub. HB 154. Matt Dotson, Becky Higgins, Larry Ellis, and Jay Pickering answered the questions of the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Brittany Alexander to provide proponent testimony on Sub. HB 154. Brittany Alexander answered the questions of the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Julie Garcia to provide proponent testimony on Sub. HB 154. Julie Garcia answered the questions of the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Melissa Cropper to provide proponent testimony on Sub. HB 154. Melissa Cropper answered the questions of the committee.

Vice Chair Jones directed members to review the written proponent testimony on Sub. HB 154.

With no further business, committee adjourned at 7:28pm.

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Louis W. Blessing III, Chair

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Committee Secretary

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