Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Primary and Secondary Education
CHAIRPERSON: Louis W. Blessing III
DATE: April 30, 2019
TIME: 5:00 PM
ROOM: Room 121

Vice Chair Jones called the meeting of the House Primary and Secondary Education Committee to order at 5:05pm in the Statehouse Room 121. Attendance was taken and a quorum was present. Representative Koehler moved to accept the minutes. The minutes were accepted without objection.

Vice Chair Jones called Jonathan Juravich from the Ohio Department of Education to present. Jonathan Juravich answered the questions of the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Senate Bill 4 for its second hearing.

Vice Chair Jones called Jen Hogue, Tom Ash, and Barb Shaner to provide proponent testimony on Senate Bill 4. Jen Hogue, Tom Ash, and Barb Shaner answered the questions of the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Bill Wise to provide proponent testimony on Senate Bill 4. No questions were asked by the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Jodi Armstrong to provide proponent testimony on Senate Bill 4. No questions were asked by the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Tim Tarvin to provide proponent testimony on Senate Bill 4. Tim Tarvin answered the questions of the committee.

Vice Chair Jones called Tim Williams to provide proponent testimony on Senate Bill 4. No questions were asked by the committee.

Vice Chair Jones directed members to review the written testimony submitted on Senate Bill 4.

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Vice Chair Jones called House Bill 23 for its second hearing.

Vice Chair Jones called Michael Stomps and Vicky Shillington to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 23. Michael Stomps and Vicky Shillington answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Luis Blanco Hoyos to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 23. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Grant Hillmann to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 23. Grant Hillmann answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called House Bill 164 for its second hearing.

Chairman Blessing called Kelly Haight to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 164. Kelly Haight answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Pastor Daniel Wolvin to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 164. Pastor Daniel Wolvin answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Substitute House Bill 154 for its third hearing.

Representative Miller moved to amend Substitute House Bill 154 (AM_133_0346). Chairman Blessing called Representative Miller to speak on the amendment. Representative Miller answered the questions of the committee. The motion was approved without objection.

Representative Miller moved to amend Substitute House Bill 154 (AM_133_0335). Chairman Blessing called Representative Miller to speak on the amendment. The motion was approved without objection.

Chairman Blessing called Aaron Baer to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 164. Aaron Baer answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Matt Sharp to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 164. Matt Sharp answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Barry Sheets to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 164. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Mike Carney to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 164. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing directed members to review the written testimony submitted on House Bill 164.

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Chairman Blessing called Substitute House Bill 154 for its third hearing.

Chairman Blessing called Tom Ash, Jen Hogue, and Barb Shaner to provide proponent testimony on Substitute House Bill 154. Tom Ash, Jen Hogue, and Barb Shaner answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Stephanie Eichenberg to provide proponent testimony on Substitute House Bill 154. Stephanie Eichenberg answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Andre Washington to provide proponent testimony on Substitute House Bill 154. Andre Washington was not present. Chairman Blessing directed members to review the written testimony submitted on Substitute House Bill 154.

Chairman Blessing called Chris Varwig to provide proponent testimony on Substitute House Bill 154. Chris Varwig answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Ronald Shadd and Brenda Kimble to provide proponent testimony on Substitute House Bill 154. Ronald Shadd and Brenda Kimble answered the questions of the committee.

The committee went into recess at 9:06pm.

The committee reconvened at 9:15pm.

Representative Jones moved to favorably report Substitute House Bill 154. The bill was favorably reported with a vote of 11-2.

With no further business, committee adjourned at 9:18pm.

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Louis W. Blessing III, Chair

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Committee Secretary

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