



Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Homeland Security
CHAIRPERSON: Haraz N. Ghanbari
DATE: May 22, 2024
TIME: 11:00 AM
ROOM: Room 121

Chair Ghanbari brought the Homeland Security to order at 11:08am and called on committee members and the audience to recite the pledge of allegiance.

Clerk called the roll. Quorum was reached with 8 present members. Homeland Security proceeded as a full committee

Meeting minutes from the previous meeting were approved without objection.

Chair Ghanbari called H.B. 303 up for its fourth hearing.

Chair Ghanbari calls on Vice Chair Plummer for a motion. Vice Chair Plummer moved to favorably report H.B. 303 and recommend its passage.

Roll was called and the bill passed 9-0.

That concluded the fourth hearing on H.B. 303.

Chair Ghanbari then called H.B. 374 up for its first hearing.

Rep. Mohamad and Rep. Dobos provided sponsor testimony.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. K. Miller for a couple questions. Rep. Mohamad answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Thomas for a couple questions. Rep. Mohamad answered.

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Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Hall for a question. Rep. Mohamad answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Brent for a few questions. Rep. Mohamad answered.

That concluded the first hearing on H.B. 374.

Chair Ghanbari then called up H.B. 472 for its second hearing.

Chair Ghanbari called on Marcell Strbich to provide proponent testimony to H.B. 472.

Chair Ghanbari asked a clarifying question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Abrams for a couple questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Brent to ask a few questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Thomas to ask a question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. K. Miller to ask a couple questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Mohamed to ask a question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called upon Jim Rigano to provide proponent testimony to H.B. 472.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Thomas to ask a question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Brent to ask a couple questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Mohamed to ask a couple questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Thomas again to ask a follow-up question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Abrams to ask a final question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called upon Martha Cooper to provide proponent testimony to H.B. 472.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Thomas to ask a couple questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari then called on Gail Niederlehner to provide proponent testimony to H.B. 472.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Thomas to ask a couple questions. Witness answered.

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Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Brent to ask a couple questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari next called on Tom Howard to provide proponent testimony to H.B. 472.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. C. Thomas for a couple questions. Witness answered and indicated that he would provide further information to the committee.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Brent for a question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari asked a question of the witness. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari last called Allison Nickolai to provide proponent testimony on H.B. 472.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. C. Thomas for a few questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Demetriou to ask a question. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Brent to ask a couple questions. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari called on Rep. Demetriou to ask a question of a previous witness, Marcell Strbich. Witness answered.

Chair Ghanbari directed members to their iPads to review the written testimony submitted in support of H.B. 472.

That concluded the second hearing on HB 472.

Seeing no addition business, the committee was adjourned at 1:32pm.

Haraz N. Ghanbari, Chair

Committee Secretary

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