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HEALTH POLICY COMMITTEE

SENATOR JIM MARLEAU, CHAIRMAN

MINUTES

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Health Policy was held on Wednesday, July 18, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. in Rooms 402-03 of the Capitol Building.

Senator Marleau called the meeting to order at 11:21 a.m.

Attendance was recorded as follows:

Present: Senators Marleau (C), Robertson, Emmons, Jones, Warren, and Gleason

Absent: None

Excused: Senators Hune and Schuitmaker

Senator Marleau announced the order of business:

- Adoption of June 13, 2012 minutes
- SB 1112 Sen. Proos Children; protection; task force on the prevention of sexual abuse of children; create.
- SB 1113 Sen. Warren Education; school districts; school district policy regarding child sex abuse and suggested instruction and training in child sex abuse prevention; provide for.
- SB 1114 Sen. Emmons Education; curricula; opt-out from instruction regarding child sexual abuse and opportunity for parental preview; provide for.

Senator Marleau announced the next order of business was Senate Bills 1112-1114.

As the sponsors of the package, Senators Proos, Warren, and Emmons gave members an overview of the bills.

The following people gave testimony in support of Senate Bills 1112-1114:

- Erin Merry, Citizen
- Karyn Ferrick and Colin Parks, Michigan Department of Human Services, Support in concept
- Kathy Hagenian, Michigan Coalition to End Domestic & Sexual Violence, Support in concept

The following people submitted cards in support of Senate Bills 1112-1114 but did not wish to speak:

- Jamie Rossow, Berrien County Council on Children
- Kate McAuliffe, Washtenaw Intermediate School District
- Dr. David Michelson, Michigan Education Association

Senator Robertson made a motion to adopt the minutes from the meeting of June 13, 2012; being no objection, the motion prevailed.

Senator Warren offered a motion to report Senate Bill 1112 with recommendation.

Yeas: Senators Marleau, Robertson, Emmons, Jones, Warren, and Gleason

Nays: None

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Senator Marleau made a motion to recommend immediate effect; being no objection, the motion carried.

Senator Jones offered a motion to report Senate Bill 1113 with recommendation.

Yeas: Senators Marleau, Robertson, Emmons, Jones, Warren, and Gleason

Nays: None

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Senator Gleason made a motion to recommend immediate effect; being no objection, the motion carried.

Senator Emmons offered a motion to report Senate Bill 1114 with recommendation.

Yeas: Senators Marleau, Robertson, Emmons, Jones, Warren, and Gleason

Nays: None

Pass: None

The motion prevailed.

Senator Robertson made a motion to recommend immediate effect; being no objection, the motion carried.

Senator Marleau made a motion to excuse absent members; being no objection, the motion carried.

Senator Marleau adjourned the meeting without objection at 11:55 a.m.

Date approved by the Committee: September 13, 2012

**An audio recording of this committee meeting is available upon request for a minimal fee.