



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE

REP. KARA HOPE

CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, March 12, 2024

9:00 AM

Room 519, House Office Building

The House Committee on Criminal Justice was called to order by Chair Hope.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou, Filler, Mueller, Bezotte, Harris, BeGole.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Andrews moved to adopt the meeting minutes from March 5, 2024. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 5124, HB 5125 and HB 5126 before the committee:

HB 5124 (Rep. Bollin)

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending section 7401 (MCL 333.7401), as amended by 2016 PA 548.

HB 5125 (Rep. Lightner)

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending section 1 of chapter XI (MCL 771.1), as amended by 2019 PA 165.

HB 5126 (Rep. Witwer)

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending section 13m of chapter XVII (MCL 777.13m), as amended by 2016 PA 549.

Representative Lightner and Representative Bollin testified together in support of HB 5124, HB 5125 and HB 5126. Questions and discussion followed.

Jerry Jarzynka, Jackson County Prosecutor, representing the Prosecuting Attorneys

Association of Michigan, testified in support of HB 5124, HB 5125 and HB 5126. Questions and discussion followed.

Julie Risner, representing herself, testified in support of HB 5124, HB 5125 and HB 5126.

Mike Hirst, representing himself, testified in support of HB 5124, HB 5125 and HB 5126.

The Chair laid HB 5271 before the committee:

HB 5271 (Rep. Hope)

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending section 16 of chapter X (MCL 770.16), as amended by 2015 PA 229.

Representative Breen moved to adopt substitute (H-1) to HB 5271. The motion prevailed 8-0-5:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou.

Nays: None.

Pass: Reps. Filler, Mueller, Bezotte, Harris, BeGole.

Representative Tyrone Carter moved to report out HB 5271 with recommendation, as substitute (H-1). The motion prevailed 8-3-2:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou.

Nays: Reps. Filler, Bezotte, Harris.

Pass: Reps. Mueller, BeGole.

The Chair laid HB 5431 before the committee:

HB 5431 (Rep. Andrews)

A bill to amend 2016 PA 343, entitled "Wrongful imprisonment compensation act," by amending sections 2, 4, 5, and 7 (MCL 691.1752, 691.1754, 691.1755, and 691.1757), section 7 as amended by 2020 PA 43.

Representative Young moved to adopt substitute (H-1) to HB 5431. The motion prevailed 8-1-4:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou.

Nays: Rep. Mueller.

Pass: Reps. Filler, Bezotte, Harris, BeGole.

Representative Andrews moved to report out HB 5431 with recommendation, as substitute (H-1). The motion prevailed 8-3-2:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou.
Nays: Reps. Mueller, Bezotte, Harris.
Pass: Reps. Filler, BeGole.

The Chair laid HB 5182 and HB 5183 before the committee:

HB 5182 (Rep. Mentzer)	A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code," by amending section 116 (MCL 750.116).
HB 5183 (Rep. Farhat)	A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending section 16f of chapter XVII (MCL 777.16f), as amended by 2000 PA 498.

The following people submitted a card in support of HB 5182 and HB 5183, but did not wish to speak:

Matt Saxton, representing the Michigan Sheriffs' Association.
Barb Farrah with GCSI, representing the City of Detroit and Detroit Police Department.

Representative Arbit moved to adopt substitute (H-2) to HB 5182. The motion prevailed 13-0-0:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou, Filler, Mueller, Bezotte, Harris, BeGole.
Nays: None.
Pass: None.

Representative Dievendorf moved to report out HB 5182 with recommendation, as substitute (H-2). The motion prevailed 13-0-0:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou, Filler, Mueller, Bezotte, Harris, BeGole.
Nays: None.
Pass: None.

Representative Tsernoglou moved to adopt substitute (H-1) to HB 5183. The motion prevailed 13-0-0:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou, Filler, Mueller, Bezotte, Harris, BeGole.
Nays: None.
Pass: None.

Representative Andrews moved to report out HB 5183 with recommendation, as substitute (H-1). The motion prevailed 13-0-0:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hope, Andrews, Tyrone Carter, Breen, Young, Arbit, Dievendorf, Tsernoglou, Filler, Mueller, Bezotte, Harris, BeGole.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

There being no further business before the committee, Chair Hope adjourned the meeting at 9:55 AM.

Representative Kara Hope, Chair

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