

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES REP. BRENDA CARTER CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, September 14, 2023 9:00 AM

Room 521, House Office Building

The House Committee on Insurance and Financial Services was called to order by Chair Brenda Carter.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. Brenda Carter, McFall, Coleman, Stone, Breen, Rogers, Scott, Young, Fitzgerald, Grant, Harris, Markkanen, Bezotte, Aragona, Bruck, Never, Smit.

Absent: None. Excused: None.

Representative Scott moved to adopt the meeting minutes from June 22, 2023. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4131 before the committee:

HB 4131 (Rep. Liberati)

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending section 3476 (MCL 500.3476), as amended by 2020 PA 97.

Representative Rogers moved to refer HB 4131 to the Committee on Health Policy. The motion prevailed 15-0-0:

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Brenda Carter, McFall, Coleman, Stone, Rogers, Scott, Young, Fitzgerald, Grant, Harris, Markkanen, Bezotte, Bruck, Neyer, Smit.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid SB 356, SB 357 and SB 358 before the committee:

SB 356	(Sen. Hertel)	A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending section 2212a (MCL 500.2212a), as amended by 2016 PA 276.
SB 357	(Sen. Cavanagh)	A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending section 2213b (MCL 500.2213b), as amended by 2016 PA 276, and by adding section 2213e.
SB 358	(Sen. Klinefelt)	A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," (MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding section 3406z.

Senator Hertel testified in support of SB 356, SB 357 and SB 358. Questions and discussion followed.

Jennifer Morse testified in support of SB 356, SB 357 and SB 358. Questions and discussion followed.

Rachel Richards, representing the Michigan League for Public Policy, testified in support of SB 356, SB 357 and SB 358.

The following people submitted a card in support of SB 356, SB 357 and SB 358, but did not wish to speak:

Adam Carlson, representing the Michigan Hospital Association.

Kate Dorsey, representing the Michigan State Medical Society.

Joseph Sullivan, representing the Michigan Department of Insurance and Financial Services.

Frank Waters, representing the Michigan Primary Care Association.

The Chair laid before the committee a presentation from FAIR Health

Donna Smith, representing FAIR Health as the Chief Client Officer, gave a presentation. Questions and discussion followed.

Allison Schnieders, representing FAIR Health as the Deputy General Counsel, gave a presentation. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the committee, Representative Young moved to adjourn. Chair Brenda Carter adjourned the meeting at 9:57 AM.

Representative Brenda Carter, Chair

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