



MICHIGAN  
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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE  
ON  
ELECTIONS AND ETHICS

Thursday, March 30, 2017                      10:30 a.m.                      Room 308 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Elections and Ethics was called to order by Chairman Miller.

Chairman Miller laid the committee at ease, the time being 10:30 a.m.

Chairman Miller called the committee back to order, the time being 10:31 a.m.

Members present: Reps. Miller, Calley, Kesto, Garcia, Webber, Lilly, Guerra, Zemke, Moss.

Members absent/excused: None.

Representative Kesto moved to adopt the minutes of March 2, 2017. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Chairman Miller laid the following bills before the committee:

HB 4177 (Vaupel)                      Elections; ballots; requirement of political party vignettes being printed on election ballots; remove.

HB 4178 (Canfield)                      Elections; ballots; reference to party vignette in the Michigan campaign finance act; remove.

Representative Lilly moved to report out HB 4177 with recommendation. The motion prevailed, the vote being 6-3-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Miller, Calley, Kesto, Garcia, Webber, Lilly.

Nays: Reps. Guerra, Zemke, Moss.

Pass: None.

Representative Garcia moved to report out HB 4178 with recommendation. The motion prevailed, the vote being 6-3-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Miller, Calley, Kesto, Garcia, Webber, Lilly.

Nays: Reps. Guerra, Zemke, Moss.

Pass: None.

There being no further business before the committee, Chairman Miller adjourned the meeting, the time being 10:35 a.m.

**Representative Aaron Miller, Chair**\_\_\_\_\_

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