



**MICHIGAN**  
**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
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**MINUTES OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE**

**Thursday, March 16, 2017                      9:00 a.m.                      Room 519 House Office Building, Lansing**

Representative VanderWall, Vice-Chair, called the meeting to order.

**MEMBERS PRESENT: Representatives Theis, VanderWall, Barrett, Glenn, Runestad, Vaupel, Webber, Bellino, Hoitenga, LaFave, Wentworth, Greimel, Gay-Dagnogo, Wittenberg, Hammoud, Lasinski.**

**ABSENT/EXCUSED: Representative Phelps.**

Representative Barrett made a motion to adopt the minutes of the meeting held on March 2, 2017. No objections being offered, the minutes were accepted as presented.

The Vice-Chair laid the following bill before the Committee.

HB 4325 (Barrett)                      Insurance; producers; continuing education credit carryover system for insurance producers; provide for.

Representative Barrett discussed the contents of HB 4325 with the Committee.

Chad Arnold, representing the Michigan Department of Insurance and Financial Services (DIFS), spoke to the Committee in support of the bill.

Cathy Cooper, representing the Michigan Association of Health Underwriters, spoke in support of the bill.

A card indicating support for HB 4325 was submitted by Matt Solak, representing the National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors.

Eric Rule, representing the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents, submitted a card in support of the bill.

Katie Jones, representing Allstate Insurance Company, also submitted a card indicating support for HB 4325.

Chair Theis entered the room and assumed the Chair, the time being 9:10 a.m.

Chair Theis stated that the Committee would stand at ease.

The Chair reconvened the meeting at 9:15 a.m.

The Chair laid the following bill before the Committee.

HB 4117 (Iden) Insurance; producers; license eligibility; modify.

Representative Iden reviewed the provisions of HB 4117 with the Committee.

Chad Arnold, Jean Bovin and Michele Riddening, representing the Michigan Department of Insurance and Financial Services (DIFS), spoke to the Committee in support of a proposed H-1 substitute to the bill.

A card indicating support for HB 4117 was submitted by Matt Solak, representing the National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors.

Representative Greimel offered a motion to excuse absent members. No objections being offered, absent members were excused.

There being no additional business before the Committee, Chair Theis declared the meeting adjourned, the time being 9:35 a.m.

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Representative Lana Theis, Chair

Catherine Petroskey, Committee Clerk (517) 373-8538