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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Tuesday, May 16th, 2017 12:00 p.m. Room 326 House Office Building

Representative Runestad, Chair, called the meeting to order.

Chair Runestad requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Present: Reps. Runestad, Theis, Howrylak, Cole, Hornberger, LaFave, Greimel, Robinson, Guerra, and Sowerby.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Cole moved to approve the minutes of the May 9th, 2017 meeting. The motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4575 before the committee:

HB 4575 (LaFave) Civil procedure; costs and fees; fee for publication of legal notice; extend sunset for annual increases for inflation.

Representative LaFave testified on the proposed substitute (H-2).

Representative LaFave moved to adopt substitute (H-2) for HB 4575. The motion prevailed by a vote 8-0-2.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Runestad, Howrylak, Cole, Hornberger, LaFave, Robinson, Guerra, and Sowerby.

Nays: None.

Pass: Reps. Theis and Greimel.

Tim Reeves, representing the Legislative Service Bureau, testified on the bill.

The following people submitted testimony cards in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Andrew Richner, representing the Teamsters.

Brad Thompson, representing the Detroit Legal News.

The Chair laid SB 245 before the committee:

SB 245 (Jones) Weapons; other; spring-assisted knife; allow.

Nick Capone, representing the office of Senator Jones, and Sergeant Tim Fitzgerald, representing the Michigan State Police, testified in support of the bill.

The Chair laid a presentation on Child Custody before the committee.

The Honorable Richard Halloran, representing the Michigan Judges Association, presented on Child Custody. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting, the time being 12:52 p.m.

Representative Runestad, Chair

Matthew Carnegie
Committee Clerk
May 16th, 2017

Date Approved and Signed