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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
REGULATORY REFORM

Wednesday, March 22, 2017 10:30 a.m. Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Regulatory Reform was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Love, Jones
Absent/Excused: Reps. Liberati

Representative Moss moved to adopt the minutes of March 15, 2017. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4081 before the committee:

HB 4081 (Barrett) Gaming; bingo and charitable gaming; millionaire parties; provide for general amendments.

Representative Bellino moved to adopt substitute H-1. The motion prevailed 14-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Love, Jones.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid SB 35 before the committee:

SB 35 (Jones) Gaming; bingo and charitable gaming; millionaire parties; provide for general amendments.

Representative Bellino moved to adopt substitute H-1. The motion prevailed 15-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Love, Jones.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair returned to HB 4081 and continued on with SB 35.

Representative Barrett and Senator Jones testified in support of their bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Michael Horvath, representing the Knights of Columbus Council #10006, testified in support of the bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Dane Nickels, representing the Laingsburg Lions and the Wolfpack Sports Boosters, testified in support of the bills.

Kim Spalsbury, representing the Grand Ledge Lions Club, testified in support of the bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Bill Audette, representing St. Mary's High School, testified in support of the bills.

Rick Kalm, Executive Director, and Dave Murley, Deputy Director, from the Michigan Gaming Control Board testified in opposition to the bills and provided written testimony. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Leutheuser moved to reconsider the vote by which the H-1 substitute to House Bill 4081 was adopted. The motion prevailed 15-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Love, Jones.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Bellino moved to adopt substitute H-1 to House Bill 4081. The motion prevailed 15-0-0

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Love, Jones.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Bellino offered the following amendment to House Bill 4081 (H-1):

1. Amend page 2, line 5, after "SECTION" by striking out "501 (C) (3)" and inserting "501 (C)".

Representative Bellino moved to adopt his amendment. The motion prevailed 15-0-0

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Love, Jones.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

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

Bob Nelson, Lansing Kiwanis/MICGA

Michigan Charitable Gaming Association

Marilyn Britten, American Legion

Tom Hickson, Michigan Catholic Conference

Ashley Bur, Michigan United Conservation Clubs

Ronald Pioch

Michael Kelly, Grand Ledge Lions Club

Andy Such, Kiwanis Club of Haslett

Representative Moss moved to excuse Representative Liberati. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 11:50 a.m.

Representative Brandt Iden, Chair_____

Ian Mays, Committee Clerk

House Regulatory Reform Committee