



West Virginia Senate

Committee on Government Organization

Minutes for FEBRUARY 15, 2022, 2:00 PM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on Government Organization met on February 15, 2022, 2:00 PM in Room 208-W.

Members present: Senators Maynard, Swope, Maroney, Martin, Nelson, Smith, Sypolt, Woodrum, Brown, Caputo, Jeffries, Lindsay, Woelfel

Members absent: Senator Stover

A silent roll call being taken, the presence of a quorum was established.

On motion of Senator Swope, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Com. Sub. for S.B. 489 – Clarifying amount of deputy sheriff annual salary increase

J.A. Curia, Committee Counsel, explained the purpose of the committee substitute and responded to questions. The question on agreeing to the committee substitute, was put, and adopted. On motion of Senator Swope, the committee substitute for S.B. 489 was reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

Com. Sub. for S.B. 530 – Encouraging public-private partnerships in transportation

Carl Fletcher, Committee Counsel, explained the purpose of the committee substitute and responded to questions. The question on agreeing to the committee substitute, was put, and adopted. On motion of Senator Swope, the committee substitute for S.B. 530 was reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass; but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the committee on Finance.

H.B. 4333 – Relating to the sunset of the Board of Hearing-Aid Dealers and Fitters

Carl Fletcher, Committee Counsel, explained the purpose of the bill and responded to questions.

With leave of the committee, Marsha Mattingly, West Virginia Board of Hearing-Aid Dealers and Fitters, appeared virtually and was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maynard, addressed the committee, and responded to questions. (See attached oath.)

With leave of the committee, Martin Elbin, President, West Virginia Hearing Society, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maynard, addressed the committee, and responded to questions. (See attached oath.)

With leave of the committee, Clint McCandless, licensed hearing insurance specialist in West Virginia, appeared virtually and was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Maynard, addressed the committee, and responded to questions. (See attached oath.)

On motion of Senator Swope, H.B. 4333 was reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass. Senator Caputo requested a no vote be documented on his behalf.

On Motion of Senator Swope the committee adjourned.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Mark R. Maynard".

Mark R. Maynard, Chair

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Isabel Kinnison".

Isabel Kinnison, Analyst/Clerk

The Senate of West Virginia



Remote/Virtual Testimony

Testimony taken this 15 day of February, 2022, in
the Senate Committee on Government Organization.

"I solemnly swear (or affirm) that the testimony I shall give shall be
the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so help me
God."

Marsha Mattingly

Print Witness Name

Isabel Keninson

Testimony Attested to by Committee
Clerk

Oath was administered by:

Mark R. Maynard

Print Member Name

Mark R. Maynard

Sign Member Name



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MARTIN EUBEN

Print Witness Name

W. E. G.

Sign Witness Name

Oath was administered by:

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