



West Virginia House of Delegates

Subcommittee on Banking and Insurance

Minutes for February 19, 2026, 1:00 PM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Subcommittee on Banking and Insurance met on February 19, 2026, 1:00 PM, in the House Finance Committee Room 460-M.

Members present: Chairman Hall, Vice Chairman Jeffries, Delegates Ellington, Fehrenbacher, Hott, Riley, Rohrbach, Williams.

Members absent: Delegates Linville and Zatezalo.

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

On motion of Delegate Jeffries, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Bills on Mark up and Passage.

No bills on markup and passage.

Bills on Hearing

HB4869 - Establish narrow, clearly bound guaranteed-issue rights for Medicare Supplement policies in West Virginia.

Del. Green, bill sponsor, explained the bill.

Travis Pace was sworn in to speak on the bill.

Questions and answers followed.

Bill is moved to markup.

HB5462 - Relating to Mine Subsidence

Jeremy Wolfe, Executive Director of BRIM, spoke on the bill.

Jill Rice was sworn in to speak on the bill.

Questions and answers followed.

Bill is moved to markup and passage.

HB5463 - Relating to Decreasing Board of Education Limits

Jeremy Wolfe, Executive Director of BRIM, spoke on the bill.

Bill is moved to markup and passage.

HB5515 - Relating to modernizing and updating workers' compensation statutes.

Allan McVey, West Virginia Insurance Commissioner, spoke on the bill.

HB5521 - Relating to public adjusters

Del. Hott, bill sponsor, explained the bill.

Allan McVey, West Virginia Insurance Commissioner, spoke on the bill.

Questions and answers followed.

On Motion of Delegate Hott the committee adjourned.

Walter Hall

Committee Chair

Rose Marion

Committee Clerk