

## **The House Committee on Ways & Means**

89th Legislature

April 28, 2025

9:00 a.m.

JHR 140

Pursuant to a notice posted on April 23, 2025, revised on April 24, 2025, and a suspension of the 5-day posting rule on April 24, 2025, the House Committee on Ways & Means met in a public hearing and was called to order by the chair, Representative Meyer, at 9:01 a.m.

The initial quorum call was answered as follows: Representatives Meyer; Bernal; Button; Capriglione; Gervin-Hawkins; Muñoz; Noble; Troxclair; and Turner.

A quorum was present.

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**HB 2575**

The chair laid out HB 2575.

The chair recognized Representative Shaheen to explain HB 2575.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

(Representative Perez, Vincent now present.)

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

(Representative Hickland now present.)

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Shaheen to close on HB 2575.

HB 2575 was left pending without objection.

**HB 5169**

The chair laid out HB 5169.

The chair recognized Representative Shaheen to explain HB 5169.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

(Representative Martinez Fischer now present.)

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

(Representative Vasut now present.)

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Shaheen to close on HB 5169.

HB 5169 was left pending without objection.

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**HB 1508**

The chair laid out HB 1508.

The chair recognized Representative Metcalf to explain HB 1508.

(Representative Troxclair now present.)

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Metcalf to close on HB 1508.

HB 1508 was left pending without objection.

**HB 3746**

The chair laid out HB 3746.

The chair recognized Representative Darby to explain HB 3746.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Darby to close on HB 3746.

HB 3746 was left pending without objection.

**HB 4725**

The chair laid out HB 4725.

The chair recognized Representative Money to explain HB 4725.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Money to close on HB 4725.

HB 4725 was left pending without objection.

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**HB 4580**

The chair laid out HB 4580.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Harless to explain HB 4580.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Harless to close on HB 4580.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 4580 was left pending without objection.

**HB 982**

The chair laid out HB 982.

The chair recognized Representative Wilson to explain HB 982.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Wilson to close on HB 982.

HB 982 was left pending without objection.

**HJR 73**

The chair laid out HJR 73.

The chair recognized Representative Wilson to explain HJR 73.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Wilson to close on HJR 73.

HJR 73 was left pending without objection.

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### **HB 4083**

The chair laid out HB 4083.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Button to explain HB 4083.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Button to close on HB 4083.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 4083 was left pending without objection.

### **HJR 174**

The chair laid out HJR 174.

The chair recognized Representative Button to explain HJR 174.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Button to close on HJR 174.

HJR 174 was left pending without objection.

### **HB 5511**

The chair laid out HB 5511.

The chair recognized Representative Bhojani to explain HB 5511.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Bhojani to close on HB 5511.

HB 5511 was left pending without objection.

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**HB 3646**

The chair laid out HB 3646.

The chair recognized Representative Capriglione to explain HB 3646.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Capriglione to close on HB 3646.

HB 3646 was left pending without objection.

**HB 4240**

The chair laid out HB 4240.

The chair recognized Representative Vasut to explain HB 4240.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Vasut to close on HB 4240.

HB 4240 was left pending without objection.

**HB 1483**

The chair laid out HB 1483.

The chair recognized Representative Gervin-Hawkins to explain HB 1483.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Gervin-Hawkins to close on HB 1483.

HB 1483 was left pending without objection.

**HJR 102**

The chair laid out HJR 102.

The chair recognized Representative Gervin-Hawkins to explain HJR 102.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

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The chair recognized Representative Gervin-Hawkins to close on HJR 102.

HJR 102 was left pending without objection.

**HB 3993**

The chair laid out HB 3993.

The chair recognized Representative Troxclair to explain HB 3993.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Troxclair to close on HB 3993.

HB 3993 was left pending without objection.

**HB 105**

The chair laid out HB 105.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Guillen to explain HB 105.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Guillen to close on HB 105.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 105 was left pending without objection.

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At 10:58 a.m., on the motion of the chair and without objection, the meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

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Rep. Meyer, Chair

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Ryan Marquess, Clerk