

Committee: Senate Education

Thursday, February 18, 2021 7:45 AM

Roll Call

Present: Sen. Bolin, Sen. Heinert, Sen. V. J. Smith, Sen. Steinhauer, Sen. Tobin,
Sen. Schoenfish, and Sen. Curd

OTHERS PRESENT: See Original Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Senator Curd

MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH

Moved by: Bolin
Second by: V. J. Smith
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

THE CHAIR DEFERRED SB 170 UNTIL A FUTURE DATE NEXT WEEK

SCR 605 : Supporting the value of public higher education in South Dakota and encouraging continued efforts to ensure that higher education remains affordable for all South Dakotans.

Presented by: Arthur Rusch, South Dakota Senator, Vermillion

MOTION: AMEND SCR 605

SCR605A

On page 1, line 24, of the Introduced bill, delete "; and" and insert a colon
On page 2, line 1, of the Introduced bill, after "and" delete " WHEREAS, when considering the total cost of attendance and the average grant aid available to students, South Dakota is falling behind other states in affordability of public higher education:"

Moved by: Bolin
Second by: Tobin
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

MOTION: DO PASS SCR 605 AS AMENDED

Moved by: Bolin
Second by: Steinhauer
Action: Prevailed by roll call vote (7-0-0-0)

Voting Yes: Bolin, Heinert, V. J. Smith, Steinhauer, Tobin, Schoenfish, and Curd

HAVING PASSED UNANIMOUSLY, THE CHAIR CERTIFIED SCR 605 AS UNCONTESTED AND AS SUCH BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

HB 1196 : provide free tuition and fees to visually impaired residents for courses not subsidized by the state general fund.

Presented by: Senator Reynold Nesiba

Proponents: Representative Erin Healy (Handout(s) 1)
Nathan Lukkes, Board of Regents
Tim Neyhart, Executive Director, Disability Rights South Dakota
Koni Sims, self, Sioux Falls
Ryan Groeneweg, Self, Sioux Falls
Others: Cole Uecker, Staff Attorney, Disability Rights South Dakota

MOTION: DO PASS HB 1196

Moved by: Heinert
Second by: Steinhauer
Action: Prevailed by roll call vote (7-0-0-0)

Voting Yes: Bolin, Heinert, V. J. Smith, Steinhauer, Tobin, Schoenfish, and Curd

HAVING PASSED UNANIMOUSLY, THE CHAIR CERTIFIED HB 1196 AS UNCONTESTED AND AS SUCH BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

SB 128 : preclude the assignment of exclusive broadcast rights for certain high school interscholastic activities by an association.

Presented by: Senator Brock Greenfield

MOTION: AMEND SB 128

128B

On the previously adopted amendment (128A), On page 3, line 19, after "event." insert " No association or media contractor may charge a fee for news media to engage in journalism at any such activity or event."

On the previously adopted amendment (128A), On page 3, line 22, after "state" insert " championship"

Moved by: Steinhauer
Second by: Bolin
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

MOTION: DO PASS SB 128 AS AMENDED

Moved by: Curd
Second by: Bolin
Action: Prevailed by roll call vote (7-0-0-0)

Voting Yes: Bolin, Heinert, V. J. Smith, Steinhauer, Tobin, Schoenfish, and Curd

MOTION: ADJOURN

Moved by: V. J. Smith
Second by: Bolin
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

Sharon Welch, Committee Secretary

/s/ R. BLAKE CURD
R. Blake Curd, Chair