

Approved

R. H. Harper Feb 16, 1984  
Date

MINUTES OF THE House COMMITTEE ON Elections

The meeting was called to order by Representative Richard L. Harper at  
Chairperson

9:00 a.m./p.m. on Tuesday, February 7, 1984 in room 521-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: All present

Committee staff present: Myrta Anderson, Legislative Research Department  
Ramon Powers, Legislative Research Department  
Jon Josserand, Secretary of State's Office  
Dottie Musselman, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: Representative Hensley  
Representative Guldner  
Representative Heinemann  
Representative Mainey

Chairperson Harper called the Elections Committee meeting to order, and announced that the committee had two bills scheduled for a hearing today.

HB 2722 - An Act relating to elections; concerning state committees of political parties; concerning alternate members, was first on the agenda for hearing. Chairperson Harper called upon Representative Hensley, the author of this bill, to give a brief explanation and the intent of his bill.

HB 2811 - An Act relating to elections; concerning withdrawal from nomination. Chairperson Harper turned the floor over to Representative Guldner, a co-sponsor of this bill. The Representative told the members that this bill had been in the committee during the 1983 session, and stated that this bill was actually a substitute candidate bill. At this time, Representative Guldner turned the meeting over to Representative Heinemann, who also was a co-sponsor. Representative Heinemann testified before the committee giving his reasons for the bill, and stating some of his experiences when he was running for election.

Following a general discussion, the Chairperson called upon Representative Mainey, the third co-sponsor, to give a brief overview of HB 2811.

A motion was made by Representative Justice to approve the minutes of the February 2 meeting. Seconded by Representative Roper. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:40 a.m.