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Date

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

The meeting was called to order by Michael R. O'Neal at  
Chairperson

3:45 ~~a.m.~~ p.m. on April 27, 1990 in room 313-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representatives Fuller, Gomez, Moomaw, Peterson, Shriver, Snowbarger, Solbach, Vancrum and  
Whiteman, who were excused.

Committee staff present:

Jerry Donaldson, Legislative Research Department  
Jill Wolters, Revisor of Statutes Office  
Mary Jane Holt, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Emil Lutz, Director, Division of Legislative Administrative Services

**HEARING ON SB 764 Defining & classifying the crimes of interference with the legislative process  
and possession of a loaded firearm within the state capitol building**

Emil Lutz, Director, Division of Legislative Administrative Services, explained SB 764 establishes the crime of interference with the legislative process by force or fraud and the crime of possession of a loaded firearm within the state capitol by any person other than those specifically set forth in the bill.

The Committee discussed whether there should be a criminal penalty for interference with the legislative process and the advisability of changing possession of a loaded firearm to possession of a firearm.

Representative Douville moved to strike the word "loaded" wherever the words "loaded firearm" appear in the bill. Representative Buehler seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Representative Jenkins moved and Representative Buehler seconded to report SB 764, as amended, favorably for passage. The motion passed.

The Committee meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.