

Approved: April 35, 1996
Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Barbara Lawrence at 12:30 p.m. on February 16, 1996 in Room 123-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator David Corbin
Senator Christine Downey
Senator Nancy Harrington

Committee staff present: Ben Barrett, Legislative Research Department
Avis Swartzman, Revisor of Statutes
Jennifer Bishop, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: none

Others attending: See attached list

SB 482: Schools relating to policies requiring expulsion of pupils for possession of weapons

SB 482 was rereferred to the committee due to a misunderstanding of the amendments placed on the bill, which passed out of committee on the February 1 meeting. The proposed amendment would be to: on page 2, by striking all of lines 41 through 43; on page 3, by striking all of line 1; following line 1, by inserting a new subsection: : "(e) The chief administrative officer of the school in which a pupil required to be expelled pursuant to a policy adopted under subsection (a) is enrolled may modify the expulsion requirement in a manner which is consistent with the requirements of federal law. Nothing in this subsection shall be applied or construed in any manner so as to require the chief administrative officer of a school to modify the expulsion requirement of a policy adopted by a board of education pursuant to the provisions of subsection (a)."; Also on page 2, in line 2, by striking "(e)" and inserting "(f)"; in line 8, by striking "(f)" and inserting "(g)"; in line 16, by striking "(g)" and inserting "(h)" (Attachment 1).

Senator Hensley made a motion to amend **SB 482**. Senator Walker seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Senator Emert made a motion to pass **SB 482** favorably. Senator Langworthy seconded the motion. The motion carried.

SB 521: School employees relating to compensation thereof affecting the times of payment

Discussion was held on **SB 521**. The proposed amendment would be to: on page 1, in line 17, after "employment", by inserting "who are subject to the continuing contract law"; in line 22, after "employment", by inserting "who is subject to the continuing contract law"; in line 42, after "employment", by inserting "who is subject to the continuing contract law"; on page 2, following line 14, by inserting a new subsection: "(d) An employer of members in school employment who are not subject to the continuing contract law may adopt a policy providing that all such members shall be paid their contractual compensation each school year in not less than 12 substantially equal installments, paid once, or more often, each month commencing in the first month of any such member's school employment. A copy of any such policy shall be provided to each such member in school employment."; Also on page 2, in line 15, by striking "(d)" and inserting "(e)" (Attachment 2).

Senator Oleen made a motion to amend and pass **SB 521**. Senator Jones seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 12:56 p.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 19, 1996.

Proposed Amendment to Senate Bill No. 482 (As Originally Printed)

On page 2, by striking all of lines 41 through 43;

On page 3, by striking all of line 1; following line 1, by inserting a new subsection as follows:

"(e) The chief administrative officer of the school in which a pupil required to be expelled pursuant to a policy adopted under subsection (a) is enrolled may modify the expulsion requirement in a manner which is consistent with the requirements of federal law. Nothing in this subsection shall be applied or construed in any manner so as to require the chief administrative officer of a school to modify the expulsion requirement of a policy adopted by a board of education pursuant to the provisions of subsection (a).";

Also on page 2, in line 2, by striking "(e)" and inserting "(f)"; in line 8, by striking "(f)" and inserting "(g)"; in line 16, by striking "(g)" and inserting "(h)"

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Proposed Amendment to Senate Bill No. 521

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On page 2, following line 14, by inserting a new subsection as follows:

"(d) An employer of members in school employment who are not subject to the continuing contract law may adopt a policy providing that all such members shall be paid their contractual compensation each school year in not less than 12 substantially equal installments, paid once, or more often, each month commencing in the first month of any such member's school employment. A copy of any such policy shall be provided to each such member in school employment.";

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