

Senate Interstate Cooperation Committee

March 4, 2008

The Senate Interstate Cooperation Committee was called to order at 8:40 a.m. in room 123 of the Capitol, with Chairman Ed Harbison of the 15th presiding.

Members present: Senator Gail Davenport of the 44th and Senator J.B. Powell of the 23rd

Members absent: Senator Emanuel Jones of the 10th and Senator Nan Orrock of the 36th

Senator Harbison opened the meeting by welcoming the committee members and guests and to take up Senate Resolution 1010 and Senate Resolution 1011.

SR 1010 – (Senator Harbison, 15th): President/U.S. Congress; urged to call for peaceful resolution in Kenya; support of House Congressional Resolution 283:

This legislation urges the President and Congress of the United States to condemn the violence and call for an end to human rights abuses in Kenya by supporting House Congressional Resolution 283.

Following a brief discussion, a **DO PASS** motion was made by Powell of the 23rd, seconded by Davenport of the 44th. Motion carried. Resolution passed unanimously.

SR 1011 – (Bill Jackson, 24th): President/U.S. Congress; urged to review conviction/incarceration of former agents Ignacio "Nacho" Ramos/Jose Alonso Compean:

This legislation expresses gratitude for the work done by the United States Border Patrol. This legislation also urges the President and Congress of the United States to review the conviction and incarceration of former Border Patrol agents Ignacio Ramos and Jose Alonso Compean for the purpose of remedying a miscarriage of justice against these gentlemen.

Following a brief introduction/discussion by Senator Jackson, a **DO PASS** motion was made by Davenport of the 44th, seconded by Powell of the 23rd. Motion carried. Resolution passed unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Senator Ed Harbison, Chairman

/s/ Cyndi Williams, Recording Secretary

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March 26, 2008

The Senate Interstate Cooperation Committee was called to order at 4:08 p.m. in the Senate Mezzanine of the Capitol, with Chairman Ed Harbison of the 15th presiding.

Members present: Senator Gail Davenport of the 44th and Senator J.B. Powell of the 23rd

Members absent: Senator Emanuel Jones of the 10th and Senator Nan Orrock of the 36th

Senator Harbison opened the meeting by welcoming the committee members and guests and to take up House Bill 1348.

HB 1348 – Uniform Act for Out-of-State Parolee Supervision; repeal (Rep. Cox of the 102nd):

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 9 of Title 42 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to pardons and paroles, so as to repeal the "Uniform Act for Out-of-State Parolee Supervision," which was replaced by "The Interstate Compact for Adult Offender Supervision" that has become binding in this state; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Following a brief introduction/discussion by Representative Clay Cox, a **DO PASS** motion was made by Powell of the 23rd, seconded by Davenport of the 44th. Motion carried. Bill passed unanimously. Senator Harbison of the 15th sponsored the bill in the Senate.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Senator Ed Harbison of the 15th, Chairman

/s/ Cyndi Williams, Recording Secretary