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Senate Urban Affairs Committee Rules

Each member of the Committee should be mindful of the Senate Rules especially regarding attendance.

- 1. All meetings of the Committee shall be open to the public in accordance with the Senate.
- 2. A quorum of the Committee shall be six (6) members.
- 3. The Chairman shall determine which bills and resolutions are to be considered and the order in which said measures are considered.
- 4. The Chairman shall have the authority to refer bills and resolutions to subcommittees for study. Such subcommittees in turn shall have the authority to make recommendations on such measures to the full Committee at such time as shall be designated by the Chairman
- 5. The Committee shall convene, recess, and adjourn upon the order of the Chairman.
- 6. A bill or resolution will be considered only after presentation by its principal author or other legislator whose name appears first or second on the list of authors or co-sponsors, unless the author or co-sponsor has made other arrangements with the Chairman.
- 7. Precedence of motions shall be set out in the Senate Rules.
- 8. No member of the Committee shall be allowed to vote by proxy.
- 9. Members may not abstain from voting unless the member or any member of the Senator's immediate family has a direct pecuniary interest in the result of such vote which interest is distinct, unique or peculiar to the Senator or the Senator's immediate family.
- 10. Any member or members of the Committee who disagrees with the majority report of the Committee shall be privileged to file a minority report if they so desire.

- 11. Failure to attend three (3) consecutive meetings without prior excuse or a written statement may be cause for removal from the committee by the Committee on Assignments.
- 12. These rules may be amended upon a motion made and subsequently approved by two-thirds of the members of the Committee.
- 13. Where these rules are silent on a specific issue, the Rules of the Senate as adopted shall govern.