

2016 SENATE COMMITTEE ON URBAN AFFAIRS

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MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON URBAN AFFAIRS
February 4, 2016

SENATE COMMITTEE ON URBAN AFFAIRS met in Room 125 of the Capitol Building, Thursday, February 4, 2016.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Lester Jackson (2nd), Chairman
Sen. Steve Henson (41st), Vice Chairman
Sen. Gloria Butler (55th), Secretary
Senator Vincent Fort (39th)
Sen. Nan Orrock (36th)
Sen. Horacena Tate (38th)

NOTE: Sen. Gail Davenport (44th) and Sen. David Lucas (26th) were absent.

Chairman Jackson (2nd) called the meeting to order at 2:05 p.m. and presented the Committee Rules. Sen. Henson (41st), made a motion that the Committee Rules DO PASS and Sen. Fort (39th), seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously and copy of the Rules is attached.

Chairman Jackson (2nd) then entertained a motion to hear about sexual assault on college campuses and universities in the Urban Affairs committee. Sen. Fort (39th) made the motion and Sen. Tate (38th) seconded the motion. The motion passed 4-1 with the nay vote being Sen. Orrock (36th).

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Sen. Gloria Butler (55th), Secretary

/s/ Avi'el Bland, Recording Secretary

SENATE COMMITTEE ON URBAN AFFAIRS RULES

2015 -2016 Term

- 1.** All meeting of the Committee shall be open to the public in accordance with Senate Rules [1-5-1].
- 2.** The quorum for the Urban Affairs Committee shall be five (5) members.
- 3.** The Chairman shall determine which bills and resolutions are to be considered and the order in which said measures are considered; the Chairman shall have the authority to call a bill, resolution, substitute or amendment for debate and explanation only.
- 4.** The Chairman shall have the sole 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. All actions of any subcommittee shall be approved or disapproved by the standing Committee.
- 5.** The Committee shall convene, recess, and adjourn upon the order of the Chairman.
- 6.** Any members or members of the Committee who disagree with the majority report of the Committee shall be privileged to file a Minority report in writing, setting forth concise reasons for their dissent.
- 7.** These rules may be amended or waived upon a motion duly made and subsequently approved by a quorum of the Committee, in a meeting called by the Chairman.
- 8.** A bill, resolution, or other matter will be considered only after a presentation by its principal author or a legislator whom he or she designates to do so. In the event more than one member of the General Assembly has signed a measure; the principal author shall be the one whose name appears first in the list of authors
- 9.** When these rules are silent on a specific issue, the Rules of the Senate, as adopted, shall govern.

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April 5th, 2016

Dear Mr. Cook,

The Senate Committee on Urban Affairs had no bills or resolutions left in committee for the 2016 Legislative Session.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Aviel Bland".

Aviel Bland
Legislative Assistant