## **MINUTES**

## **HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 11, 2012

**TIME:** 10:00 A.M. **PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Loertscher, Vice Chairman Crane, Representative(s) Stevenson,

Black, Anderson, Andrus, Bilbao, Luker, Palmer, Simpson, Guthrie, Henderson,

McGeachin, Sims, Batt, Smith(30), King, Higgins, Buckner-Webb

ABSENT/ EXCUSED: Representative(s) Stevenson, Black and Anderson.

**GUESTS:** Dennis Stevenson, Administrative Rules Office.

Chairman Loertscher called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m.

**Chairman Loertscher** welcomed the committee back for the 2012 session and introduced the new secretary and page. He encouraged everyone to get their legislation in as soon as possible.

**Vice Chairman Crane** was recognized for the purpose of assigning subcommittees for review of administrative rules.

There will be two subcommittees for reviewing rules. The Chairmen will be **Rep. Batt** and **Rep. Sims**. The Committees are as follows:

## Chair Rep. Batt

Rep. Simpson Rep. Palmer Rep. Luker Rep. Higgins

## Chair Rep. Sims

Rep. Guthrie Rep. Henderson Rep. Bilbao

Rep. Buckner-Webb

**Rep.** Batt's committee will review the State Athletic Commission rules IDAPA 03; the Idaho State Liquor Division rules IDAPA 15; the Idaho Public Utilities Commission rules IDAPA 31; and the Idaho State Lottery Commission rules IDAPA 52.

**Rep. Sims'** committee will review the **Secretary of State** rules IDAPA 34; the **Department of Administration** rules IDAPA 38, and the **Office of the State Treasurer** rules IDAPA 54.

**Chairman Loertscher** outlined the responsibilities of State Affairs this session which will include reviewing some of the agencies the committee oversees as well as election issues.

In response to committee questions, **Vice Chairman Crane** stated the rules will be available on-line but the committee secretary has printed copies in her office if the subcommittee members would like one. Vice-Chairman Crane substituted **Rep. Buckner-Webb** in place of **Rep. McGeachin** for the second subcommittee.

	meeting and time. <b>Chairman Loertscher</b> remin calling the meetings to order on time.	ded the committee that he will be
ADJOURN:	There being no further business to come before adjourned at 10:12 a.m.	the committee the meeting was
Representative Loc Chair	ertscher	Lissa Cochrane Secretary

There was a brief discussion among the committee regarding the next possible