

MINUTES
HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

DATE: Monday, February 20, 2017

TIME: 9:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman VanOrden, Vice Chairman McDonald, Representatives Shepherd, Boyle, Clow, Mendive, Kerby, Cheatham, Amador, DeMordaunt, Moon, Syme, Kloc, McCrostie, Toone

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** None

GUESTS: Teresa Pitt, Idaho DVR; Jane Donnellan, IDVR; Jane Reisu, RLO,P.C.; Jason Kreizenbeck, Lobby Idaho, Yoga Alliance; Roger Rippy, Yoga Alliance; Clark Corbin, ID Ed News; Dennis Stevenson, Rules Coordinator; Sandra Miller, Cassia Schools; Gaylen Smyer, Cassia Schools; Jess Hansen, ISBA; Marilyn Whitney, Governor's Office

Chairman VanOrden called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

DOCKET NO. 47-0101-1601: **Tracie Bent**, State Board of Education, presented **Docket No. 47-0101-1601** relating to adopting the Idaho Division of Vocational Rehabilitation. The language changes made were necessary to come in compliance with federal regulations and Best Practices.

MOTION: **Rep. McCrostie** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 47-0101-1601**. **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Shepherd, Rep. Mendive, and Rep. Moon** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

RS 25253: **Rep. Zollinger** presented **RS 25253** relating to graduating seniors in public schools and charter schools will be required to pass a civics test. The civics test was patterned after the citizenship test. There are 100 questions with 25 questions pertaining to Idaho history. There will be no cost to the state.

MOTION: **Rep. Shepherd** made a motion to introduce **RS 25253**. **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep Toone** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

RS 25279C1: **Rep. Harris** presented **RS 25279C1** relating to Pay For Success. This allows school districts to contract with private companies and monies will be held and appropriated when a contract is fulfilled.

MOTION: **Rep. McDonald** made a motion to introduce **RS 25279C1**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

H 108: **Jason Kreizenbeck**, Lobby Idaho, LLC, presented **H 108** relating to adding an exemption for the practice and instruction of yoga from the registration requirements of proprietary school. He explained an emergency clause was put in allowing it to take place immediately, if passed.

MOTION: **Rep. McDonald** made a motion to send **H 108** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote. Chairman VanOrden** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 9:25 am.

Representative VanOrden
Chair

Ann Tippetts
Secretary