

MINUTES  
**HOUSE JUDICIARY, RULES & ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, March 11, 2026

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M. or Upon Adjournment

**PLACE:** Room EW42

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Skaug, Vice Chairman Alfieri, Representatives Scott, Ehardt, Erickson (Larsen), Garner, Handy, Hawkins, Hill, Hostetler, Pohanka, Shirts, Hall (Stone), Gannon, Mathias, Rubel

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**Chairman Skaug** called the meeting to order at 1:31pm.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Hostetler** made a motion to approve the March 9, 2026 meeting minutes. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 860:** **Rep. Ehardt** presented **H 860** regarding parental rights and medical decisions.

**Ken McClure**, Idaho Medical Association, **Dakota Baker**, **Jace Woods**, and **Lee Flinn**, Idaho Crisis and Suicide Hotline, testified **in support**.

**Brian Naugle**, Idaho Prosecuting Attorneys Association, testified **in opposition**.

Committee inquired regarding minors in crisis being hung-up on when calling suicide hotline, bill language options, conflicts with current law, and impact of politics on hotline responses.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Gannon** made a motion to send **H 860** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Ehardt** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**Chairman Skaug** turned the gavel over to **Vice Chairman Alfieri**.

**H 680:** **Rep. Skaug** presented **H 680** regarding child protection and interviews.

**Tracy Basterrechea**, Idaho Chiefs of Police Association, and **Veronic Baiz**, testified **in support**.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Stone** made a motion to send **H 680** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Skaug** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**Vice Chairman Alfieri** turned the gavel over to **Chairman Skaug**.

**H 752:** **Rep. Rasor** presented **H 752** regarding restrooms, changing rooms, and the opposite sex.

**Dawn Retzlaff**, **Mark Beeksma**, **Jennifer Hook**, **Joel Fischer**, Idaho Family Policy Center, **Suzanne Tabert**, **Scott Herndon**, **Melinda Christoph**, **Elizabeth Hulsey**, and **Meredith Bennett**, testified **in support**.

**Nikson Mathews, Lora Volkert, Carolyn Blackherst, Claire Gutierrez, Zoey Wagner, Colt Adams, Fernando Alvarado, Scar Rulien, Mistie Tolleman,** Planned Parenthood Alliance Advocates, **Anthony Dahlinger,** Idaho Chiefs of Police Association, **Rosann Mathews, Sara LaWall,** Boise Universalist Fellowship, **Loren McNeill, Carol Petricevic, Jeffrey Watkins,** and **Bryan Lovell,** Idaho Fraternal Order of Police, testified **in opposition.**

Committee inquired regarding enforcement challenges, sex-determination procedure for law enforcement, fiscal impact, right to dignity and privacy, case history, ease of enforcement, consideration of a duty to depart amendment, identification requests, consent, and effectiveness of signs designating which sex may use a facility.

**Chairman Skaug** put the committee at ease at 3:12pm.

**Chairman Skaug** reconvened the meeting at 3:24pm.

- MOTION:** **Rep. Hill** made a motion to send **H 752** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.
- SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Mathias** made a substitute motion to send **H 572** to General Orders.
- AMENDED SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Scott** made an amended substitute motion to send **H 572** to the floor with no recommendation.
- ROLL CALL VOTE ON AMENDED SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Hawkins** requested a roll call vote. **Amended substitute motion carried by a vote of 10 AYE, 5 NAY, 1 Absent/Excused. Voting in favor** of the motion: **Reps. Skaug, Alfieri, Scott, Ehardt, Hawkins, Hill, Hostetler, Pohanka, Shirts, Stone. Voting in opposition** to the motion: **Reps. Larsen, Garner, Handy, Gannon, Mathias. Rep. Rubel** was **absent/excused. Rep. Razor** will sponsor the bill on the floor.
- S 1309:** **Rep. Shirts** and **Jason Spillman,** Legal Counsel, Administrative Office of the Courts, presented **S 1309** regarding payment distribution and juvenile corrections. Committee inquired regarding juvenile cases, and history of legislation.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Ehardt** made a motion to send **S 1309** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Shirts** will sponsor the bill on the floor.
- Chairman Skaug** turned the gavel over to **Vice Chairman Alfieri.**
- S 1251:** **Rep. Skaug** presented **S 1251** regarding the attorney general and duties. Committee inquired regarding past authority issues of attorney general, origin of legislation, and application of remedies.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Scott** made a motion to send **S 1251** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Skaug** will sponsor the bill on the floor.
- ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 4:38pm.

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Representative Skaug  
Chair

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Nancy Conrad  
Secretary