SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROOM 523

FEBRUARY 2, 1970

Mr. Rush, Asst. Supt. Highway Patrol

Rep. Ervin E. Grant, on House Bill No. 1613

The Senate Judiciary Committee met February 2, 1970 in Room 523 at eleven o'clock A.M. with the chairman, Senator Steadman Ball presiding.

All members were present except Senators Foster, Gaar, Rogers and Steineger.

Mr. Rush, the Assistant Superintendent of the State Highway Patrol was present to ask the committee to expand the statute which allows the Attorney General to provide legal service so it would include members of the Highway Patrol. Senator Bennett moved that a bill be introduced to cover this, to be referred back, and Senator Arvin seconded. The motion carried.

Rep. Ervin E. Grant, author of House Bill No. 1613 was present. He stated that the bill was introduced as a committee bill and was a holdover assigned to a subcommittee for study between sessions. After the subcommittee's favorable report, the House Judiciary Committee recommended it for passage. passed on the floor of the House. Mr. Grant said that New York has a law similar to this bill and is very satisfied with it. He said he had talked with the New York District Attorney and played a tape back to the committee of the conversation. He added that the definitions in this bill are very specific, the bill establishes a different standard and applies to what is harmful to minors.

There was some discussion about sex education now being implemented in some schools and the effect of textbooks. Senators Bennett, Arvin, Winter and Smith engaged in some brief discussions and the meeting was adjourned.

Minutes approved: 74 70 Recording Secretary