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| MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUB | BLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE |
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| The meeting was called to order byMarvin L. Littlejohr | Chairperson at |
| 1:30_ a/m//p.m. on _February 28, | |
| All members were present except: Rep. Flottman, excused | |

Committee staff present:

Emalene Correll, Research
Bill Wolff, Research
Norman Furse, Revisor
Sue Hill, Secy. to Committee
Conferees appearing before the committee:

Visitor's register, (see Attachment No. 1.)

Chair called meeting to order and welcomed visiting nurses today present for our meeting. There was a large number.

Chair asked wishes of committee in regard to minutes of meetings on February 21, 25, 26, and 27th. Motion made by Rep. Green, seconded by Rep. Cribbs to approve minutes as written, motion carried.

Chair had committee note that he had conversations with Secretary Sabol, and Senator Ehrlich in regard to HB 2439, and HB 2449 and companion bills that are in Senate Public Health and welfare committee, and it has been decided that these bills will be held over until next year, and will be incorporated in discussions during Interim when the credentialing of Occupational Therapists and Respiratory Therapists bills hearings are conducted.

Chair directed attention to discussion and action today on bills previously heard by this committee.

HB 2185: Act concerning screening tests to determine conditions that might cause mental retardation.

There was discussion in regard to medications that are provided to these infants.

Rep. Friedeman moved to strike language, "provide" in line 45, and substitute the word "recommend". Motion seconded by Rep. Williams. Discussion ensued in regard to the cost of product provided is minimal, and in cases where diet is provided, both of which prevent mental retardation of a severe nature. Rep. Friedeman renewed his motion, vote taken, motion failed.

Rep. Branson moved to report HB 2185 favorably out of committee, seconded by Rep. Hassler, question called, vote taken, motion carried.

HB 2221: Appointment of interpreters for deaf and hearing impaired.

There was discussion in regard to funding for HB 2221, Rep. Cribbs then moved that HB 2221 favorably out of committee, seconded by Rep. Runnels. Discussion ensued, i.e., if deaf individuals could be selected for jury duty, it would cause concerns since in a deliberation room at a trial only 12 jurors are allowed in that room, so the interpreter could not be present.

Rep. Friedeman made a substitute motion that the chair visit with the Speaker of the House in regard to this bill, and have it re-referred to Judiciary Committee, motion seconded by Rep. Foster. Lengthy discussion ensued; clean up could be done in Senate; tabling for further deliberation; challange for cause in jury selection if these persons are denied jury duty; city and county courts need to be made aware of these concerns; etc. Rep. Friedeman stated it is not his intention to kill HB 2221, but also not to put it out of committee with unsolved concerns, he then renewed his motion. Vote taken, motion carried.

CONTINUATION SHEET

| MINUTES OF THE HO | USE COMMITTEE O | NPUBLIC HEALTH AND | WELFARE , |
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| room 423-S, Statehouse | at <u>1:30</u> d./d./p.m. on | February 28, | |

HB 2208: Act relating to certain persons refusing transportation or medical treatment.

Rep. Foster moved that HB 2208 be passed favorably out of committee, seconded by Rep. Green. Lengthy discussion in regard to possible language changes, i.e., "in writing" on line 26; information given on how phrasing in law in other states; language changes in line 25 changed to read treatment or transportation for the purpose of obtaining medical treatment; line 26 further language changes.

Rep. Bideau made a substitute motion to amend HB 2208, line 22, strike language, "No law enforcement officer, firefighter or employee of an emergency medical service", and insert the word "person", and line 25 to strike to a medical care facility, and insert, "treatment or transportation for the purpose of obtaining medical treatment, and to strike lines 28 through 38 inclusive. Rep. Branson seconded motion. Discussion continued.

Chair then appointed a sub-committee on HB 2208 and requested they report back to committee by Wednesday next week. Chairman of this sub-committee will be Rep. Bideau, and other members are Rep. Williams and Rep. Pottorff.

HB 2304: Licensing of nursing care homes for mentally retarded.

Rep. Blumenthal spoke to HB 2304, saying there are concerns with HB 2304 in regard to Intermediate Care Facilities for Mentally Retarded, (ICFMR). He sees this bill as a reverse in trend that has begun having ICFMR's rather than the large institutional settings for care for the mentally retarded. These smaller facilities are working well and are effective. Rep. Blumenthal made a conceptional motion this legislation be limited to apply just to Pioneer Village, motion seconded by Rep. Pottorff.

Discussion held. Vote taken on conceptional motion to be drafted for HB 2304, then brought back to this committee next week, motion carried.

HB 2436: Act providing for designation of receivers for Adult Care Homes.

Rep. Runnels moved to pass HB 2436 favorably out of committee, seconded by Rep. O'Neal. No discussion held. Vote taken, motion carried. Rep. Friedeman and Rep. Neufeld wished to be recorded as voting NO.

HB 2438: Certain information be kept confidential and certain hearings to be closed to public relating to maternity homes and hospitals, or homes for children.

Rep. cribbs made a motion to pass HB 2438 out of committee favorably, seconded by Rep. Branson. Discussion held, i.e., concerns with some language being overly broad, language changes proposed, etc.

Rep. Bideau then made a substitute motion to change the language in HB 2438, to strike in line 28, "where public disclosure of information relating to individuals would allow an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy", to insert in line 28 the word "to" after "the public", and in line 30, delete "permit", and insert "prevent". Rep. Friedeman seconded this substitute motion, vote taken, motion carried.

Rep. Friedeman moved to pass HB 2438 favorably as amended out of committee, motion seconded by Rep. Buehler, motion carried. Rep. Hassler recorded as a NO vote.

Chair recognized Ms. Terry Rosselot and welcomed her back. She is an old friend of this committee having once spent much time as an ex-officio Revisor.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m. until Monday March 4, 1985 at 1:30 p.m.

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