

**MINUTES OF THE  
SENATE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE**  
Room 250, Utah State Capitol  
February 12, 2014

**Members Present:** Sen. Evan J. Vickers, Chair  
Sen. Allen M. Christensen  
Sen. Luz Robles  
Sen. Brian E. Shiozawa

**Members Excused:** Sen. Daniel W. Thatcher

**Staff Present:** Mr. Mark Andrews, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Nancy Skidmore, Committee Secretary

**NOTE:** A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Vickers called the meeting to order 2:07 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Shiozawa moved to approve the minutes of the February 10, 2014 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles absent for the vote.

**S.B. 176 Local Funding for Rural Health Care Amendments (Sen. Okerlund)**

Sen. Okerlund explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill: Adam Troop, Utah Association of Counties

**MOTION:** Sen. Christensen moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles absent for the vote.

**S.B. 55 Pharmaceutical Dispensing Amendments (Sen. Vickers)**

**MOTION:** Sen. Vickers moved to replace S.B. 55 with 1<sup>st</sup> Sub S.B. 55, "Pharmaceutical Dispensing Amendments." The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles absent for the vote.

Sen. Vickers explained the bill to the committee.

**MOTION:** Sen. Vickers moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 22, Line 653:*  
653 prescribed by the division and pay a fee established by the ~~department~~ division .
2. *Page 25, Lines 741 through 749:*  
741 (1) (a) The division ~~;~~ in consultation with the board shall:

- 742 ~~(a) report a violation of this chapter by a dispensing medical practitioner to~~ shall  
743 consult with the  
744 dispensing medical practitioner's appropriate licensing board as designated in Subsection  
745 58-17b-102(23)(a) regarding a violation of this chapter ; and  
746 (b) the Pharmacy Board shall, if requested by the licensing board of the dispensing  
747 medical practitioner, assist the licensing board for the dispensing medical practitioner  
748 with reviewing the  
749 violations of the provisions of this chapter.  
750 (2) The division {, in collaboration with the Board of Pharmacy,} may take  
751 appropriate  
752 action against a dispensing medical practitioner, in accordance with this chapter, if the  
753 licensing board designated in Subsection 58-17b-102(23)(a) recommends to the division  
754 that

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles absent for the vote.

**MOTION:** Sen. Vickers moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 21, Lines 631 through 632:*

- 631 (2) "Employer sponsored clinic" means an entity that has a medical director who is  
632 licensed as a physician as defined in Section 58-67-102 and offers health care only to the  
633 employees of an exclusive group of employers and the employees' dependents.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles absent for the vote

Spoke to the bill: Mark Steinagel, Director, Division of Occupational and Professional  
Licensing, Department of Commerce

Spoke for the bill: Michelle McOmber, Chief Executive Officer, Utah Medical Association  
Dave Davis, President, Utah Food Industry Association and Utah Retail  
Merchants Association  
Lincoln Shurtz, Director of Legislative Affairs, League of Cities and  
Towns  
Rep. Stewart Barlow, Utah House of Representatives

**MOTION:** Sen. Robles moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

**S.B. 63 Compact for Interstate Sharing of Putative Father Registry Information (Sen. Robles)**

Sen. Robles explained the bill to the committee.

**MOTION:** Sen. Robles moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 2, Lines 42 through 43:*

- 42 (1) "Putative father" means {an unmarried} a man who may be the biological  
43 father of a

43 child by virtue of having had a sexual relationship with a woman to whom he is not married .

The motion passed unanimously.

Spoke to the bill: Janice Houston, State Registrar, Office of Vital Records and Statistics,  
Utah Department of Health

Spoke for the bill: Dan Deuel, Chair, Legislative Affairs, National Parents Organization

**MOTION:** Sen. Robles moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

**MOTION:** Sen. Christensen moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Vickers adjourned the meeting 3:03 p.m.

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Sen. Evan J. Vickers, Chair