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**Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee Meeting
Tuesday, March 19, 2019, at 9:00 am
Blatt Building Room 321**

Archived Video Available

- I. Pursuant to House Legislative Oversight Committee Rule 6.8, South Carolina ETV was allowed access for streaming the meeting. You may access an archived video of this meeting by visiting the South Carolina General Assembly's website (<http://www.scstatehouse.gov>) and clicking on *Committee Postings and Reports*, then under *House Standing Committees* click on *Legislative Oversight*. Then, click on *Video Archives* for a listing of archived videos for the Committee.

Attendance

- I. The Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee is called to order by Chair Jay West on Tuesday, March 19, 2019 in Room 321 of the Blatt Building. All members of the Subcommittee are present for all or a portion of the meeting.

Minutes

- I. House Rule 4.5 requires standing committees to prepare and make available to the public the minutes of committee meetings, but the minutes do not have to be verbatim accounts of meetings. It is the practice of the Legislative Oversight Committee to provide minutes for its subcommittee meetings.
- II. Representative Wooten moves to approve the meeting minutes from the March 5, 2019, meeting. The motion passes.

Representative Wooten's motion to approve the meeting minutes from the March 5, 2019, meeting.	Yea	Nay	Not Voting (Absent)	Not Voting (Present)
Rep. Robert Ridgeway	✓			
Rep. Bill Taylor	✓			
Rep. Chris Wooten	✓			
Rep. Jay West	✓			

Meeting

- I. Chair West explains that this is the Subcommittee's fourth meeting with the Department of Mental Health, and that the purpose is to receive further testimony about inpatient services.
- II. Chair West explains that all testimony given to this subcommittee, which is an investigating committee, must be under oath. He reminds those sworn in during prior meetings that they remain under oath.
- III. Interim Director Binkley, Deputy Director Bellamy, and other DMH staff provide testimony about inpatient facilities, specifically the nursing homes, highlighting unique aspects of each facility.
- IV. Subcommittee members ask, and agency staff respond to questions about the following subjects:
 - a. Direct care staff roles and pay;
 - b. Regulations;
 - c. Veterans homes waitlists and system capacity;
 - d. Procurement; and
 - e. Staffing shortages.
- V. There being no further business, the meeting is adjourned.