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Legislative Oversight Committee

Wednesday, April 20, 2022

8:45 a.m. Blatt Room 110

Archived Video Available

- I. Pursuant to House Legislative Oversight Committee Rule 6.7, 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 Legislative Oversight Committee meeting was called to order by Chair Wm. Weston J. Newton on Wednesday, April 20, 2022, in Room 110 of the Blatt Building. All were present for some or portion of the meeting except Rep. Josiah Magnuson, Rep. John R. M. McCravy, III, Rep. Russell L. Ott, and Rep. Marvin R. Pendarvis.
- II. The following personnel from the Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services were in attendance: Director Jerry Adger; Chief Deputy Director Jodi Gallman; Deputy Director for Offender Supervision and Enforcement Services Chad Gambrell; Deputy Director for Administration Virginia Camp; Deputy Director for Legals and Policy Management Ben Aplin; Associate Deputy Director for Offender Supervision and Enforcement Services Derek Brown; Associate Deputy Director for Paroles, Pardons, and Release Services Valerie Suber; Director of External Affairs Debbie Douglas; and Senior Research Analyst LaQuenta Weldon.

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.

Approval of Minutes

Representative Jeff Johnson makes a motion to approve the meeting minutes from the March 30, 2022, meeting. A roll call vote was held, and the motion passed.

Rep. Jeff Johnson's motion to approve the March 30, 2022 meeting minutes.	Yea	Nay	Not Voting
Rep. Garvin	✓		
Rep. Gatch	✓		
Rep. Henderson-Meyers			Not Present
Rep. Hixon	✓		
Rep. Hyde	✓		
Rep. Jefferson	✓		
Rep. J. Johnson	✓		
Rep. K.O. Johnson	✓		
Rep. Magnuson			Not Present
Rep. McCravy			Not Present
Rep. McGinnis			Not Present
Rep. Morgan	✓		
Rep. Moore	✓		
Rep. Newton	✓		
Rep. Oremus			Not Present
Rep. Ott			Not Present
Rep. Pendarvis			Not Present
Rep. Rivers	✓		
Rep. West	✓		
Rep. Wooten	✓		

Discussion of the Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Subcommittee's Study of the Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services

- I. Subcommittee Chair Chris Wooten provided remarks and shared a video overview of the study, which is available on the South Carolina General Assembly's website for review.

- II. Committee members ask questions relating to the following:
- a. Process for collection of victim restitution;
 - b. Employee retention;
 - c. Qualifications to serve as an agent; and
 - d. Home visits for offenders.

Agency personnel respond to the questions.

- III. Subcommittee Chair Chris Wooten moves to adopt the Study of the Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services. A roll call vote was held and the motion passes:

Subcommittee Chair Chris Wooten's motion to approve Study of the Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services	Yea	Nay	Not Voting
Rep. Garvin	✓		
Rep. Gatch	✓		
Rep. Henderson-Meyers	✓		
Rep. Hixon	✓		
Rep. Hyde	✓		
Rep. Jefferson	✓		
Rep. J. Johnson	✓		
Rep. K.O. Johnson	✓		
Rep. Magnuson			Not Present
Rep. McCravy			Not Present
Rep. McGinnis	✓		
Rep. Morgan	✓		
Rep. Moore	✓		
Rep. Newton	✓		
Rep. Oremus	✓		
Rep. Ott			Not Present
Rep. Pendarvis			Not Present
Rep. Rivers	✓		
Rep. West			Not Present
Rep. Wooten	✓		

Adjournment

- I. There being no further business, the meeting is adjourned.