

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON SB 106

June 30, 2005 Hearing Room D

1:30 P.M. Tape 1

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Ginny Burdick, Chair
Sen. Roger Beyer
Sen. Floyd Prozanski
Rep. Wayne Krieger
Rep. Andy Olson

MEMBER EXCUSED: Rep. Jeff Barker

STAFF PRESENT: Joe O'Leary, Counsel
Louann Rahmig, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:
SB 106B – Work Session

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TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments
TAPE 1, A		
007	Chair Burdick	Calls the meeting to order at 1:35 p.m. and opens a work session on SB 106B.
<u>SB 106B – WORK SESSION</u>		
008	Joe O'Leary	Counsel. Explains SB 106B as amended in the House Judiciary Committee makes changes to statutes on elder abuse and abuse of disabled persons. Continues that SB 106B includes firefighters and emergency medical technicians within the definition of public and private officials who have a mandatory reporting duty to report abuse of elderly or disabled persons; extends the definition of abuse for reporting and restraining order purposes to include wrongful taking or appropriating of money or property and to exclude non-consenting sexual contact of elderly persons and persons with disabilities; specifies type of relief available under restraining order to prevent abuse of elderly and disabled persons. Advises the further amendment which is the subject of the conference committee would require state agencies and registered sex offenders to notify long-term and residential care facilities of the sex offender's status and permit the care facilities to deny admission or discharge or transfer registered sex offenders under certain circumstances. Refers to the -12 amendments (EXHIBIT A) which revise Section 13 only of SB 106B. Explains further the changes in the -12 amendments. Advises of a sunset provision that repeals only Section 13 of SB 106B in January 2010.
043	Chair Burdick	Advises she requested the amendment to narrow the scope of coverage on the sex offender issue to people who were most likely to pose a risk.

050	Sen. Beyer	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT SB 106B-12 amendments dated 6/29/05. VOTE: 5-0-1 EXCUSED: 1 - Barker
053	Chair Burdick	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
054	Sen. Beyer	MOTION: Moves the Senate concur in the House amendments dated June 14, 2005, and that the bill be further amended and repassed. VOTE: 5-0-1 EXCUSED: 1 - Barker
059	Chair Burdick	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED. SEN. BURDICK AND REP. OLSON will lead discussion on the floor.
061	Chair Burdick	Closes the work session on SB 106B and adjourns the meeting at 1:40 p.m.

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

A. SB 106, B12 amendments, staff, 3 pp