

that have occurred recently? -I was on that committee when we established procedures for distributing lottery money? -What problems do you see if this passes?

108 WATT: Speaks about the lottery money. No comparisons can be made yet, since the lottery money bills haven't come up yet.

120 JONES: I wasn't meaning to speak in relation to the lottery. I meant to ask about the function of the staff.

135 CORTRIGHT: The staff that's familiar with how the house deals with legislation would be lost if this was done administratively.
Meeting

jointly allows hammering out of disagreements.

160 JOHNSON: Sen. Cohen has expressed support for using her staff for trade issues.

168 JONES: Just because we remove the statute, it doesn't mean the committee can't be formed, correct?

173 WATT: This would remove the budgeting portion only.

176 CORTRIGHT: It would delete the statutory requirement for joint committee and staff.

188 MOTION: Rep. JOHNSON moves that HB 2602 be sent to the full committee with a DO PASS recommendation.

195 VOTE: In a ROLL CALL VOTE, all members vote AYE.

200 WATT: Closes work session on HB 2602. -Opens hearing on HB 2841.

PUBLIC HEARING - HB 2841

208 SEXTON: Explains HB 2841.

220 WATT: This will be an overview of what has been done.

237 CONNIE GREEN, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE: Gives update on work group for HB 284 1.

258 TED ABRAM: Agrees with Connie Green.

263 JOHNSON: I had a brief discussion with Vicki Gates. -She was supportive of the way things are going.

285 MARI ANNE GEST, O.P.E.U.: Catherine Stearns will withhold testimony until after amendments have been presented.

310 WATT: Closes public hearing on HB 2841. -Adjourns at 2:53 p.m.

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