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MINUTES

April 4, 2017

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The Joint Committee on Administrative Rules met on Wednesday, April 4, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 413 of the Stratton Office Building, Springfield IL. Co-Chair Wheeler called the meeting to order and announced that the policy of the Committee is to allow only representatives of State agencies to testify orally on any rule under consideration at Committee meetings. Other persons are encouraged to submit their comments to the JCAR office in writing.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

X Senator Bill Brady	X Representative Peter Breen
X Senator Don Harmon	* Representative Tom Demmer
* Senator Karen McConnaughay	X Representative Greg Harris
X Senator Tony Muñoz	X Representative Lou Lang
Senator Ira Silverstein	X Representative André Thapedi
X Senator Chuck Weaver	X Representative Keith Wheeler

* Senator McConnaughay and Representative Demmer joined the meeting just prior to the consideration of the Agency Response.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE MARCH 14, 2017 MEETING

Representative Breen moved, seconded by Senator Muñoz, that the minutes of the March 14, 2017 meeting be approved. The motion passed unanimously (9-0-0).

REVIEW OF AGENCY RULEMAKING

Department of Children and Family Services – Reports of Child Abuse and Neglect (89 Ill. Adm. Code 300; 40 Ill. Reg. 13064)

Representative Harris moved, seconded by Senator Weaver, that JCAR recommend that the agency be more diligent in the future in meeting statutorily imposed deadlines for implementation of a Public Act by rulemaking. The motion passed unanimously (9-0-0).

Labor Relations Board – General Procedures (80 Ill. Adm. Code 1200; 40 Ill. Reg. 14568)

Representative Thapedi moved, seconded by Senator Brady, that JCAR, at the request of the Board, extend the 2nd Notice Period for this rulemaking for an additional 45 days. The motion passed unanimously (9-0-0).

AGENCY RESPONSE

State Police Merit Board – Illinois State Merit Board Personnel Rules (80 Ill. Adm. Code 160; 40 Ill. Reg. 9092)

Due to the appropriateness of the Board's response, no further action will be taken.

CERTIFICATION OF NO OBJECTION

Senator Lang moved, seconded by Senator McConnaughay, that the Committee inform the agencies to whose rulemakings the Committee has not voted an Objection or Extension, or did not remove from the No Objection List, that the Committee considered their respective rulemakings at the monthly meeting and, based upon the agreements for modification of the rulemakings made by the agencies, no Objections will be issued. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

ANNOUNCEMENT OF MAY MEETING DATE

Co-Chair Wheeler announced that the next JCAR meeting would be held at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2017, in Room C-1 of the Stratton Office Building, Springfield IL.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Weaver moved, seconded by Representative Demmer, that the meeting stand adjourned. The motion passed unanimously.

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