Senate Judiciary Committee Family Law Sub -Committee Tuesday, March 21, 2006 12:00 p.m. – Room 112 Capitol

- P Present
- E Excused
- A Absent

#### **Roll Call**

- P. Senator Betzold
- P. Senator Hann
- P. Senator Marty
- P. Senator Neuville
- P. Senatot Skoglund

The Chair, Senator Neuville, called the meeting to order at 12:13. Quorum was present

Senator Wiger presented S.F. 2545; Child protection or placements requirements modifications.

Senator Wiger suggested the bill should be discussed further.

Witnesses

- Kris Johnson Department of Human Services (concerns);
- Peter Stielow Concerned citizen

### BILL LAID OVER

Senator McGinn presented S.F. 2991: Supervised visitation advisory committee; marriage dissolution fees increase for parenting time centers funding purposes.

#### Witnesses

- Terri Walker-McClaughlan Executive Director, Children Safety Centers (support)
- Louise Seliski Children Safety Center in Alexander (support)
- Joe McClellan Client of a Safety Center (resource)

Senator Betzold MOVED S.F. 2991 to pass to full Judiciary Committee Prevailed by voice vote.

Senator Skoglund presented S.F. 2403: Marriage solemnization provisions modifications.

#### Witnesses

- Illene Herr Hmong Community (support)
- Janet Marshall State Court Administrator (concerns)
- Linda Miller Attorney for Civil Services for Crime Victims (support)
- Blong Yang (concerns)

#### Betzold MOVED oral amendment

Delete "allowing" from page 6 line 9, delete after the comma "allowing" and line 10 delete "each child to enter into the marriage without child's consent,"

Prevailed by voice vote.

Betzold MOVED oral amendment. Page 3, delete line 14 & "section 517.02 or any other provision of" Prevailed by voice vote.

Skoglund MOVED A2 Amendment Prevailed by voice vote.

Senator Skoglund MOVED A1 Amendment Senator Skoglund MOVED oral amendment to the A1 Page 2: Delete line 34 and the comma on line 33 Delete section 1.5 Prevailed by voice vote.

Senator Skoglund MOVED SF 2403 to be incorporated into SF 3386 Prevailed by voice vote.

The gavel was passed to Senator Betzold.

Senator Neuville presented SF 3386: Modifications to child support orders

Senator Neuville **MOVED** A1-Delete All Amendment Prevailed by voice vote.

Senator Skoglund MOVED SF 3386 as amended to the full Judiciary Committee Prevailed by voice vote.

Senator Neuville presented SF 3199: Child custody, paternity, adoption, support, medical support, and maintenance provisions modifications (Omnibus Family Law Bill)

#### Witnesses

- Pamela Waggoner Vice Chair of MSBA Family Law section (concerns)
- Jonathan Fogel Concerned citizen (had questions)

Senator Neuville MOVED A1 Amendment-Delete All Amendment Prevailed by voice vote.

Senator Neuville MOVED oral amendment Delete Section 27 Prevailed by voice vote.

Senator Neuville **MOVED** SF 3199 to pass as amended to the full Judiciary Prevailed by voice vote.

The meeting adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Senator Tom Neuville. Chair Senate Judiciary Committee

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## Agenda

SF 2545 (Wiger) clarifying certain requirements in protecting or placing certain children. Peter Stielow

SF 2991 (McGinn) Supervised visitation advisory committee; marriage dissolution fees increase for parenting time centers funding purposes.

Teri Walker Louise Seliski Joe McClellan

SF 2403 (Skoglund) Marriage solemnization provisions modifications. Ilean Her Linda Miller Blong Yang attorney

SF 3199 (Neuville) Child support and maintenance provisions modifications. Pamela Waggoner, MSBA Family Law Section

SF 3386 (Neuville) Modifications to child support orders Pamela Waggoner, MSBA Family Law Section