Conference Committee on H.F. 1385: Higher Education Appropriations Chairs: Senator Sandra L. Pappas and Representative Bud Nornes Basement Hearing Room, State Office Building Tuesday, May 10, 2005 4:00 p.m. House has the gavel Conferees: Senators Pappas, Cohen, Tomassoni, Kierlin, Robling Representatives Nornes, Eastlund, Cox, Opatz, Johnson (Ruth)

AGENDA:

• H.F. 1385: Higher Education Appropriations bill

MINUTES:

Members present: Senators Pappas, Cohen, Tomassoni, Kierlin, Robling Representatives Nornes, Eastlund, Cox, Opatz, Johnson (Ruth)

4:02 p.m. Representative Nornes called the meeting to order

Introductions of conferees and staff

Walkthrough of side-by-side: House provisions: Kathy Novak, House Research Senate provisions: Maja Weidmann, Senate Research

Committee comments on the bills

Kathy Novak presented a summary of the same and similar provisions of both bills

Senator Pappas moved adoption of the identical language and similar language (containing only technical differences) Motion prevailed

Senator Pappas made some announcements about the next meeting

Walkthrough of spreadsheet: House provisions: Doug Berg, House Fiscal Analyst Senate provisions: Dennis Albrecht, Senate Fiscal Analyst

5:37 p.m. Representative Nornes adjourned the committee

Minutes respectfully submitted

Emily Shively, Division Secretary

Minutes approved

Senator Sandra L. Pappas, Chair