

**K-12 Education Budget Division**

**Wednesday, April 20, 2005**

**3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Room 112 - State Capitol**

**Members Present**

Senator L. Stumpf  
Senator E. Anderson  
Senator M. Fischbach  
Senator D. Gaither  
Senator D. Hann  
Senator M. Jungbauer  
Senator S. Kelley  
Senator K. Langseth  
Senator S. Marko  
Senator S. Nienow  
Senator G. Olson  
Senator T. Saxhaug  
Senator L. Scheid  
Senator W. Skoglund  
Senator D. Sparks  
Senator B. Wergin

**Members Excused**

Senator D. Johnson  
Senator C. Wiger

Senator Stumpf called the meeting to order at 3:10 p.m.

Senator Stumpf presented S.F. 917 on behalf of Senator Sams. This bill provides for grants related to positive abortion alternatives, appropriating grants to organizations that encourage women to carry their pregnancies to term.

Testifiers:

Andrea Rau -- MCCL

Senator Scheid moved to amend S.F. 917 as follows:

Page 1 line 28 after services insert "must"

Motion prevailed.

Motion:

Senator Anderson moved to amend S.F. 917 as follows:

Page 1 line 25 after "term" insert "and caring for their babies after birth"

Page 1 line 27 after "term" insert "and care for their babies after birth"

Page 2 line 18 after characteristics insert "of babies and"

Motions prevailed.

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Motion:

Senator Stumpf moved that S.F. 917 as amended be recommended to pass to the full Finance Committee. Motion prevailed.

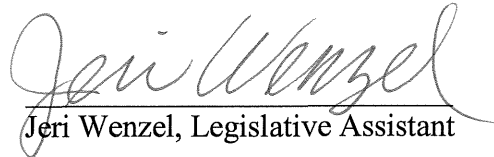
In other action, the committee began their consideration of 181 pages of draft articles for the omnibus budget bill. Senator Stumpf said the proposal is "an honest budget" that tries to provide adequate funding for education. The proposal includes a five percent increase in the basic formula in FY 06 and a four percent increase in FY 07.

Members reviewed each section of the proposal with fiscal staff.

The meeting adjourned at 5:50 p.m. The proceedings were taped and the materials distributed are attached to these minutes.



Senator LeRoy Stumpf  
Chairman



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## **Agenda**

S.F. 917-Sams: (Stumpf) Positive Alternatives Act

K-12 Articles – Omnibus bill

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Legislative Assistant