

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE JUDICIARY STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING
Room 20, West Office Building
January 24, 2012**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Kay McIff, Chair
Rep. LaVar Christensen, Vice Chair
Rep. Derek Brown
Rep. Fred Cox
Rep. Brian Doughty
Rep. Chris Herrod
Rep. Eric Hutchings
Rep. Ken Ivory
Rep. Brian King
Rep. V. Lowry Snow
Rep. Mark A. Wheatley
Rep. Brad Wilson

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Paul Ray

STAFF PRESENT: Mr. Jerry D. Howe, Policy Analyst
Ms. Linda Black, Committee Secretary

NOTE: A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair McIff called the meeting to order at 4:10 p.m.

H.B. 13 Offender Registry Review (*Rep. J. Draxler*)

Rep. Draxler presented the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Rep. Brown moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 1, Lines 18 through 20:*

- 18 • unlawful sexual conduct with a 16 or 17 year old; or
- 19 • unlawful sexual activity with a minor; { ~~or~~
- 20 ~~• a misdemeanor violation of voyeurism;~~ }

2. *Page 16, Lines 466 through 469:*

- 466 (a) the offender was convicted of:
- 467 (i) Section 76-5- { ~~40~~ 401 }, unlawful sexual activity with a minor;
- 468 (ii) Section 76-5-401.2, unlawful sexual conduct with a 16 or 17 year old; or
- 469 (iii) { ~~a misdemeanor violation of Section 76-9-702.7, voyeurism~~ } any

Spoke in favor of the bill: Ms. Jacey Skinner, Director, Utah Sentencing Commission

MOTION: Rep. Brown moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed with Rep. Hutchings voting opposition.

H.B. 204 Expedited Jury Trial Act Amendments (*Rep. B. King*)

Rep. King presented the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill: Mr. Casey Hill, Utah Civil Justice League, Utah Medical Association

MOTION: Rep. Ivory moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

H.B. 57 Age Difference in Sexual Offenses (*Rep. R. Greenwood*)

At the request of the sponsor, the bill was not considered.

MOTION: Rep. Brown moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

Chair McIff adjourned the meeting at 6:20 p.m.

Rep. Kay McIff, Chair