

Higher Education and Employment Advancement Committee

MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, March 10, 2020

10:00 AM in Old Judiciary

The meeting was called to order at 10:07 a.m. by Chairman, Rep. Haddad G. 054.

The following committee members were present:

Senators: Flexer M. S29; Haskell W. S26; Hwang T. S28; Maroney J. S14;
Slap D. S05

Representatives: Ackert T. 008; Arora H. 151; Betts W. 078; Doucette J. 013; Green
R. 055; Haddad G. 054; Hall C. 059; Mushinsky M. 085; Rochelle
K. 104; Sanchez R. 025; Simmons C. 144; Smith B. 048; Sredzinski
J. 112; Stallworth C. 126; Turco G. 027; Wood T. 141; Ziogas C.
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Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [S.B. No. 304](#) (RAISED) AN
ACT CONCERNING TRANSPORTATION SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDENTS AT INSTITUTIONS OF
HIGHER EDUCATION. (HED)

So moved by Sen. Haskell, W. S26 and seconded by Rep. Turco, G. 27.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total
number voting: 22, voting yea: 13, voting nay: 9, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting:
0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [S.B. No. 305](#) (RAISED) AN
ACT CONCERNING THE CONNECTICUT HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES
AUTHORITY AND THE CONNECTICUT HIGHER EDUCATION SUPPLEMENTAL
LOAN AUTHORITY. (HED) So moved by Sen. Haskell, W. S26 and seconded by Rep.
Turco, G. 27.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 22, voting nay: 0, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [H.B. No. 5029](#) (COMM) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TAX CREDIT FOR GRADUATES OF INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND PRIVATE OCCUPATIONAL SCHOOLS IN THE STATE. (HED) So moved by Rep. Turco, G. 27 and seconded by Sen. Haskell, W. S26.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 17, voting nay: 5, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [S.B. No. 19](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING SEXUAL MISCONDUCT ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES. (HED) So moved by Sen. Haskell, W. S26 and seconded by Sen. Hwang, T. S28.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 22, voting nay: 0, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [H.B. No. 5114](#) (RAISED) AN ACT REQUIRING TRAINING FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNING BOARDS OF THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE STATE. (HED) So moved by Sen. Haskell, W. S26 and seconded by Rep. Hall, J. 7.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 21, voting nay: 1, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [S.B. No. 15](#) AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE GOVERNOR'S BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING HIGHER EDUCATION. (HED) So moved by Sen. Haskell, W. S26 and seconded by Rep. Turco, G. 27.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 16, voting nay: 6, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [H.B. No. 5352](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING CLIMATE ADAPTATION STRATEGIES AT PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION. (HED) So moved by Sen. Haskell, W. S26 and seconded by Rep. Smith, B. 48.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 19, voting nay: 3, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [S.B. No. 18](#) (RAISED) AN ACT REQUIRING THE CONNECTICUT HIGHER EDUCATION SUPPLEMENTAL LOAN AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH A STUDENT LOAN SUBSIDY PROGRAM. (HED) So moved by Sen. Flexer, M. S29 and seconded by Rep. Turco.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 14, voting nay: 8, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JFS to the Floor [H.B. No. 5014](#) (RAISED) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TAX CREDIT FOR PROVIDERS OF CLINICAL NURSING EXPERIENCES. (HED) So moved by Sen. Haskell, W. S26 and seconded by Sen. Flexer, M. S29.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 17, voting nay: 5, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JF to the Floor [H.B. No. 5115](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNFUNDED PENSION LIABILITY PORTION OF THE FRINGE BENEFIT COST FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE CONSTITUENT UNITS OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION. (HED) So moved by Sen. Flexer, M. S29 and seconded by Rep. Turco, G. 27.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 15, voting nay: 7, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked for a motion to JF to the Floor [H.B. No. 5356](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS. (HED) So moved by Sen. Hwang, T. S28 and seconded by Sen. Haskell, W. S26.

Rep. Haddad, G. 54 asked the Clerk to call the roll. The Clerk called the roll. Total number voting: 22, voting yea: 22, voting nay: 0, abstaining: 0, absent and not voting: 0. The motion passed.

The meeting was recessed at 11:29 a.m., adjourning at 3:00 p.m.

Jeanie Phillips
Committee Clerk