

Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee

Senate Judiciary Committee Room

Minutes for Sunday, January 9, 2022

1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Senate

House

Sypolt, Chair	Present	Foster, G., Chair	Present
Jeffries	Present	Fleischauer	Present
Lindsay	Present	Graves	Present
Roberts	Present	Rowe	Present
Rucker		Steele	Present
Weld	Present	Worrell	Present
Blair, Nonvoting		Hanshaw, Nonvoting	

The Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee met in the Senate Judiciary Committee Room at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 9, 2021. The meeting was called to order by the Chair, Senator Sypolt. A silent roll call was taken by the Clerk to establish a quorum, as reflected above. Staff present included: Charlie Roskovensky, House Counsel; Robert Akers, House Counsel; Adair Sankoff, Director of Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee; and Felisha Sutherland, Committee Clerk.

Chairman Sypolt recognized Delegate Foster for the purpose of a motion to approve the minutes from December 8, 2021. The motion was adopted.

1. Charlie Roskovensky, House Counsel, explained his abstract on the rule proposed by the **State Auditor's Office, *Procedure For Local Levying Bodies To Apply for Permission To Extend Time To Meet As Levying Body***, [155 CSR 08](#), and responded to questions from the Committee.

On motion of Delegate Foster, the agency agreed to modifications were adopted.

On motion of Delegate Foster, the rule was approved as modified.

2. Robert Akers, House Counsel, reviewed his abstract on the rule proposed by the **State Tax Department, *Valuation of Producing and Reserve Oil, Natural Gas Liquids, and Natural Gas for Ad Valorem Property Tax Purposes*, [110 CSR 01J](#)**, and responded to questions from the Committee.

With leave of the Committee, Stephen Stockton, Counsel, Legal Division of the State Tax Department, responded to questions from the Committee.

With leave of the Committee, Phil Reale, WV Gas and Oil Conservation, responded to questions from the Committee.

With leave of the Committee, Jonathan Adler, Secretary of the Association of WV County Officials, responded to questions from the Committee.

On motion of Delegate Foster, the rule was disapproved.

On motion, Delegate Foster moved that staff prepare the Committee's report and submit the report to the Clerk's office of each House; draft a Bill of Authorization for each rule contained in the report; and cause the bills to be introduced in each house with the Chairs of the Committee as sponsors in their respective houses. The motion was adopted.

With no further business to come before the committee, Delegate Foster moved to adjourn. The motion was adopted.