



# West Virginia Senate

## Committee on Education

**Minutes for FEBRUARY 04, 2020, 2:00 PM**

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on Education met on February 04, 2020, 2:00 PM in Room M-451.

Members present: Senators Rucker, Azinger, Boley, Cline, Pitsenbarger, Roberts, Trump, Baldwin, Beach, Plymale, Romano, Stollings

Members absent: Senators Blair, Unger

A silent roll call being taken, the presence of a quorum was established.

On motion of Senator Boley, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

SB 131- Creating Tim Tebow Act Counsel explained the Committee Substitute in lieu of having it read.

Bernie Dolan, WVSSAC addressed the bill and responded to questions.

On the motion of Senator Boley the committee recessed until 5pm.

All previous attendees returned at 5pm with the exception of Senator Plymale.

Dale Lee, WVEA, addressed the bill and responded to questions.

Sarah Stewart, WVDE addressed the bill and responded to questions.

Jennifer Buckland, homeschool parent, addressed the bill and responded to questions.

(All parties were administered the oath.)

Senator Romano moved to amend the committee substitutes by striking private and parochial schools who are not members of WVSAC. The motion was rejected.

Senator Boley moved to agree to the language of the committee substitute for SB 131. The motion carried.

Senator Boley moved to report the committee substitute for SB 131 to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass. The motion carried.

On Motion of Senator Boley the committee adjourned.

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Patricia Puertas Rucker

Chair

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Earlene Anglin

Clerk/Analyst Committee on Education