



West Virginia Senate

Committee on Education

Minutes for March 11, 2025, 9:50 AM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on Education met on March 11, 2025, 9:50 AM in Room 451-M.

Members present: Senators Grady, Clements, Azinger, Bartlett, Boley, Deeds, Fuller, Hart, Morris, Oliverio, Roberts, Tarr, Taylor, Garcia

Members absent: Senator Stuart

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

On motion of Vice-Chair Clements, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

The next item on the agenda was **SB220** - Authorizing child sexual abuse and sexual violence prevention program and in-service training in child sexual abuse prevention.

Chair Grady recognized Hank Hager, Counsel, to explain the Committee Substitute in lieu of having it read. The Committee Substitute was explained. Questions from the Committee followed. By voice vote, the Committee Substitute was agreed to.

Chair Grady recognized Vice-Chair Clements for a motion. Vice-Chair Clements moved that the **Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 220** be reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the **Committee on The Judiciary**. The motion was adopted.

The next item on the agenda was **SB449** - Permitting compressed air and rimfire shooting teams in public schools.

Chair Grady recognized Hank Hager, Counsel, to explain the Committee Substitute in lieu of having it read. The Committee Substitute was explained. By voice vote, the Committee Substitute was agreed to.

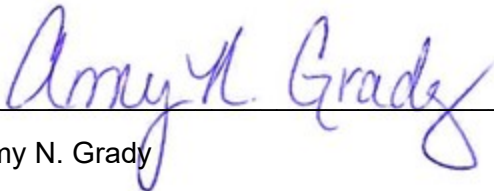
Chair Grady recognized Vice-Chair Clements for a motion. Vice-Chair Clements moved that the **Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 449** be reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass. The motion was adopted.

The next item on the agenda was **SB548** - Creating Safety and Violence Education for Students Act.


Chair Grady recognized Hank Hager, Counsel, to explain the Committee Substitute in lieu of having it read. The Committee Substitute was explained. Questions and discussion from the Committee followed. By voice vote, the Committee Substitute was agreed to.

Chair Grady recognized Vice-Chair Clements for a motion. Vice-Chair Clements moved that the **Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 548** be reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the **Committee on Finance**. The motion was adopted.

On motion of Vice-Chair Clements the Committee adjourned.



Amy N. Grady
Chair



Benjamin Mack
Clerk