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Legislative Oversight Committee

Tuesday, April 4, 2023

9:00 a.m. Blatt Room 110

Archived Video Available

- I. Pursuant to House Legislative Oversight Committee Rule 4.7, South Carolina ETV was allowed access for streaming the meeting. You may access an archived video of this meeting by visiting the South Carolina General Assembly’s website (<http://www.scstatehouse.gov>) and clicking on *Committee Postings and Reports*, then under *House Standing Committees* click on *Legislative Oversight*. Then, click on *Video Archives* for a listing of archived videos for the Committee.

Attendance

- I. The Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee meeting was called to order by Chair Joseph H. Jefferson, Jr. on Tuesday, April 4, 2023, in Room 110 of the Blatt Building. Representative April Cromer, Representative Thomas “Val” Guest, Representative Roger Kirby, and Rep. Marvin “Mark” Smith were present for the meeting.

Minutes

- I. House Rule 4.5 requires standing committees to prepare and make available to the public the minutes of committee meetings, but the minutes do not have to be verbatim accounts of meetings.

Approval of Minutes

- I. Representative Guest makes a motion to approve the meeting minutes from prior meeting. A roll call vote was held, and the motion passed.

Rep. Guest motion to approve meeting minutes.	Yea	Nay	Not Voting
Rep. Cromer	✓		
Rep. Guest	✓		
Rep. Kirby	✓		
Rep. Smth	✓		
Rep. Jefferson	✓		

Discussion of Department on Aging

- I. Chair Jefferson states the purpose of the subcommittee meeting. The meeting begins with public input from Tim Womack, Appalachian Council of Governments, Aging Services Director. His testimony provided information regarding the services offered by his organization, challenges with the provider network, and ways to improve the Department on Aging's relationship with the state's Area Agencies on Aging.

- II. Chair Jefferson explains this is the Subcommittee's second meeting with the Department on Aging and the purpose is to discuss the agency's programs and services. Chair Jefferson reminds agency representatives, who have been previously sworn in, that they remain under oath. Chair Jefferson administers the oath to Brenda Stalzer, Director, SC Vulnerable Adult Guardian ad Litem Program (VAGAL SC) and Dale Watson, State Long Term Care Ombudsman

- III. Agency representatives testified before the subcommittee regarding the following items:
 - a. Executive Organizational Unit;
 - b. Permanent Improvement Projects; and
 - c. Legislative Councils

Adjournment

- I. There being no further business, the meeting is adjourned.