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2001 HOUSE HUMAN SERVICES

HCR 3054

2001 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. HCR 3054

House Human Services Committee

Conference Committee

Hearing Date February 21, 2001

Tape Number	Side A	Side B	Meter #
Tape 1	X		2450 to 2730
Tape 2	X		3930 to 4070
Committee Clerk Signature <i>Corinne Easton</i>			

Minutes:

Chairman Price, Vice Chairman Devlin, Rep. Dosch, Rep. Galvin, Rep. Klein, Rep. Pollert, Rep. Porter, Rep. Tieman, Rep. Weiler, Rep. Weisz, Rep. Cleary, Rep. Metcalf, Rep. Niemeier, Rep. Sandvig

Chairman Price: Open hearing on HCR 3054.

Rep. Devlin: Presented bill. HCR 3054 grew out of a bill that the committee had earlier. We voted down after discussions with the Attorney General's Office and some legal people who deal with child support issues. We might have disrupted more than we wanted to, legally, in the areas of child custody and visitation. We thought perhaps a study resolution would be a more appropriate way of looking at that. Most of us that dealt with child support visitation terms, including custody, have thought often that these terms were more in mind of somebody dealing with prisoners than they are dealing with children, and made them sound like possessions more than individuals that are the responsibility of both parents. I would hope that we would move

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this resolution forward with a DO PASS and, hopefully, the Legislative Council would chose it because I think it is an area we need to deal with. A lot of states have went to this already. From every indication we have as worked very well for them.

Senator Fischer: I stand in support of HCR 3054. Rep. Devlin has pretty much covered it, so I'll leave it at that.

Chairman Price: Close hearing on HCR 3054.

**COMMITTEE WORK:**

CHAIRMAN PRICE: HCR 3054.

VICE CHAIRMAN DEVLIN: I move a Do Pass.

REP. WEISZ: Second.

CHAIRMAN PRICE: Any one have any comments to make? Seeing none all those in favor of a

**DO PASS signify by saying Aye (14) Opposed (0).**

**14 YES 0 NO 0 ABSENT CARRIED BY REP. DEVLIN**

Date: 2-21-01  
Roll Call Vote #: 1

2001 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES  
BILL/RESOLUTION NO. HCR 3054

House Human Services Committee

Subcommittee on \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
 Conference Committee

Legislative Council Amendment Number \_\_\_\_\_

Action Taken DO PASS (Consent Calendar)

Motion Made By Devlin Seconded By Weisz

Representatives	Yes	No	Representatives	Yes	No
Rep. Clara Sue Price, Chairman	✓		Rep. Audrey Cleary	✓	
Rep. William Devlin, V, Chairman	✓		Rep. Ralph Metcalf	✓	
Rep. Mark Dosch	✓		Rep. Carol Niemeier	✓	
Rep. Pat Galvin	✓		Rep. Sally Sandvig	✓	
Rep. Frank Klein	✓				
Rep. Chet Pollert	✓				
Rep. Todd Porter	✓				
Rep. Wayne Tieman	✓				
Rep. Dave Weiler	✓				
Rep. Robin Weisz	✓				

Total (Yes) 14 No \_\_\_\_\_

Absent \_\_\_\_\_

Floor Assignment Rep. Devlin

If the vote is on an amendment, briefly indicate intent:

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410)  
February 21, 2001 12:10 p.m.

Module No: HR-32-4196  
Carrier: Devlin  
Insert LC: . Title: .

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**HCR 3054: Human Services Committee (Rep. Price, Chairman) recommends DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3054 was placed on the Tenth order on the calendar.**

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2001 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 3054

Senate Judiciary Committee

Conference Committee

Hearing Date March 20th, 2001

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Committee Clerk Signature			

Minutes: **Senator Traynor**, opened the hearing on HCR 3054.

**Rep. Devlin**, tried to diffuse child custody problems. We were broad in our language and the Attorney General's office came back to us telling of the potential problem.

**Senator Traynor**, do other states use these terms?

**Rep. Devlin**, yes.

**Senator Trenbeath**, what hope is there of changing anything in our social order?

**Senator Dever**, in the other states that have adopted this, has it helped?

**Rep. Devlin** we see this as helping parents work together.

**Senator Nelson**, we are going to need those definitions to help with this study.

**Rep. Devlin**, that would be our intent. We need some changes to diffuse the problem.

**Senator Dever**, are you familiar with mediation efforts in Grand Forks?

**Rep. Devlin**, we agree, we would like to see growth.

**Senator Traynor**, we use the term custodial and non custodial parents, what terms do other



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states use?

**Rep. Devlin**, I don't know.

**Senator Traynor**, closed the hearing on HCR 3054.

**SENATOR WATNE MOTIONED TO DO PASS, SECONDED BY SENATOR DEVER.  
VOTE INDICATED 6 YEAS, 0 NAYS AND 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING. SENATOR  
WATNE VOLUNTEERED TO CARRY THE BILL.**



**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410)**  
March 22, 2001 8:59 a.m.

**Module No: SR-50-6356**  
**Carrier: Watne**  
**Insert LC: . Title: .**

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**HCR 3054: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Traynor, Chairman) recommends DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3054 was placed on the Tenth order on the calendar.**