## MINUTES

## **HOUSE WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE**

| DATE:               | Monday, February 25, 2019   |                      |
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| TIME:               | 8:30 A.M.   |                      |
| PLACE:              | Room EW05   |                      |
| MEMBERS:            | Chairman Anderst, Representatives Moyle, Monks, Blanksma, Erpelding, Rubel, Smith   |                      |
| ABSENT/<br>EXCUSED: | None  |                      |
| GUESTS:             | None.   |                      |
|                     | Chairman Anderst called the meeting to order a  | at 8:34AM.           |
| RS 26952:           | <b>Rep. Zollinger</b> , District 33, explained the proposed legislation governs joint custody cases and provides a start point for judges that presumes a 50/50 custody split between the parents in all custody cases. It also mandates that judges provide notation on decisions to change custody from 50/50 to an alternate arrangement.  |                      |
| MOTION:             | Rep. Moyle made a motion to introduce RS 26952. Motion carried by voice vote.   |                      |
| RS 26964:           | <b>Rep. Blanksma</b> explained the proposed legislation provides new language in Idaho Code 33-4602 to allow students that did not access dual credit funds during high school the opportunity to use those funds to attend state-designated trade schools within three years of their high school graduation.  |                      |
| MOTION:             | Rep. Erpelding made a motion to introduce RS 26964.   |                      |
|                     | In response to committee questions, <b>Rep. Blanksma</b> further explained that the amount per student of \$4125 notated in the fiscal note was quoted from existing Idaho Code and was a not a change to existing Idaho Code. She also stated that the exact number of students who would use this was still under review. Currently less than 50% of all high school students are eligible for the funding, and she will continue to work to provide complete numbers for the total financial impact of the proposed legislation. |                      |
| VOTE ON MOTION:     | Motion carried by voice vote.   |                      |
| ADJOURN:            | There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 8:41AM.  |                      |
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