

## **House Committee on Education**

Minutes of Meeting  
2023 Regular Session  
June 4, 2023

### **I. CALL TO ORDER**

Representative Lance Harris, chairman of the House Committee on Education, called the meeting to order at 3:35 p.m. in Room 1, in the state capitol in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

### **II. ROLL CALL**

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Representative Lance Harris, chairman  
Representative Kendrick "Ken" Brass  
Representative Julie Emerson  
Representative Aimee Adatto Freeman  
Representative Barbara Reich Freiberg  
Representative Brett F. Geymann  
Representative Charles Anthony Owen  
Representative Tammy T. Phelps  
Representative Vincent "Vinney" J. St. Blanc, III

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Representative Beryl A. Amedée  
Representative Patrick O. Jefferson, vice chairman  
Representative Phillip Eric Tarver

#### **STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Elizabeth L. Borne, legislative analyst  
Lisa Lovello, legislative analyst  
Alexandra Cravins, committee administrative assistant  
Sarah Baker, committee assistant

#### **ADDITIONAL ATTENDEES PRESENT:**

Myrtis Jarrell, sergeant at arms

### **III. BUSINESS**

#### **Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 by Senator Fields**

Senator Fields presented Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, which provides for legislative approval of the MFP formula for the 2023-2024 school year.

Beth Scioneaux, Louisiana Department of Education, Claiborne Building, 5th Floor, Baton Rouge, LA, (225) 342-3617, spoke for information only on Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

Representative Harris offered a motion to report Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 favorably, with a recommendation to recommit to the House Committee on Appropriations. Without objection, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was reported favorably with a recommendation to recommit to the House Committee on Appropriations by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Harris, Brass, Emerson, Freeman, Freiberg, Geymann, Charles Owen, Phelps, and St. Blanc voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by those who did not speak are as follows: 6 in support, and 1 for information only. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

### **IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

There were no announcements.

### **V. ADJOURNMENT**

Representative Harris offered a motion to adjourn. Without objection, the motion passed by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Harris, Brass, Emerson, Freeman, Freiberg, Geymann, Charles Owen, Phelps, and St. Blanc voted yea.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:41 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Chairman Lance Harris  
House Committee on Education

Date adopted: