

JLARC Meeting

November 25, 2019 – MINUTES

JLARC Members Present:

Senator Thomas K. Norment, Jr., Chairman; Delegate Terry L. Austin; Delegate Betsy B. Carr; Speaker M. Kirkland Cox; Delegate Charniele Herring; Delegate S. Chris Jones; Senator Ryan T. McDougle; Delegate Kenneth R. Plum; Senator Frank M. Ruff, Jr. and Martha S. Mavredes.

The meeting was called to order at 1:02 p.m. by Chairman Norment. Chairman Norment recognized Hal Greer, JLARC staff Director. Mr. Greer gave an overview of the agenda.

Operations and Performance of the Office of the Attorney General

Mr. Greer gave an overview of the study conducted of the Office of the Attorney General. He then introduced Mr. Mark Gribbin who addressed the Commission. At the conclusion of Mr. Gribbin's report he responded to Commission member questions.

Status of JLARC Recommendations for Legislative Action

Mr. Greer gave a presentation on the status of several key JLARC recommendations that remain unimplemented by the General Assembly.

Gaming in the Commonwealth

Mr. Greer gave an overview of the study of gaming in the Commonwealth. Mr. Greer then introduced Ms. Tracey Smith who also gave an overview of the study and clarified certain aspects of the research and projections contained in the report. Ms. Smith introduced Mr. Joe McMahon, who presented the report's findings and recommendations. Following his presentation, Mr. McMahon responded to Commission member questions.

Chairman Norment received a motion, and the Commission voted to receive and authorize printing of both the OAG and gaming reports.

Adjournment

Mr. Greer announced that the next JLARC meeting will be Monday, December 16, 2019 at 1:00 p.m.

There being no further business, the Commission rose at 3:25 p.m.

Approved by: Hal E Greer
Hal E. Greer, JLARC Director

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