MINUTES OF THE HOUSE K-12 EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Ralph Tanner at 9:00 a.m. on January 15, 2002 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

Committee staff present:	Ben Barrett, Legislative Research Department
	Carolyn Rampey, Legislative Research Department
	Jill Wolters, Revisor of Statutes
	Ann Deitcher, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

The Chair spoke of the Committee rules to be enforced regarding conferrees appearing before the Committee this session. A timing device would be used to allow them no more than ten minutes to summarize their testimony. He explained that this would give more time for any questions of the Committee.

The memorandum "No Child Left Behind" was distributed. (Attachment 1).

A memorandum regarding the teacher shortage was also distributed. (Attachment 2).

Introduced to the Committee was a new staff member, Jill Wolters, Revisor of Statutes.

<u>Representative Tomlinson moved for the introduction of a bill that would add ammunition to the list of items prohibited in public schools.</u> The motion was seconded by Representative Morrison and passed on a voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 a.m. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 16, 2002.