

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

May 7, 2025  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room H-174

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Janeen Sollman, Co-Chair  
Sen. Lew Frederick  
Sen. Suzanne Weber

Rep. Zach Hudson  
Rep. Susan McLain  
Rep. Boomer Wright  
Rep. Dwayne Yunker

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:**

Rep. Ricki Ruiz, Co-Chair

**GUEST MEMBER(S):**

Sen. Kate Lieber

Rep. Tawna Sanchez

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Wendy Gibson, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Lizzie Lohrer, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

**00:00:02**     [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
**00:00:03**     Senator Sollman, Presiding Co-Chair  
**00:00:26**     Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office  
  
**00:00:50**     [HB 5028 Relating to the financial administration of the Board of Pharmacy](#)  
**00:01:03**     Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:05:05**     MOTION: Rep. Sanchez moves the LFO recommendation to HB 5028  
**00:05:36**     Rep. Wright  
**00:06:39**     Rep. Sanchez  
**00:07:06**     Rep. Wright  
**00:07:24**     Co-Chair Sollman  
**00:07:43**     Ms. Morse-Miller

00:07:54 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:08:14 VOTE: 8-0-1  
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Sanchez, Wright, Yunker  
Exc: Rep. Ruiz  
MOTION CARRIES  
00:08:24 MOTION: Rep. Sanchez moves the LFO recommendation on key performance measures  
00:08:40 VOTE: 8-0-1  
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Sanchez, Wright, Yunker  
Exc: Rep. Ruiz  
MOTION CARRIES  
00:08:54 Ms. Morse-Miller  
00:09:05 MOTION: Rep. Sanchez moves the adoption of the -1 Amendment to HB 5028  
00:09:21 VOTE: 8-0-1  
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Sanchez, Wright, Yunker  
Exc: Rep. Ruiz  
MOTION CARRIES  
00:09:28 Ms. Morse-Miller  
00:09:36 MOTION: Rep. Sanchez moves HB 5028, as amended, to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation  
00:09:58 VOTE: 8-0-1  
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Sanchez, Wright, Yunker  
Exc: Rep. Ruiz  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Sollman  
00:10:04 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:10:43 Ms. Morse-Miller  
  
00:11:11 **Department of Early Learning and Care - Every Child Belongs**  
00:11:27 Wendy Gibson, Legislative Fiscal Office  
00:12:29 Alyssa Chatterjee, Director, Department of Early Learning and Care  
00:12:38 Jon Reeves, Professional Learning System Director, Department of Early Learning and Care  
00:12:47 Ms. Chatterjee  
00:16:54 Mr. Reeves  
00:20:56 Ms. Chatterjee  
00:21:16 Mr. Reeves  
00:23:02 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:23:17 Ms. Chatterjee  
00:23:37 Mr. Reeves

00:24:43 Rep. McLain  
00:25:31 Ms. Chatterjee  
00:26:28 Sen. Weber  
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00:30:13 Sen. Weber  
00:30:18 Ms. Chatterjee  
00:30:31 Sen. Weber  
00:30:37 Ms. Chatterjee  
00:31:04 Mr. Reeves  
00:32:37 Rep. McLain  
00:33:08 Ms. Chatterjee  
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00:36:36 Rep. McLain  
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01:26:59 Meeting Adjourned