

**Legislative Committee of the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission**  
**Minutes**  
**March 2, 2018**

A public meeting of the Joint Executive and Legislative Committees of the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission was convened on Friday, March 2, 2018 at the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission, 1110 W. Washington, Suite 230, Phoenix, AZ 85007.

Members Present:

Joe Brugman, ACJC Vice-Chairperson, Safford Police Department Chief  
David Byers, Director of Administrative Office of the Courts, by conference call  
Charles Ryan, Director of Department of Corrections, Greg Lauchner representing  
David Sanders, Chairperson, Pima County Chief Probation Officer, by conference call  
Sean Duggan, Chandler Police Chief, by conference call  
K.C. Clark, Navajo County Sheriff, Randy McFfitt, representing by conference call  
Frank Milstead, Director of Department of Public Safety, Courtney Coolidge representing by conference call  
Mark Napier, Pima County Sheriff, by conference call  
Danny Sharp, Chief, Oro Valley Police Department, Aaron Lesuer representing by conference call

Members Absent:

Sheila Polk, ACJC Chairperson, Yavapai County Attorney  
Barbara LaWall, Pima County Attorney

ACJC Staff Present:

Jaime Watson, Public Information Officer/Legislative Liaison  
Andy LeFevre, ACJC Executive Director

Guests Participating:

Jerry Landau, Administrative Office of the Courts  
Ben Alteneider, Arizona Department of Corrections

**I. Call to Order and Roll Call**

The meeting was called to order by Chief David Sanders at 1:32 pm. Roll was taken and a quorum was declared present.

**II. Minutes of the February 9, 2018 Meeting**

Chief Sanders called for a motion on the minutes. Joe Brugman entered a motion to approve the minutes of the meeting held on February 9, 2018. The motion was seconded by Mark Napier and was unanimously approved by the Committee.

**III. ACJC Legislative Priorities**

Jaime Watson, Public Information Officer/Legislative Liaison discussed ACJC's legislative priorities regarding Protective Orders, HB 2249 and Criminal Justice Commission; Reporting Requirements, HB 2247.

HB 2249 passed the House of Representatives with a vote of 57-0 on February 15, 2018. HB 2249 will be heard in Senate Judiciary on Thursday, March 8, 2018 at 9:00 am.

HB2247 passed the House of Representatives with a vote of 58-0 on February 8, 2018. HB 2247 will be heard in Senate Judiciary on Thursday, March 8, 2018 at 9:00 am.

**IV. Review ACJC Legislative Positions**

Jaime Watson provided a status update on ACJC supported bills, including HB 2001 (Indigent Defense Fund; Distribution; Purpose) and SB 1350 (Indigent Defense Fund; Distribution; Purpose). HB 2001 passed the House of Representatives with a

vote of 42-16 and was referred to Senate Judiciary and Appropriations. There is no update on SB 1350 and was not heard in committee by the deadline and will be removed from future agendas.

Jaime Watson provided a status update on ACJC opposed bills, including SB 1078 (Arizona Criminal Justice Commission; Membership), SB 1244 (Membership; Arizona Criminal Justice Commission), SB 1345 (Criminal Justice Commission; Legislative Recommendations), and HB 2511 (Criminal Justice Commission; Membership; Report). There is no update on ACJC's opposed bills and each bill was not heard in committee by the deadline and they will be removed from future agendas.

Jaime Watson provided a status update on ACJC monitor bills, including SB 1035 (Municipal Courts; Maximum Revenue; Transfer), SB 1061 (Medical Marijuana Fund; Appropriation), HB 2069 (Private Prisons; Contracts; Termination), HB 2313 (Sentencing; Monetary Obligations; Fine Mitigation), HB 2415 (Juvenile Dependency Proceedings Fund), SB 1186 (Injunction Against Harassment; Petition; Hearing), SB 1400 (Aggravated DUI; Sentence; County Jail), SB 1496 (Prisoners; Drug Sentences; Out-of-Custody Treatment), and HB 2640 (Sexual Assault Victims; Study Committee). SB 1035 was not heard in committee by deadline and will be removed from future agendas. SB 1061 came back as a strike everything amendment added to SB 1282. HB 2069 was not heard in committee by deadline and will be removed from future agendas. HB 2313 passed the House of Representatives with a vote of 56-0 and referred to Senate Judiciary. ACJC will continue to monitor. HB 2415 passed the House of Representatives with a vote of 51-7 and referred to Senate Appropriations and Judiciary Committee. ACJC will continue to monitor. SB 1186 was used as a vehicle for an unrelated strike everything amendment, which failed to pass the Senate with a vote of 18-12. The bill will be removed from future agendas. SB 1400 passed the Senate 30-0 and will be heard in House Judiciary and Public Safety. A floor amendment in the sponsor's name was adopted which would require a sheriff who establishes a DUI program to report the necessary data to the ACJC for the required recidivism report. SB 1496 passed the Senate with a vote of 30-0, as amended and referred to House Appropriations and House Military, Veterans and Regulatory Affairs. Joe Brugman motioned to oppose SB 1496 as written with ability to move to neutral, if amended and Mark Napier seconded the motion. The motion carries. HB 2640 was not heard in committee by deadline and will be removed from future agendas.

#### **V. Review Introduced Criminal Justice Legislation**

Jaime Watson presented the following criminal justice legislation to the Committee for review, discussion, consideration and possible action on support of various criminal justice legislation:

1) **SB 1282 (Technical Correction; Bingo License; Transfer)**

A strike everything amendment, had been introduced which would appropriate \$5,000,000 from the Medical Marijuana Fund to the ACJC in FY 2019 to administer as drug control grants. The bill has not gone before the Committee of the Whole and will need  $\frac{3}{4}$  vote to pass due to Prop 105 regulations.

Joe Brugman motioned to monitor and Mark Napier seconded the motion. The motion carried.

#### **VI. Call to the Public**

Chief Sanders made a call to the public. No members of the public addressed the Committee.

#### **VII. Date, Time, and Location of Next Meeting**

The next legislative update will be scheduled on the call of the chairperson.

#### **VIII. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 1:54 pm.

Respectfully submitted,



Andrew T. LeFevre