MILITARY & VETERANS AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

MINUTES

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1980

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman John E. Scheaffer called a Committee Meeting off of the floor of the House at 12 noon, on Wednesday, March 5, 1980.

ROLL CALL

Upon a roll call by the Secretary, twenty-four members of the Committee were in attendance, with no absentees; (see attached list).

CONSIDERATION OF BILL

Senate Bill 902 - Printer's No. 1512

Senate Bill 902 is designed to amend Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statues to provide an increase in the amount of pension for blind veterans from \$50 per month to \$100 per month, effective July 1, 1980.

After some discussion on this bill, Representative Anthony J. Cimini made the motion and Representative A. J. DeMedio seconded the motion, that Senate Bill 902 be reported out of Committee. On a Roll Call vote of twenty-four (24) yeas and zero (0) nays, the Bill was reported to the floor of the house. /

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Representative Edwin G. Johnson made the motion, which was seconded by Representative Harry E. Bowser to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 12:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Scheaffer, Chairm

Edwin G. Johnson, Secretary

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

ROLL CALL

Committee Military & Veterans Affairs	Date and Time March 5, 1980 12 Noon					
Bill or Resolution No. Senate Bill 902 Printer's No. 1512	Type of Motion (attach Reported out of Committee copy if amendment)					
Sponsor of Motion Representative Cimini Seconded by Representative DeMedio						
Brief Description To provide an increase in the amount of pension for blind veterans from \$50 per month to \$100 per month, effective July 1, 1980.						
Yeas 24 Nays Not Voting	PassedFailed					

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Majority Members	veas	nays	N-A	Minority Members	yeas	nays	N-V
John E. Scheaffer				A. J. DeMedio	/		
Anthony J. Cimini				Emil Mrkonic	1		-
Edwin G. Johnson				Kenneth J. Cole	/		
Harry E. Bowser				Bernard R. Novak	/		
Clarence E. Dietz				Reid L. Bennett			
Kathrynann W. Durham		·		H. William DeWeese	1		
Roger Raymond Fischer	. /			Richard Chess			
Joseph Levi, II				Bernard Dombrowski			
Joseph C. Manmiller				Frank J. Zitterman			
Vern Pyles	/		-	James F. Jones, Jr.	V		
Gregg L. Cunningham							
Edmund J. Sieminski							
Gerald J. Spitz	V						
William Telek	V				-		

E. Scheeffer Johnson

Secretary

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

ATTENDANCE

Committee	Military	& Veterans	Affairs	Date and Place	Wednesday, March 5, 1980 Floor of the House of Representative
Time Calle	d to Order_	12 Noon		Time Adjourned	

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Majority Members	pres	abs	on leave	Minority Members	pres	abs	on leave
John E. Scheaffer				A. J. DeMedio	V		
Anthony J. Cimini	./			Emil Mrkonic	V		
Edwin G. Johnson				Kenneth J. Cole			·
Harry E. Bowser				Bernard R. Novak			
Clarence E. Dietz	V			Reid L. Bennett			
Kathrynann W. Durham				H. William DeWeese			·
Roger Raymond Fischer				Richard Chess			
Joseph Levi, II	/			Bernard Dombrowski	V		
Joseph C. Manmiller				Frank J. Zitterman		/	
Vern Pyles				James F. Jones, Jr.	1		
Gregg L. Cunningham	V						
Edmund J. Sieminski	1						•
Gerald J. Spitz							
William Telek	V						

Total Present 24	Aly & Schooper
Total Absent	Chairman
Total Absent with Leave	2d 4. Junson
	Secretary //