

THE VIRGINIA BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK
HB 1146 AD HOC COMMITTEE MEETING

MINUTES

Wednesday, June 11, 2008

The HB 1146 Ad Hoc Committee of the Virginia Board of Social Work ("Board") convened at 10:10 a.m. on Wednesday, June 11, 2008 at the Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia. David Boehm, Chair, called the meeting to order.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS
PRESENT:**

Charles R. Chambers, Jr.
Dolores Paulson

STAFF PRESENT:

Emily Wingfield, Chief Deputy Director
Evelyn B. Brown, Executive Director
Catherine Chappell, Administrative Assistant

OTHERS PRESENT:

Hayley Brooks, Richmond Dept. of Social Services
Leslie Louick, Henrico Co. Dept. of Social Services
Mark O'Shea, LCSW, Virginia Society of Clinical
Social Workers
Susan Ward, Virginia Hospital and Healthcare
Association

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

REVIEW OF HB 1146 WORKING DRAFTS

The Committee members reviewed draft documents in response to the Board's directive under HB 1146 to evaluate the education and training requirements for social workers to determine if they are adequate to assure the public of professional competency and to evaluate whether the current exemptions from licensure requirements best serve the citizens of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

The draft documents will be presented to the Board for consideration and adoption at the July 18, 2008, meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the HB 1146 Ad Hoc Committee meeting adjourned at 3:15 p.m.

Evelyn B. Brown, Executive Director

David Boehm, Chair