

10-26-15

HOUSE AD HOC STUDY COMMITTEE ON MANDATORY BAR ASSOCIATIONS

Report of Interim Meeting
Monday, October 26, 2015
House Hearing Room 1 -- 9:30 a.m.

Convened 9:36 a.m.
Adjourned 12:03 p.m.

Members Present

Representative Eddie Farnsworth
Paul Avelar
Mauricio Hernandez
Eleanor Miller
Jared Blanchard
Representative Anthony Kern, Chairman

Members Absent

Representative Randall Friese (excused)

Agenda - Original

Attachment 1

Agenda - Revised

Attachment 2

Request to Speak

Attachment 3

Presentations

Overview of the Bar's Role in the Judicial Nominating Process
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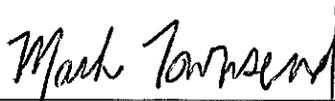
Katy Proctor
Paul Avelar

Organization

House Research
Self

Attachments (Handouts)

Attachment 4
None



Mark Townsend, Chairman Assistant
October 26, 2015

(Original attachments on file in the Office of the Chief Clerk; video archives available at <http://www.azleg.gov>)

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Information Registered on the Request to Speak System

House House Ad Hoc Study Committee on Mandatory Bar Associations (10/26/2015)

4, Public Comment

Oppose:

Beverly Hall, representing self
Sharyn Nesbitt, representing self
Randy Lang, Native American Tribal License Attorneys and Bar
Brent Miller, representing self
Karyl Drug, representing self

Support:

James Reed, representing self
William Klain, representing self
Page Martin, representing self
Tom Ryan, representing self
Gerald Richard, representing Arizona Black Bar
John Phelps, State Bar of Arizona

All Comments:

Beverly Hall, Self: Based on historical information, it is not the province of the legislature to determine whether the Bar is voluntary or integrated.

CD on file with the Chief Clerks Office

*****Attachment 4*****