EDUCATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES

Rep. McEachern, Chair of the Education Committee, called the thirty-second meeting to order on Wednesday, September 13, 1989, at 12:45 P.M., at the College of St. Teresa, Winona, Minnesota.

Members present were:

McEachern, Chair
Olson, K., Vice Chair
Bauerly
Beard
Frederick
Girard
Hartle
Hasskamp
Hugoson
Johnson
McDonald
McGuire
McPherson
Nelson, C.

Ostrom
Otis
Pellow
Pelowski
Rest
Richter
Schafer
Scheid
Swenson
Trimble
Tunheim
Waltman
Weaver

Members excused:

Jaros Kelso Kinkel Nelson, K. Omann

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The topic of discussion at the Mini-Session in Winona, Minnesota, was a proposed state high school for science, mathematics and international studies.

Testifiers:

Dr. Darrell Krueger, President, Winona State University, directed his remarks to the global perspective.

Dr. Steven Watson, Exeuctive Director, MN High Technology Council, spoke regarding the Minnesota perspective.

Robert Kierlin, President, Fastenal Company, Winona, discussed the Hiawatha Foundation offer

Myron Snesrud, Winona State University faculty member and former IBM executive, addressed the higher education perspective.

Dr. Justin Green, Dean, School of Sciences and Humanities, St. Mary's College, Winona also addressed the higher education perspective.

Dr. Charles Sambs, Interim Superintendent, Winona Public Schools, discussed the K-12 perspective. Richard Clark, Science Education Program Specialist, Minnesota Department of Education, responded to a question raised by a member of the committee.

Dr. Kenneth Kindner, Consultant, College of St. Teresa, conducted a tour of the College of St. Teresa.

The meeting adjourned at 2:30 P.M.

REP. BOB MCEACHERN

Norma Christensen, Clerk