

**Family Law Commission Meeting Minutes**  
June 10, 2010

**Members Present:**

Lynn Kokjohn, Chair  
Wendy Jean Matlack  
Peg Smith  
Representative Ramone  
Diana Metzger  
Senator Sorenson

James Morning  
Eileen Williams  
Judge Walls  
Britt Davis  
Harriet Ainbinder  
Senator Ennis

**Others Present:**

Drew Slater, Assistant  
Jean Ardis, Secretary  
Jody Huber, c/o Family Court

The meeting was held at 9:35am in the Senate Hearing Room of Legislative Hall.

The first item on the agenda was the approval of the previous month's minutes. Mr. Morning called for a motion, which was seconded by Ms. Matlack. The vote was unanimous.

The commission then thanked Jody and Jean for all of their work with the Family Law Commission.

The commission briefly reviewed the public hearing comments to come to a conclusion on the year's meetings with the guest speakers.

Next on the agenda were the sub-committee meetings. It was determined that there should be three meetings. One on what other states are doing regarding paternity fraud, what other states are doing regarding protection from abuse legislation, and lastly the feasibility of evening hours in Family Court. Guest speakers will be invited to the meetings.

It was determined that there should be three meetings between June and December with the dates pending.

The commission went over pending legislation to see if there were any bills to support before the end of the legislative session on June 30<sup>th</sup>. The commission was concerned over Senator Ennis' bill's lack of movement in the House of Representatives, SS 1 for SB 171. This bill was drafted for a constituent of Senator Ennis' and someone that has visited on many occasions the Family Law Commission.

The next item on the agenda was new business. The Chair brought up the December planning meeting and hoping to have a report by then. The next topic was the public hearing, which the commission hopes to schedule in early January.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:18am.

Drew Slater  
Assistant