

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Call to Order: By Chairman Ron Stoker, on January 31, 2007 at 3:00 P.M., in Room 152 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Ron Stoker, Chairman (R)
Rep. Arlene Becker, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Tom McGillvray, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Mary Caferro (D)
Rep. Ernie Dutton (R)
Rep. Julie French (D)
Rep. Pat Ingraham (R)
Rep. William J. Jones (R)
Rep. Krayton Kerns (R)
Rep. Dave McAlpin (D)
Rep. Mike Milburn (R)
Rep. Ken Peterson (R)
Rep. Michele Reinhart (D)
Rep. Diane Sands (D)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Debbie Carlson, Committee Secretary
Sue O'Connell, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 414, 1/25/2007
Executive Action: HB 148, HB 278, HB 157, HB 154

00:00:01 Rep Stoker

HEARING ON HB 414

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:00:31 Rep. Michele Reinhart (D), HD 97, opened the hearing on HB 414, Revise records regarding involuntary commitment of developmentally disabled.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:02:03 Beth Brenneman, Attorney, Montana Advocacy Program

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Informational Testimony:

00:04:05 Jeff Sturm, Developmental Disabilities Director,
Department of Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

00:05:07 Rep. Stoker

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:05:31 Rep. Dutton

00:05:52 Rep. Reinhart

00:06:13 Rep. Peterson

00:06:46 Ms. Brenneman

00:07:06 Rep. Ingraham

00:07:36 Ms. Brenneman

00:08:01 Rep. Stoker

00:08:07 Ms. Brenneman

Closing by Sponsor:

00:08:30 Rep. Reinhart

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 278

00:09:12 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved that HB 278 **DO PASS**.

Discussion:

00:09:35 Rep. McGillvray

00:10:47 Rep. Becker

00:11:33 Rep. Reinhart

00:11:55 Rep. Peterson

00:13:19 Rep. French

00:14:18 Rep. Milburn

00:16:08 Rep. Jones

00:21:18 Rep. Ingraham
00:23:25 Rep. Peterson
00:24:42 Rep. French
00:25:35 Rep. Stoker
00:26:50 Rep. Becker
00:27:44 Rep. Dutton
00:28:52 Rep. McGillvray
00:30:39 Rep. Milburn
00:32:06 Rep. Sands

00:34:10 **Vote:** Motion carried by roll call vote 12-2 with Rep. McGillvray and Rep. Milburn voting no.

Discussion:

00:35:00 Rep. Stoker
00:35:31 Rep. Peterson
00:35:54 Rep. Stoker

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 148

00:37:13 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved that HB 148 **DO PASS.**

00:37:20 **Motion:** Rep. French moved **HB 148 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(huh21a01)

Discussion:

00:37:45 Rep. French
00:41:13 Rep. Becker
00:41:41 Rep. French
00:42:37 Rep. Becker
00:43:10 Rep. French
00:43:47 Rep. Becker
00:44:17 Rep. French
00:46:08 Rep. Peterson
00:46:43 Rep. Stoker
00:47:14 Rep. Dutton
00:47:43 Rep. McGillvray
00:47:56 Rep. Dutton
00:48:12 Rep. French

00:48:54 **Vote:** Motion on amendment carried 11-3 by voice vote with Reps. Dutton, Becker and McGillvray voting no.

00:49:32 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. McAlpin moved HB 148 **DO PASS AS AMENDED.** Motion carried by roll call vote 12-2 with Rep. Peterson and Rep. Kerns voting no.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 154

00:51:54 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved that HB 154 **DO PASS**.

00:52:21 **Motion:** Rep. Caferro moved HB 154 **BE AMENDED**.
EXHIBIT(huh21a02)

Discussion:

00:53:09 Sue O'Connell, Legislative Fiscal Analyst

00:54:47 Rep. Peterson

00:56:02 Rep. Stoker

00:56:50 Ms. O'Connell

00:56:56 **Vote:** Motion on amendment carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:57:03 **Vote:** Motion HB 154 **DO PASS AS AMENDED** carried unanimously by voice vote.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 157

00:57:23 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved that HB 157 **DO PASS**.

00:58:25 Rep Caferro

00:59:09 **Motion:** Rep. Ingraham moved HB 157 **BE AMENDED**.
EXHIBIT(huh21a03)

Discussion:

01:00:53 Rep. Jones

01:01:20 Rep. Caferro

01:01:59 Ms. O'Connell

01:02:22 Rep. Jones

01:02:51 Rep. McGillvray

01:03:04 Rep. Ingraham

01:03:14 Rep. Stoker

01:03:25 **Substitute Motion:** Rep. Ingraham made substitute motion following the word "pay" on Line 8 and Line 29 insert "health care."

Discussion:

01:03:45 Rep. Stoker

01:04:06 Rep. Jones

01:04:38 Rep. Ingraham

01:05:43 Rep. Stoker

01:05:58 Ms. O'Connell

01:06:21 Mary Dalton, Administrator, Health Care Division,
(DPHHS)

01:06:45 Rep. Stoker

01:07:01 Ms. Dalton

01:07:32 **Vote:** Motion on substitute motion carried with Rep. McAlpin and Rep. Jones voting no.

01:07:53 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved that HB 157 **DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

01:08:23 Rep. McGillvray

01:08:29 Rep. Caferro

01:08:54 Rep. McGillvray

01:09:49 Ms. Dalton

01:10:21 Rep. McGillvray

01:11:00 Ms. Dalton

01:11:59 Rep. McGillvray

01:12:15 Ms. Dalton

01:12:58 Rep. McGillvray

01:13:11 Ms. Dalton

01:13:56 Rep. McGillvray

01:14:28 Rep. Stoker

01:14:52 Ms. Dalton

01:15:08 Rep. Stoker

01:15:41 Ms. Dalton

01:15:50 Rep. Caferro

01:16:00 Rep. Stoker

01:16:02 Rep. Caferro

01:16:23 Rep. Ingraham

01:17:03 Rep. McAlpin

01:17:28 Rep. Peterson

01:17:46 **Substitute Motion:** Rep. Dutton moved to postpone this bill.

Discussion:

01:18:36 Rep. Caferro

01:19:01 Rep. Dutton

01:19:17 Rep. Stoker

01:19:30 Rep. Dutton

01:19:41 Rep. Caferro

01:20:15 **Vote:** Motion to postpone HB 157 carried unanimously.

01:20:31 Rep. Stoker

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 5:00 P.M.

REP. RON STOKER, Chairman

DEBBIE CARLSON, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

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