

MINUTES

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE ON TAXATION

Call to Order: By Chairman Bob Lake, on February 7, 2007 at 8:00 A.M., in Room 152 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Bob Lake, Chairman (R)
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Jon Sonju, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Mark Blasdel (R)
Rep. Ron Erickson (D)
Rep. Wanda Grinde (D)
Rep. Robin Hamilton (D)
Rep. Edward Hilbert (R)
Rep. Mike Jopek (D)
Rep. Carol Lambert (R)
Rep. Gary MacLaren (R)
Rep. Dave McAlpin (D)
Rep. Bill Nooney (R)
Rep. JP Pomnichowski (D)
Rep. John (Jack) W. Ross (R)
Rep. Chas Vincent (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Norma Bixby (D)
Rep. Edward B. Butcher (R)

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Jeff Martin, Legislative Branch
Debra Polhemus, Committee Secretary

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 529, 2/2/2007; HB 545, 2/2/2007
Executive Action: None

HEARING ON HB 529

The Hearing on HB 529 was postponed and will be heard on Friday, February 9, 2007.

HEARING ON HB 545

The Hearing on HB 545 was cancelled due to illness and will be rescheduled for a later date.

00:02:03 Chairman Lake

DISCUSSION ON HB 469

00:02:46 Rep. Cohenour

00:02:52 David Hunter, Deputy Director, Department of Revenue

EXHIBIT (tah27a01)

00:05:01 Rep. Butcher

00:05:27 Rep. McAlpin

00:08:26 Rep. Cohenour

00:09:34 Chairman Lake

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 8:15 A.M.

REP. BOB LAKE, Chairman

DEBRA POLHEMUS, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

EXHIBIT ([tah27aad.pdf](#))