

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Call to Order: By Chairman John Sinrud, on April 23, 2007 at 4:05 P.M., in Room 102 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. John Sinrud, Chairman (R)
Rep. Eve Franklin, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Bill Beck (R)
Rep. Tim Callahan (D)
Rep. Edith Clark (R)
Rep. Ray Hawk (R)
Rep. Cynthia Hiner (D)
Rep. Galen Hollenbaugh (D)
Rep. Joey Jayne (D)
Rep. Dave Kasten (R)
Rep. Bill McChesney (D)
Rep. Penny Morgan (R)
Rep. John L. Musgrove (D)
Rep. Rick Ripley (R)
Rep. Jon C. Sesso (D)
Rep. Craig Witte (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Jack Wells (R)
Rep. Bill E. Glaser (R)

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Linda Keim, Committee Secretary
Jon Moe, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Executive Action: SB 115, SB 205, SB 273, SB 161,
SB 166, SB 22

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 115

00:01:47 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ripley moved **SB 115 BE CONCURRED IN.** Motion carried 18-1 by voice vote, with Rep. Kasten voting no. Rep. Jayne, Rep. Wells, and Rep. Glaser voted by proxy. Rep. Milburn will carry.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 205

00:02:41 **Motion:** Rep. Ripley moved **SB 205 BE CONCURRED IN.**

00:02:56 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ripley moved **TO AMEND.** Motion carried 19-0 by voice vote. Rep. Jayne, Rep. Wells, and Rep. Glaser voted by proxy.

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00:03:55 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ripley moved **SB 205 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.** Motion carried 19-0 by voice vote. Rep. Jayne, Rep. Wells, and Rep. Glaser voted by proxy. Rep. Milburn will carry.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 273

00:04:55 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Beck moved **SB 273 BE CONCURRED IN.** Motion carried 19-0 by voice vote. Rep. Jayne, Rep. Wells, and Rep. Glaser voted by proxy. Rep. Hollenbaugh will carry.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 161

00:06:06 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Taylor moved to **RECONSIDER SB 161.** Motion carried 19-0 by voice vote. Rep. Glaser and Rep. Jayne and voted by proxy.

00:06:54 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Taylor moved **SB 161 BE CONCURRED IN.** Motion carried 19-0 by voice vote. Rep. Jayne and Rep. Glaser voted by proxy. Rep. Cohenour will carry.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 22

00:07:31 **Motion:** Rep. Sesso moved **SB 22 BE CONCURRED IN.**

00:08:07 Rep. Sinrud asked for withdrawal of the motion as negotiations are in process.

00:08:25 Rep. Sesso declined to do so.

00:10:24 Rep. Sinrud chose not to recognize the motion.

00:10:34 Rep. Franklin

00:10:47 Rep. Sesso

00:11:05 Rep. Sinrud

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 166

00:11:16 **Motion:** Rep. Ripley moved **TO RECONSIDER SB 166.**

Discussion on SB 22:

00:11:32 Rep. Franklin

00:11:45 Rep. Sinrud

00:11:50 Rep. Musgrove

00:11:59 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Sinrud moved for vote of those in favor of the ruling by the chair on SB 22. Motion failed 9-10 by roll call vote, with Rep. Glaser, Rep. Wells, Rep. Ripley, Rep. Witte, Rep. Beck, Rep. Taylor, Rep. Hawk, Rep. Kasten, and Rep. Sinrud voting aye.

Discussion on SB 166:

00:13:26 Rep. Franklin

00:13:39 Rep. Sinrud

00:14:06 Rep. Sesso

00:14:21 Rep. Glaser

00:15:59 **Vote:** Motion to reconsider SB 166 carried 15-4 by roll call vote. Rep. Sesso, Rep. Morgan, Rep. Hawk, and Rep. Kasten voted no.

00:16:29 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ripley moved **SB 166 BE CONCURRED IN.** Motion carried 12-7 by roll call vote, with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Sesso, Rep. Morgan, Rep. Taylor, Rep. Hawk, and Rep. Kasten voting no. Rep. Milburn will carry.

00:18:05 Break

00:39:50 Rep. Sinrud

00:40:27 Rep. Franklin

00:40:32 Rep. Sinrud

00:40:37 Rep. Sesso **WITHDREW HIS MOTION on SB 22.**

00:40:55 Recess

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 22

02:14:47 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Morgan moved **SB 22 BE CONCURRED IN.** Motion carried 10-9 by roll call vote, with Rep. Glaser, Rep. Wells, Rep. Ripley, Rep. Witte, Rep. Beck, Rep. Taylor, Rep. Hawk, Rep. Kasten, and Rep. Sinrud voting no. Rep. Ripley, Rep. Beck, and Rep. Musgrove voted by proxy. Rep. Morgan will carry.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 6:23 P.M.

REP. JOHN SINRUD, Chairman

LINDA KEIM, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

EXHIBIT ([aph86aad.pdf](#))