

**SENATE JOURNAL
61ST LEGISLATURE
FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

Helena, Montana
March 14, 2009

Senate Chambers
State Capitol

Senate convened at 8:00 a.m. President Story presiding. Invocation by Pastor Keith Johnson. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present, except Senators Gallus, Squires, and Windy Boy, excused. Quorum present.

Senator Windy Boy present.

BILLS AND JOURNALS:

3/14/2009

Correctly printed: **SB 507, HB 27, HB 285, HJR 29.**

Correctly engrossed: **HB 324, HB 366.**

Signed by the President at 8:10 a.m., March 14, 2009: **SB 5, SB 182, SB 201, SB 262, SB 296, SB 331, SB 390, SJR 8.**

Signed by the Secretary of the Senate at 3:25 p.m., March 13, 2009: **SB 5, SB 182, SB 201, SB 262, SB 296, SB 331, SB 390, SJR 8.**

Signed by the Speaker at 4:00 a.m., March 13, 2009: **SB 155, SB 160, SB 196.**

Delivered to the Governor for approval at 3:45 p.m., March 13, 2009: **SB 256.**

Examined by the sponsor and found to be correct: **SB 5, SB 182, SB 201, SB 262, SB 296, SB 331, SB 390, SJR 8.**

Mr. President: We, your committee on Bills and Journal, having examined the daily journals for the thirty-sixth, thirty-seventh, thirty-eighth, thirty-ninth, fortieth, forty-first, forty-second, forty-third, forty-fourth, and forty-fifth legislative days, find the same to be correct.

Senator Curtiss, Chair

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

EDUCATION AND CULTURAL RESOURCES (Laible, Chairman):

3/13/2009

HB 332, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HB 363, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HB 432, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HJR 27, be concurred in. Report adopted.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (Esp, Chairman):

3/13/2009

HB 67, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HB 129, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HB 270, be concurred in. Report adopted.

NATURAL RESOURCES (Gebhardt, Chairman):

3/13/2009

HB 78, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HB 402, be concurred in. Report adopted.

PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND SAFETY (Brown, Chairman):

3/13/2009

HB 93, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HB 367, be concurred in. Report adopted.

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HJR 25, be concurred in. Report adopted.

STATE ADMINISTRATION (Shockley, Chairman):
SR 8, be adopted. Report adopted.

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MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

March 13, 2009

The Honorable Robert Story
President of the Senate
State Capitol
Helena, Montana 59620

Dear Senator Story:

Please be informed that I have signed **Senate Bill 2** sponsored by Senator Cooney, **Senate Bill 24** sponsored by Senator Williams, **Senate Bill 29** sponsored by Senator Wanzenried, and **Senate Bill 43** sponsored by Senator Kaufmann on March 13, 2009.

Sincerely,

BRIAN SCHWEITZER
Governor

MESSAGES FROM THE OTHER HOUSE

Senate bills concurred in and returned to the Senate:

3/13/2009

SB 25, introduced by Wanzenried
SB 89, introduced by M. Tropila
SB 102, introduced by Brueggeman
SB 120, introduced by Zinke
SB 135, introduced by Larsen
SB 255, introduced by Tutvedt
SB 376, introduced by Black

Senate bill concurred in as amended and returned to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments:

3/13/2009

SB 49, introduced by Wanzenried

House bills passed and transmitted to the Senate for concurrence:

3/13/2009

HB 318, introduced by Kottel
HB 449, introduced by McChesney

Senate amendments to House bill concurred in:

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HB 172, introduced by Arntzen

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FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS

The following House bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

HB 318, introduced by Kottel, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

HB 449, introduced by McChesney, referred to Local Government.

THIRD READING OF BILLS

The following bills having been read three several times, title and history agreed to, were disposed of in the following manner:

HB 27 concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Black, Branae, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, Moss, Murphy, Peterson, Schmidt, Squires, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Mr. President.

Total 36

Nays: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Brenden, Hinkle, Laible, McGee, Perry, Ripley, Shockley, Steinbeisser, Zinke.

Total 13

Paired: Squires, Aye; Barkus, No.

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Gallus.

Total 1

HB 285 concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.

Total 48

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Gallus, Squires.

Total 2

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HJR 29 concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Black, Branae, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Erickson, Essmann, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Mr. President.
Total 32

Nays: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Brenden, R. Brown, Curtiss, Esp, Gebhardt, Hinkle, Jackson, Laible, McGee, Peterson, Ripley, Steinbeisser, Zinke.
Total 17

Paired: Squires, Aye; Barkus, No.

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

Excused: Gallus.
Total 1

Senator Squires present by telephone.

**SECOND READING OF BILLS
(COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)**

Senator Peterson moved the Senate resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of business on second reading. Motion carried. Senator Balyeat in the chair.

Mr. President: We, your Committee of the Whole, having had under consideration business on second reading, recommend as follows:

HB 288 - Senator McGee moved **HB 288** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.
Total 46

Nays: Erickson, Kaufmann, Squires.
Total 3

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

Excused: Gallus.
Total 1

HB 82 - Senator Gebhardt moved **HB 82** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann,

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Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.
Total 49

Nays: None.
Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

Excused: Gallus.
Total 1

HB 118 - Senator Gebhardt moved **HB 118** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.
Total 49

Nays: None.
Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

Excused: Gallus.
Total 1

HB 137 - Senator Shockley moved **HB 137** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.
Total 49

Nays: None.
Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

Excused: Gallus.
Total 1

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HB 179 - Senator Hawks moved **HB 179** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.

Total 49

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Gallus.

Total 1

HB - Senator McGee assumed the chair.

HB 203 - Senator Balyeat moved **HB 203** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.

Total 49

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Gallus.

Total 1

HB - Senator Balyeat re-assumed the chair.

HB 223 - Senator Jent moved **HB 223** be concurred in.

HB 223 - Senator Jent made a **substitute motion** that consideration of **HB 223** be passed for the day. Without objection, so ordered.

HB 294 - Senator Esp moved **HB 294** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Barkus, Barrett, Branae, Brenden, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, Moss, Perry, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke.

Total 35

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Nays: Bales, Balyeat, Black, R. Brown, Curtiss, Hinkle, Jackson, McGee, Murphy, Peterson, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, Tutvedt, Mr. President.

Total 14

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Gallus.

Total 1

Senator Squires excused.

HB 311 - Senator Jackson moved **HB 311** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Squires, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.

Total 49

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Gallus.

Total 1

HB 383 - Senator Brenden moved **HB 383** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss, Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, McGee, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.

Total 48

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Gallus, Squires.

Total 2

Senator Peterson moved the committee rise and report. Motion carried. Committee arose. Senate resumed. President Story in the chair. Chairman Balyeat moved the Committee of the Whole report be adopted. Report adopted unanimously.

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FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS

The following Senate bill was introduced, read first time, and referred to committee:

SB 508, introduced by Brueggeman, Sonju, Sesso, Vance, Laslovich, MacLaren, Hollenbaugh, Barkus, referred to Highways and Transportation.

SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY

SR 2 - Senator Shockley moved that the following nominations transmitted by the Governor be concurred in and confirmed and consented to by the Senate in accordance with Resolution 2, and that they ayes and nays be spread upon the journal:

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL ADVISORY COUNCIL

Don Potts, Missoula
Bovard Tiberi, Bozeman

ALTERNATIVE HEALTH CARE BOARD

Kathleen Stevens, Billings
Nancy Aagenes, Helena
Margaret Beeson, Billings

BOARD OF ARCHITECTS AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

Carl Thuesen, Billings
Shelly Engler, Bozeman
Teresa Wilson, Butte
Bayliss Ward, Bozeman

MONTANA ARTS COUNCIL

Jackie Parsons, Browning
Kathleen Schlepp, Miles City
Arlene Parisot, Helena
Tracy Linder, Molt
Corwin "Corky" Clairmont, Ronan
Jane Deshner, Billings

BOARD OF BANKING

Evelyn Casterlin, Vida
Mark Huber, Helena
Carolyn Colman, Great Falls
John King, Kalispell

BOARD OF BARBERS AND COSMETOLOGISTS

Maggie Burton-Blize, Missoula
Angela Printz, Livingston
Jamie Ausk Crisafulli, Glendive
Wendell Petersen, Missoula
William A. Graves, Great Falls

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Maxine Collins, Helena
Delores Lund, Plentywood

CAPITAL INVESTMENT BOARD

Gary Buchanan, Billings
Robert W. Minto, Missoula
Robert Pancich, Great Falls
Lawrence A. Anderson, Great Falls
Ellen Feaver, Helena

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTORS

Scott Hansing, Helena

CLINICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE PRACTITIONERS

Rosemary Shively, Helena
Charlene Staffanson, Deer Lodge
Barbara Henderson, Miles City

COUNTY PRINTING BOARD

Dan Killoy, Miles City
Calvin J. Oraw, Sidney
Marianne Roose, Eureka
Milton Wester, Laurel

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Aimee R. Ameline, Great Falls

ELECTRICAL BOARD

Marlene Egan, Helena
Jack Fisher, Butte

FACILITY FINANCE AUTHORITY

Matthew B. Thiel, Missoula

BOARD OF FUNERAL SERVICE

Ronald E. Brothers, Hamilton
Bart Thompson, Helena
John Tarr, Helena
William Cronin, Havre

BOARD OF HAIL INSURANCE

Gary Gollehon, Brady

BOARD OF HEARING AID DISPENSERS

Stephen Kramer, Billings
Gene W. Bukowski, Billings

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MONTANA HISTORICAL SOCIETY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Sharon Lincoln, Billings
Janene Caywood, Missoula
Ed Smith, Helena

BOARD OF HORSERACING

Susan Austin, Kalispell
Charles (Al) Carruthers, Butte
John Ostlund, Billings
Ray "Topper" Tracy, Stevensville
Susan Egbert, Helena

BOARD OF LIVESTOCK

Brett DeBruycker, Dutton

LIVESTOCK LOSS REDUCTION AND MITIGATION BOARD

Elaine Allestad, Big Timber
Larry Trexler, Hamilton
Hilliard McDonald, Judith Gap
Janelle Holden, Livingston
Brad Radtke, Drummond
Whitney Wankel, Bozeman
James Cross, Kalispell

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Patrick Boylan, Corvallis
James Upchurch, Hardin
Mary Anne Guggenheim, Helena
Dean Center, Bozeman

BOARD OF NURSING

Sharon Dschaak, Wolf Point
Laura Weiss, Great Falls
Kathy Hayden, Missoula
Heather Onstad, Helena

BOARD OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

Carla Neiman, Plains
Ken Chase, Billings
Joshua Brown, Columbia Falls
Thomas Klotz, Glasgow

BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PRACTICE

Amy J. Gilbertson, Great Falls

BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

Delores Hill, Mosby
Douglas Kimball, Bozeman
Randall Hoch, Lewistown

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BOARD OF PERSONNEL APPEALS

Jack A. Holstrom, Helena
Quinton Nyman, Helena

BOARD OF PHARMACY

Susan Hagan, Glasgow
Frances Carlson, Great Falls
Rebekah Matovich, Billings
Lee Ann Bradley, Missoula

BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS

Robin Peterson Smith, Billings
Ron Peterson, Cascade
Richard Smith, Missoula

BOARD OF PLUMBERS

David Lindeen, Huntley
Debi Friede, Havre
Steve Carey, Frenchtown
Marc Golz, Helena
Scott Lemert, Livingston
Jeffrey Gruizenga, Billings

PRIVATE ALTERNATIVE ADOLESCENT RESIDENTIAL OR OUTDOOR PROGRAMS BOARD

John Santa, Kalispell
Mary Alexine, Eureka
Darcie Kelly, Helena
Penny James, Trout Creek
Tim Callahan, Great Falls

BOARD OF PRIVATE SECURITY

Mark Chaput, Billings
Raymond Murray, Missoula
Holly Dershem-Bruce, Glendive

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

Casey E. Johnston, Butte
Vic Cundy, Bozeman
James Hahn, Billings
Tom Tanner, Arlee

BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

Marla Lemons, Butte
Linda Holden, Valier
Susan Mattocks, Miles City

BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Beatrice Rosenleaf, Anaconda
Jack Meyer, Missoula

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BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

Bernard Olson, Lakeside

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT BOARD

Dianna Porter, Butte
Darcy Halpin, Belgrade
Loren Bough, Big Sky

PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING COUNCIL

Winnie Ore, Helena
Mike Anderson, Havre
Bonnie Wallem, Kalispell
Mike Reddick, Helena
James Marble, Stevensville
Tony Harbaugh, Miles City
Steve Barry, Helena
Levi Talkington, Lewistown
Dennis McCave, Billings
Frances Weeks, Poplar
Robert McCarthy, Butte
Raymond Murray, Missoula
Hannah Tillman, Crow Agency

BOARD OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS

Mike Nielsen, Billings

BOARD OF REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

Dennis Hoeger, Bozeman
Jennifer McGinnis, Polson
Marilyn Rose, Great Falls
Peter Fontana, Great Falls
Kraig P. Kosena, Missoula

BOARD OF REALTY REGULATION

Shirley McDermott, Laurel
C.E. "Abe" Abramson, Missoula
Connie Wardell, Billings
Larry Milless, Corvallis
Pat M. Goodover II, Great Falls

BOARD OF REGENTS

Clayton Christian, Missoula
Mitchell Jessen, Dillon

RESEARCH AND COMMERCIALIZATION TECHNOLOGY BOARD

Jim Davison, Anaconda

BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE PRACTITIONERS

Thomas Fallang, Butte
Carl Hallenborg, Helena

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BOARD OF SANITARIANS

James Zabrocki, Miles City
Kathleen Driscoll, Hamilton
Gene Townsend, Three Forks
Gerald Cormier, Billings

BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK EXAMINERS AND PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

Ann Gilkey, Helena
Linda Crummett, Billings
Treaasa Glinnwater, Ronan
John Lynn, Missoula
Henry Pretty On Top, Lodge Grass

BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS AND AUDIOLOGISTS

Sharon Dinstel, Colstrip
James L. Sias, Ronan
Cheri Fjare, Big Timber
Tina Hoagland, Billings
Lynn Harris, Missoula

STATE COMPENSATION INSURANCE FUND BOARD

Joe Dwyer, Billings
Wallace M. Yovetich, Billings
Boyd Taylor, Butte
Thomas R. Heisler, Great Falls

STATE TAX APPEALS BOARD

Karen E. Powell, Helena

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Barb Skelton, Billings
Rick Griffith, Butte
Diann Seymour-Winterburn, Helena

BOARD OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS

C.E. Crookshanks, Missoula
Lloyd Jackson, Pablo
Bob Pavlovich, Butte
Harvey Rattey, Glendive
James Heffernan, Helena
Donald Kettner, Glendive

BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

Barbara Calm, Kila
Kim K. Baker, Hot Springs
Jean Lindley, Miles City

Motion adopted as follows:

Yeas: Bales, Balyeat, Barkus, Barrett, Black, Branae, Brenden, R. Brown, T. Brown, Brueggeman, Cooney, Curtiss,

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Erickson, Esp, Essmann, Gebhardt, Gillan, Hamlett, Hansen, Hawks, Hinkle, Jackson, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Laible, Larsen, Laslovich, Lewis, Moss, Murphy, Perry, Peterson, Ripley, Schmidt, Shockley, Steinbeisser, Stewart-Peregoy, J. Tropila, M. Tropila, Tutvedt, Wanzenried, Williams, Windy Boy, Zinke, Mr. President.
Total 47

Nays: McGee.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

Excused: Gallus, Squires.
Total 2

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Peterson moved that the Senate adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 16, 2009. Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 9:17 a.m.

MARILYN MILLER
Secretary of the Senate

ROBERT STORY
President of the Senate