

## MINUTES

### MONTANA SENATE 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL 375

**Call to Order:** Chair Rick Ripley, on April 26, 2011 at 11:05 A.M., in Room 335 Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Sen. Rick Ripley, Chair (R)  
Rep. Walter McNutt, Chair (R)  
Sen. Taylor Brown (R)  
Rep. Rob Cook (R)  
Sen. Jim Keane (D)

**Members Excused:**

Rep. Jon C. Sesso (D)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:**

Debra Polhemus, Committee Secretary  
Barbara Smith, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

**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:**

Executive Action: Further Amend HB 375

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 375**

(Rep. Sesson was excused from the meeting)

00:00:45 **Motion:** Rep. Cook moved that **HB 315 BE AMENDED.**  
**EXHIBIT(frs92hb0375a01)**

**Discussion:**

00:00:59 Barb Smith, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

00:01:31 **Vote:** Motion carried 5-0 by voice vote of those present and voting.

**Discussion:**

00:01:51 Chairman Ripley

00:01:53 Barb Smith, LFD

00:02:02 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Cook moved that **HB 315 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED AND THE FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE BE ADOPTED.**  
Motion carried 5-0 by voice vote of those present and voting.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 11:10 A.M.

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Debra Polhemus, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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**EXHIBIT([frs92hb0375aad.pdf](#))**