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MONTANA SENATE 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND CULTURAL RESOURCES

Call to Order: Vice Chair Llew Jones, on February 8, 2013 at 3:00 PM, in Room 303
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Llew Jones, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Elsie Arntzen (R)
Sen. Taylor Brown (R)
Sen. Robyn Driscoll (D)
Sen. Tom Facey (D)
Sen. Dave Lewis (R)
Sen. Frederick (Eric) Moore (R)
Sen. Sharon Stewart-Peregoy (D)
Sen. Jonathan Windy Boy (D)

Members Excused: Sen. Jim Peterson, Chair (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Padraic McCracken, Legislative Branch
Elizabeth Whiting, 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 40, 2/5/2013; HB 52, 2/5/2013
Executive Action: HB 40 - Be Concurred In
HB 52 - Be Concurred In

HEARING ON HB 40

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:33:36 Rep. Kimberly Dudik (D), HD 99, opened the hearing on HB 40, Clarify retention of student records and school district personnel files.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:34:36 Ann Gilkey , Chief Legal Counsel, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)

00:37:26 Bob Vogel, Montana School Boards Association (MTSBA)

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:38:39 Sen. Facey

00:39:15 Ann Gilkey, OPI

00:40:04 Sen. Facey

00:40:20 Ann Gilkey

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Closing by Sponsor:

00:41:07 Rep. Dudik

HEARING ON HB 52

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:41:37 Rep. Ed Lieser (D), HD 4, opened the hearing on HB 52, Rename the agriculture in Montana schools fund.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:44:08 Jacob Cowgill, Montana Farmers Union (MFU)

00:44:37 Lee Boyer, Montana Department of Agriculture, (AGR)

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:45:09 Sen. Brown

00:45:47 Lee Boyer, AGR

Closing by Sponsor:

00:47:15 Rep. Lieser

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 40

00:48:02 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Facey moved that **HB 40 BE CONCURRED IN**. Motion carried 9-0 by voice vote. Sen. Peterson was excused. Sen. Facey will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 52

00:49:09 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. F. Moore moved that **HB 52 BE CONCURRED IN**. Motion carried 9-0 by voice vote. Sen. Peterson was excused. Sen. Brown will carry the bill.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 3:43 p.m.

Elizabeth Whiting, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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