MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE
63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON SENATE BILL 173

Call to Order: SEN. Jon Sonju, on April 23, 2013 at 8:30 A.M., in Room 350 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:
    Sen. Dee Brown, Chair (R)
    Rep. Tom Berry (R)
    Sen. Jim Keane (D)
    Rep. Mike Lang (R)
    Rep. Pat Noonan (D)
    Sen. Jon Sonju (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Pat Murdo, Legislative Branch
                Nadine Spencer, 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:

Executive Action: SB 173 - Recommend that the Free Conference Committee Report be
                Adopted As Amended

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 173

00:08:50   Chairman Sonju

00:09:25   **Motion:** Sen. Keane moved to **AMEND SB 173.**
EXHIBIT(frs86sb0173a01)

Discussion:

00:09:42	Sen. Keane
00:12:18	Pat Murdo, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
00:13:00	Sen. Keane
00:13:27	Rep. Berry
00:14:58	Chairman Sonju
00:15:16	Sen. Keane
00:16:00	Chairman Sonju
00:16:06	Sen. Keane
00:16:33	Rep. Berry
00:17:36	Sen. Brown

00:18:18   **Vote:** Motion carried 5-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Berry voting no.

00:18:42   **Motion:** Sen. Keane moved that **SB 173 DO PASS AS AMENDED**.

Discussion:

00:19:04	Sen. Berry
00:19:42	Sen. Brown
00:19:56	Sen. Keane

00:20:31   **Vote:** Motion carried 5-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Berry voting no.

00:20:49   Chairman Sonju

Note: In lieu of motion, the signed Committee Report indicates that a majority of the committee members, from both the house and the senate recommend that **THE FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED.**

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 8:45 A.M.

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Nadine Spencer, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT(frs86sb0173aad.pdf)