

## MINUTES

### MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

**Call to Order:** Chair Sarah Laszloffy, on January 28, 2015 at 3:00 PM, in Room 137  
Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Rep. Sarah Laszloffy, Chair (R)  
Rep. Debra Lamm, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. Edith (Edie) McClafferty, Vice Chair (D)  
Rep. Bryce Bennett (D)  
Rep. Edward Greef (R)  
Rep. Greg Hertz (R)  
Rep. Kathy Kelker (D)  
Rep. G. Bruce Meyers (R)  
Rep. Matthew Monforton (R)  
Rep. Jean Price (D)  
Rep. Daniel R. Salomon (R)  
Rep. Nicholas Schwaderer (R)

**Members Excused:** Rep. Jeff Essmann (R)  
Rep. Moffie Funk (D)  
Rep. Susan Webber (D)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Laura Sankey, Legislative Branch  
Nadia Zylawy, 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 on: HB 162; HB 158; HB 248; HB 303

00:00:02 Chair laszloffy

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 162**

00:00:07 **Motion:** Rep. Lamm moved that **HB 162 DO PASS.**

00:00:15 Rep. Greef exited

**Discussion:**

00:00:48 Laura Sankey, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

00:01:30 **Motion:** Rep. Schwaderer moved that **HB 162 BE AMENDED.**  
**EXHIBIT(edh19a01)**

**Discussion:**

00:02:10 Chair Laszloffy

00:02:17 Rep. Schwaderer

00:04:21 Rep. Kelker

00:05:06 Rep. Schwaderer

00:05:24 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Essmann, Rep. Funk, Rep. Greef and Rep. Webber voted by proxy.

00:05:44 **Motion:** Rep. Lamm moved that **HB 162 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

**Discussion:**

00:05:50 Rep. Kelker exited

00:05:55 Rep. Funk entered

00:05:57 Rep. McClafferty

00:06:21 Rep. Salomon

00:07:16 Rep. Funk

00:08:17 Rep. Schwaderer

00:09:33 Rep. Greef returned to meeting

00:10:02 Rep. Webber returned to meeting

00:10:34 Chair Laszloffy

00:10:43 **Vote:** Motion carried 8-7 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Funk, Rep. Kelker, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. Price, Rep. Salomon and Rep. Webber voting no. Rep. Essmann and Rep. Kelker voted by proxy.

00:11:55 Rep. Schwaderer exit

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 158**

00:12:02 **Motion:** Rep. Lamm moved that **HB 158 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:12:59 **Motion:** Rep. Hertz moved that **HB 158 BE AMENDED.**

[EXHIBIT\(edh19a02\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:15:13 Laura Sankey (LSD)

00:15:30 Rep. McClafferty

00:15:52 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Essmann and Rep. Schwaderer voted by proxy.

00:16:41 **Motion:** Rep. Lamm moved that **HB 158 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

**Discussion:**

00:17:02 Rep B. Bennett

00:17:52 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-3 by roll call vote with Rep. Lamm, Rep. Monforton and Rep. Schwaderer voting no. Rep. Essmann, Rep. Kelker and Rep. Schwaderer voted by proxy.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 248**

00:19:18 **Motion:** Rep. Lamm moved that **HB 248 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:19:42 Laura Sankey

00:19:49 Rep. Hertz

00:20:45 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Essmann, Rep. Kelker and Rep. Schwaderer voted by proxy.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 303**

00:21:19 **Motion:** Rep. Lamm moved that **HB 303 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:21:27 Laura Sankey

00:21:53 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Essmann, Rep. Kelker and Rep. Schwaderer voted by proxy.

00:22:17 Rep. Greef

00:22:59 Rep. Meyers

00:23:21 Rep. Monforton

00:24:45 Chair Laszloffy

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 00:24:45

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Nadia Zylawy, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT([edh19aad.pdf](#))**