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MONTANA SENATE 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON FISH AND GAME

Call to Order: Chair John Brenden, on January 13, 2015 at 3:00 PM, in Room 422
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. John Brenden, Chair (R)
Sen. Rick Ripley, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Tom Facey (D)
Sen. Jennifer Fielder (R)
Sen. Bradley Hamlett (D)
Sen. Jedediah Hinkle (R)
Sen. Mike Phillips (D)
Sen. Cary Smith (R)
Sen. Chas Vincent (R)
Sen. Gene Vuckovich (D)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Julie Emge, Committee Secretary
Hope Stockwell, Legislative Branch

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: SB 21, 1/8/2015

HEARING ON SB 21**Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

00:01:17 Sen. Jill Cohenour (D), SD 42, opened the hearing on SB 21, Provide for mandatory penalty for misuse of replacement fish and game license.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:02:51 Jim Kropp, law enforcement chief, Department of Fish Wildlife and Parks (FWP)
[EXHIBIT\(fis07a01\)](#)

00:09:09 Nick Gevock, Montana Wildlife Federation (MWF)

00:10:21 Jake Troyer, Montana Audubon (MA)

00:11:23 Brian Ohs, Montana Trout Unlimited (MTU)

00:11:57 Jean Johnson, Montana Outfitters and Guides Association (MOGA)

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:13:13 Sen. Phillips

00:14:10 Mr. Kropp, FWP

00:14:16 Sen. Hinkle

00:14:52 Mr. Kropp

00:15:49 Sen. Facey

00:16:09 Mr. Kropp

00:16:55 Sen. Facey

00:17:06 Sen. Vincent

00:19:07 Mr. Kropp

00:20:33 Sen. Hamlett

00:21:22 Mr. Kropp

00:22:09 Sen. Hamlett

00:22:24 Chair Brenden

00:22:31 Sen. Hamlett

00:22:42 Sen. Hinkle

00:23:00 Mr. Kropp

00:23:18 Sen. Fielder

00:23:38 Mr. Kropp

00:24:05 Chair Brenden

00:24:51 Mr. Kropp

00:25:03 Chair Brenden

00:25:32 Sen. Vincent

00:25:55 Sen. Cohenour

00:27:25 Sen. Phillips

00:28:21 Mr. Kropp

00:28:28 Hope Stockwell, legislative analyst, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

00:29:07 Chair Brenden
00:29:28 Mr. Kropp

Closing by Sponsor:

00:29:49 Sen. Cohenour

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 3:30 pm

Julie Emge, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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