

## MINUTES

### MONTANA SENATE 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND SAFETY

**Call to Order:** Chair Fred Thomas, on January 26, 2015 at 3:00 PM, in Room 317  
Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Sen. Fred Thomas, Chair (R)  
Sen. David Howard, Vice Chair (R)  
Sen. Diane Sands (D)  
Sen. Cary Smith (R)  
Sen. Nels Swandal (R)  
Sen. Jonathan Windy Boy (D)

**Members Excused:** Sen. Mary Caferro (D)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Barbara Pietuch, Committee Secretary  
Alexis Sandru, 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:**

Informational Meeting: Marcie Bough - Board of Pharmacy

Executive Action: SB 125 - DO PASS AS AMENDED, SB 133 - DO PASS,  
SB 142 - DO PASS AS AMENDED

00:00:45 Chairman Thomas

**Montana Board of Pharmacy - Presentation**

00:01:35 Marcie Bough, executive director, Montana Board of Pharmacy (MBP)  
**EXHIBIT(phs17a01)**

**Questions from Committee Members and Responses:**

00:20:42 Sen. Sands  
00:21:12 Ms. Bough, MBP  
00:23:58 Sen. Sands  
00:24:39 Ms. Bough  
00:25:12 Sen. Sands  
00:25:38 Ms. Bough  
00:26:14 Sen. Sands  
00:26:18 Sen. Howard  
00:27:18 Ms. Bough  
00:29:19 Sen. Howard  
00:30:03 Sen. Sands  
00:31:11 Chairman Thomas  
00:31:33 Ms. Bough  
00:36:08 Chairman Thomas  
00:36:23 Ms. Bough  
00:38:01 Chairman Thomas  
00:38:33 Ms. Bough  
00:39:18 Chairman Thomas  
00:39:22 Ms. Bough  
00:39:27 Chairman Thomas  
00:39:30 Ms. Bough  
00:40:55 Chairman Thomas  
00:41:05 Ms. Bough  
00:42:03 Chairman Thomas  
00:42:11 Ms. Bough  
00:42:24 Chairman Thomas  
00:43:26 Ms. Bough  
00:44:50 Chairman Thomas  
00:44:56 Sen. Sands  
00:45:09 Ms. Bough  
00:46:50 Chairman Thomas  
00:46:59 Ms. Bough  
00:48:06 Chairman Thomas  
00:48:09 Sen. Windy Boy  
00:48:49 Ms. Bough  
00:49:37 Sen. Windy Boy  
00:50:04 Ms. Bough  
00:50:10 Chairman Thomas  
00:50:19 Ms. Bough  
00:51:12 Chairman Thomas

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 125**

00:51:59 **Motion:** Sen. Sands moved that **SB 125 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:52:19 Chairman Thomas

00:53:07 Alexis Sandru, staff attorney, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

[EXHIBIT\(phs17a02\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(phs17a03\)](#)

00:53:23 Chairman Thomas

00:53:36 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Swandal moved that **SB 125 BE AMENDED.** Motion carried 7-0 by voice vote. Sen. Caferro voted by proxy. (see Exhibit 2)

**Discussion:**

00:54:27 Sen. Swandal

00:55:39 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Sands moved that **SB 125 DO PASS AS AMENDED.** Motion carried 4-3 by roll call vote with Sen. Howard, Sen. Smith and Sen. Swandal voting no. Sen. Caferro voted by proxy.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 133**

**Discussion:**

00:56:47 Sen. Sands

00:57:01 Chairman Thomas

00:57:07 **Motion:** Sen. Sands moved that **SB 133 DO NOT PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:57:30 Sen. Smith

00:59:40 Sen. Howard

01:00:22 Sen. Windy Boy

01:01:20 Sen. Swandal

01:01:44 Sen. Sands

01:03:47 Chairman Thomas

01:04:15 Sen. Windy boy

01:04:33 Without objection Sen. Sands withdrew the **DO NOT PASS** motion.

01:05:03 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Sands moved that **SB 133 DO PASS.** Motion carried 4-3 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Sands and Sen. Swandal voting no. Sen. Caferro voted by proxy.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 142**

01:06:00 **Motion:** Sen. C. Smith moved that **SB 142 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

01:06:38 Alexis Sandru, staff attorney, Legislative Services Division (LSD)  
**EXHIBIT**([phs17a04](#))

01:07:57 Sen. Smith

01:08:00 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. C. Smith moved that **SB 142 BE AMENDED.** Motion carried 7-0 by voice vote. Sen. Caferro voted by proxy.

01:10:19 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. C. Smith moved that **SB 142 DO PASS AS AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Sen. Caferro voted by proxy.

**Committee Business:**

01:11:04 Chairman Thomas

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 4:13 PM

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Barbara Pietuch, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT([phs17aad.pdf](#))**