

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 66th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

Call to Order: Chair Mark Noland, on April 3, 2019 at 8:30 AM, in Room 172 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Mark Noland, Chair (R)
Rep. Vince Ricci, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Sharon Stewart Peregoy, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Edward Buttrey (R)
Rep. Willis Curdy (D)
Rep. Neil Duram (R)
Rep. Ross H. Fitzgerald (R)
Rep. Moffie Funk (D)
Rep. Bruce Grubbs (R)
Rep. Steve Gunderson (R)
Rep. Derek J. Harvey (D)
Rep. Joel G. Krautter (R)
Rep. Denley M. Loge (R)
Rep. Gordon Pierson Jr (D)
Rep. Christopher Pope (D)
Rep. Katie Sullivan (D)
Rep. Sue Vinton (R)

Members Excused:

Rep. Fred Anderson (R)
Rep. Andrea Olsen (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Joanne Kauzlarich, Committee Secretary
Pat Murdo, 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:

Executive Action: SB 160, SB 171, SB 183, SB 267, SB 269, SB 271, SB 307, SB 311, SB 240

08:34:47 Chair Noland

08:36:44 Recessed

10:19:40 Reconvened

10:19:44 Pat Murdo, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

[EXHIBIT\(buh69a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(buh69a02\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(buh69a03\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(buh69a04\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(buh69a05\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(buh69a06\)](#)

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 160

10:34:19 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 160 BE CONCURRED IN.**

10:34:38 **Motion:** Rep. Vinton moved that **SB 160 BE AMENDED.**
(See Exhibit 2)

Discussion:

10:35:00 Rep. Buttrey

10:35:18 Without objection, Rep. Vinton withdrew the BE AMENDED motion.

10:35:31 **Substitute Motion:** Rep. Buttrey moved that **HB016004.APM BE SEGREGATED AND CONCEPTUALLY AMENDED BY REMOVING ITEMS 1, 2, AND 14 AND CHANGING ITEM 9 FROM 1 MILLION TO 5 MILLION.**

Discussion:

10:35:58 Rep. Buttrey

10:36:41 Chair Noland

10:37:26 Rep. Harvey

10:37:58 Rep. Sullivan

10:38:35 Rep. Vinton

10:39:31 **Vote:** Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Curdy, Rep. Funk, Rep. Harvey, Rep. Olsen, Rep. Pierson, Rep. Pope, Rep. Stewart Peregoy and Rep. Sullivan voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

10:40:50 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 160 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

10:41:04 Rep. Vinton

10:41:34 Rep. Grubbs

10:42:21 Rep. Harvey

10:43:03 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Vinton will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 171

10:43:40 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 171 BE CONCURRED IN.**

10:43:51 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Gunderson moved that **SB 171 BE AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

(See Exhibit 3)

10:44:39 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 171 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Anderson will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 183

10:45:44 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 183 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

10:46:10 Rep. Funk
10:46:20 Chair Noland
10:46:50 Rep. Grubbs
10:47:19 Rep. Curdy

10:47:35 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Harvey will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 267

10:47:58 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 267 BE CONCURRED IN.**

10:48:15 **Motion:** Rep. Buttrey moved that **SB 267 BE CONCEPTUALLY AMENDED BY STRIKING SUBSECTION 2A AND 2H ON PAGE 3.**

[EXHIBIT\(buh69a07\)](#)

Discussion:

10:49:55 Rep. Olsen
10:50:22 Rep. Buttrey
10:51:09 Rep. Pope
10:51:27 Rep. Buttrey
10:52:03 Rep. Pope
10:52:24 Rep. Funk
10:52:47 Rep. Buttrey
10:53:00 Rep. Gunderson
10:53:31 Rep. Duram

10:55:01 **Vote:** Motion carried 17-2 by roll call vote with Rep. Olsen and Rep. Stewart Peregoy voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

10:56:19 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 267 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED**. Motion carried 18-1 by voice vote with Rep. Noland voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Loge will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 269

10:57:15 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 269 BE CONCURRED IN**.

10:57:31 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 269 BE AMENDED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

(See Exhibit 4)

10:58:10 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 269 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Ricci will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 271

10:58:49 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 271 BE CONCURRED IN**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Gunderson will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 307

10:59:47 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 307 BE CONCURRED IN**.

11:00:06 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 307 BE AMENDED**. Motion failed 8-11 by roll call vote with Rep. Curdy, Rep. Funk, Rep. Harvey, Rep. Olsen, Rep. Pierson, Rep. Pope, Rep. Stewart Perego and Rep. Sullivan voting aye. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

(See Exhibit 5)

11:01:46 **Vote:** Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Curdy, Rep. Funk, Rep. Harvey, Rep. Olsen, Rep. Pierson, Rep. Pope, Rep. Stewart Perego and Rep. Sullivan voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Grubbs will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 311

11:03:18 **Motion:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 311 BE CONCURRED IN**.

11:03:39 **Motion:** Rep. Olsen moved that **SB 311 BE AMENDED**.

(See Exhibit 6)

Discussion:

11:05:22 Rep. Krautter
11:06:39 Rep. Funk
11:07:03 Rep. Olsen
11:07:22 Rep. Buttrey
11:07:30 Rep. Olsen

11:09:36 **Vote:** Motion failed 6-13 by roll call vote with Rep. Curdy, Rep. Olsen, Rep. Pierson, Rep. Pope, Rep. Stewart Peregoy and Rep. Sullivan voting aye. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

Discussion:

11:10:45 Rep. Grubbs

11:11:11 **Vote:** Motion carried 17-2 by roll call vote with Rep. Olsen and Rep. Stewart Peregoy voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Welch will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 240

11:12:58 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Krautter moved that **SB 240 BE REMOVED FROM TABLE.** Motion carried 17-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Stewart Peregoy voting no. Rep. Anderson was excused.

11:14:59 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Krautter moved to **REMOVE AMENDMENT SB024001.APM FROM SB 240.** Motion carried 18-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Olsen voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

11:16:46 **Motion:** Rep. Krautter moved that **SB 240 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(buh69a08)

Discussion:

11:17:15 Rep. Krautter

11:18:14 Vice Chair Stewart Peregoy

11:18:45 Rep. Krautter

11:19:27 **Vote:** Motion carried 18-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Stewart Peregoy voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy.

11:20:34 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Ricci moved that **SB 240 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.** Motion carried 16-3 by voice vote with Rep. Duram, Rep. Gunderson and Rep. Stewart Peregoy voting no. Rep. Anderson voted by proxy. Rep. Krautter will carry the bill.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment:
11:22:05

Joanne Kauzlarich, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([buh69aad.pdf](#))