

MINUTES
MONTANA SENATE
68th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION
COMMITTEE ON (S) LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: Chair Sen. Mike Lang-R, on February 01, 2023 at 10:00 AM, in 335

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Sen. Mike Lang, Chair (R)
Sen. John Esp, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick (R)
Sen. Jen Gross (D)

Members Excused: Sen. Shannon O'Brien (D)
Sen. Daniel Zolnikov (R)

Staff Present: Joe Kolman, Research Analyst
Jacelyn Sterling, 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:

Hearing & Date Posted:

Executive Action:

HB 260
HB 28

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 260 - Revise laws regarding legislative special counsel

10:00:32 **Motion:** Sen. John Esp moved that **HB 260 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

10:00:31 Sen. Shannon O'Brien joined the meeting.

10:00:32 **Vote:** Motion failed unanimously by voice vote.

10:00:38 **Motion:** Sen. John Esp moved that **HB 260 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

10:02:28 Sen. Jen Gross

10:02:43 Joe Kolman

10:02:53 Sen. Shannon O'Brien joined the meeting.

10:00:38 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

10:03:34 **Motion:** Sen. John Esp moved that **HB 260 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.**

10:03:34 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

10:03:34 **Carrier Assigned:** Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 28 - Increase legislator per diem reimbursements for lodging and meals

10:03:56 **Motion:** Sen. John Esp moved that **HB 28 BE CONCURRED IN.**

10:03:56 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

10:03:56 **Carrier Assigned:** Sen. Mike Lang

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:05:02

Jacelyn Sterling, Secretary

Additional Documents: [EXHIBIT\(230201LESaad\)EXHIBIT\(230201LESaad\)](#)