

**MINUTES**

**MONTANA SENATE  
59th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

**COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND IRRIGATION**

**Call to Order:** By **CHAIRMAN KEN (KIM) HANSEN**, on January 12, 2005  
at 3:00 P.M., in Room 422 Capitol.

**ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:**

Sen. Ken (Kim) Hansen, Chairman (D)  
Sen. Keith Bales (R)  
Sen. John Brueggeman (R)  
Sen. Lane L. Larson (D)  
Sen. Gerald Pease (D)  
Sen. Frank Smith (D)  
Sen. Corey Stapleton (R)  
Sen. Donald J. Steinbeisser (R)  
Sen. Jon Tester (D)

**Members Excused:** None.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Staff Present:** Doug Sternberg, Legislative Branch  
Annie Glover, 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:**

Hearing & Date Posted:  
Executive Action: SB 22

00:00:02

**Clarifications by Sponsor on SB 22**  
**SEN. RICK LAIBLE (R), SD 44, VICTOR**

00:02:07

**Clarifications by Opposition on SB 22**  
**Mr. Stuart Doggett, Montana Veterinarians Association**  
[EXHIBIT](#)(ags08a01)  
[EXHIBIT](#)(ags08a02)

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 22**

00:06:54

**Motion:** SEN. STAPLETON moved that SB 22 DO PASS.

**Discussion:**

00:14:18

**Motion/Vote:** SEN. STAPLETON moved that SB 22 BE AMENDED. Motion carried 8-1 by roll call vote with HANSEN voting no.  
[EXHIBIT](#)(ags08a03)

00:18:21

**Motion/Vote:** SEN. STAPLETON moved that SB 22 DO PASS AS AMENDED. Motion carried 6-3 by roll call vote with HANSEN, LARSON, and STEINBEISSER voting no.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 3:25 P.M.

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SEN. KEN (KIM) HANSEN, Chairman

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ANNIE GLOVER, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

**EXHIBIT ([ags08aad0.PDF](#))**