

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Call to Order: By Chairman John Sinrud, on February 13, 2007 at 3:30 P.M., in Room 102 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. John Sinrud, Chairman (R)
Rep. Eve Franklin, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Bill Beck (R)
Rep. Tim Callahan (D)
Rep. Edith Clark (R)
Rep. Bill E. Glaser (R)
Rep. Ray Hawk (R)
Rep. Cynthia Hiner (D)
Rep. Galen Hollenbaugh (D)
Rep. Joey Jayne (D)
Rep. Dave Kasten (R)
Rep. Bill McChesney (D)
Rep. Penny Morgan (R)
Rep. John L. Musgrove (D)
Rep. Rick Ripley (R)
Rep. Jon C. Sesso (D)
Rep. Jack Wells (R)
Rep. Craig Witte (R)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Linda Keim, Committee Secretary
Jon Moe, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: No bills heard
Executive Action: HB 35, HB 37, HB 183, HB 198, HB
204, HB 214, HB 350, HB 387, HB
446, HB 522, HB 523

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 35

00:07:08 **Motion:** Rep. Sesso moved **HB 35 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:08:06 Mr. Moe
00:08:28 Rep. Sinrud
00:08:59 Rep. Sesso
00:09:01 Mr. Moe
00:10:13 Rep. Sesso
00:10:19 Mr. Moe

00:10:43 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Sesso restated the motion to move HB 35 DO PASS as written. Motion carried 18-1 by roll call vote. Rep. Jayne voted no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 37

00:13:20 **Motion:** Rep. Franklin moved **HB 37 DO PASS**

00:13:37 **Vote:** Motion carried 15-4 by roll call vote with Rep. Ripley, Rep. Witte, Rep. Hawk, and Rep. Kasten voting no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 183

00:15:26 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Wells moved to **TABLE HB 183.** Motion carried 10-9 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hiner, Rep. McChesney, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, Rep. Clark, and Rep. Musgrove voting no. Rep. Ripley and Rep. McChesney voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 198

00:18:11 **Motion:** Rep. Franklin moved **HB 198 DO PASS.**

00:20:15 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Morgan moved to **AMEND HB 198.**
Motion carried unanimously, 19-0, by roll call vote.

EXHIBIT (aph32b01)

00:23:21 Rep Franklin moved **HB 198 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

00:23:38 Rep. Sinrud

00:23:44 Rep. Morgan

00:24:57 Rep. Sinrud

00:26:08 **Vote:** Motion carried 10-9 by roll call vote with Rep. Glaser, Rep. Wells, Rep. Ripley, Rep. Witte, Rep. Beck, Rep. Taylor, Rep. Hawk, Rep. Kasten, and Rep. Sinrud voting no. Rep. Ripley and Rep. McChesney voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 204

00:28:04 **Motion:** Rep. Kasten moved **HB 204 DO PASS.**

00:29:14 **Motion:** Rep. Kasten moved to **AMEND HB 204.**
EXHIBIT (aph32b02)

Discussion:

00:29:34 Rep. Kasten

00:31:33 **Vote:** Motion carried 18-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Callahan voting no. Rep. Ripley and Rep. McChesney voted by proxy.

00:31:40 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Kasten moved **HB 204 AS AMENDED.** Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hiner, Rep. McChesney, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, and Rep. Musgrove noting no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 214

00:33:38 **Motion:** Rep. Morgan moved **HB 214 DO PASS.**

00:34:38 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Morgan moved to **AMEND HB 214.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote of those present.

EXHIBIT (aph32b03)

00:35:45 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Morgan moved to **FURTHER AMEND HB 214.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote of those present.

EXHIBIT (aph32b04)

00:36:25 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Morgan moved **HB 214 DO PASS AS AMENDED**. Motion carried by roll call vote 19-0. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 350 AS AMENDED

00:38:01 **Motion:** Rep. Sinrud moved **HB 350 AS PREVIOUSLY AMENDED** (1/31/07).

EXHIBIT (aph32b05)

00:38:25 **Motion:** Rep. Sinrud moved **CONCEPTUAL AMENDMENT** to Page 2, Line 15, to reverse a previous amendment and change to read "on the next business day."

Discussion:

00:39:23 Rep. Sesso

00:42:02 **Vote:** Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hiner, Rep. McChesney, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, and Rep. Musgrove voting no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

00:42:11 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Sinrud moved **HB 350 AS AMENDED**. Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hiner, Rep. McChesney, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, and Rep. Musgrove voting no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 387

00:43:43 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Wells moved to **TABLE HB 387**. Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hiner, Rep. McChesney, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, and Rep. Musgrove voting no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 446

00:45:16 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Wells moved to **TABLE HB 446**. Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hiner, Rep. McChesney, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, and Rep. Musgrove voting no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 522

00:47:27 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Wells moved **HB 522 DO PASS.** Motion carried 14-5 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, and Rep. Musgrove voting no. Rep. Ripley voted by proxy.

00:49:00 Rep. Ripley arrived

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 523

00:49:02 **Motion:** Rep. Taylor moved **HB 523 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:49:32 Rep. Morgan

00:50:28 Rep. Sinrud

00:53:25 Rep. Franklin

00:54:00 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-7 by roll call vote with Rep. Franklin, Rep. Jayne, Rep. Callahan, Rep. Hiner, Rep. Hollenbaugh, Rep. Sesso, and Rep. Musgrove voting no.

00:55:18 Rep. Sinrud

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 4:35 P.M.

REP. JOHN SINRUD, Chairman

LINDA KEIM, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

EXHIBIT ([aph32bad.pdf](#))