

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL BRANCH, LAW ENFORCEMENT, AND JUSTICE

Call to Order: Chair Steve Gibson, on January 25, 2011 at 8:00 AM, in Room 317A
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Steve Gibson, Chair (R)
Sen. Ryan Zinke, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Randy Brodehl (R)
Sen. Steven Gallus (D)
Rep. Cynthia Hiner (D)
Sen. Edward Walker (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Stephanie Fletcher, Committee Secretary
Pat Gervais, Legislative Branch
Brent Doig, OBPP

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:

Department of Justice: Overview, Legal Services Division, Office of Consumer Protection,
Agency Legal Services

00:02:36 Chairman Gibson
00:03:40 Pat Gervais, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
[EXHIBIT\(jch19a01\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jch19a02\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jch19a03\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jch19a04\)](#)
00:12:13 Sen. Gallus left the room.
00:12:39 Chairman Gibson

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

00:12:46 Steve Bullock, Attorney General
[EXHIBIT\(jch19a05\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jch19a06\)](#)
00:27:20 Sen. Gallus returned.
00:35:17 Chairman Gibson

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:35:41 Sen. Zinke
00:36:37 Steve Bullock
00:38:30 Sen. Zinke
00:40:55 Steve Bullock
00:43:48 Sen. Zinke
00:43:52 Chairman Gibson
00:44:12 Steve Bullock
00:45:37 Chairman Gibson
00:46:24 Steve Bullock
00:47:18 Chairman Gibson
00:47:47 Steve Bullock
00:47:31 Sen. Walker
00:48:21 Steve Bullock
00:49:26 Chairman Gibson
00:49:29 Rep. Brodehl
00:49:43 Steve Bullock
00:49:57 Rep. Brodehl
00:50:04 Steve Bullock
00:50:22 Rep. Brodehl
00:50:29 Steve Bullock
00:50:39 Chairman Gibson
00:50:44 Sen. Gallus
00:51:00 Steve Bullock
00:52:17 Sen. Gallus
00:52:21 Chairman Gibson
00:52:29 Steve Bulluck
00:52:38 Chairman Gibson

LEGAL SERVICES DIVISION, OFFICE OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

00:52:50 Tim Burton, Deputy Director, for the Department of Justice (DOJ)
00:55:27 Sen. Gallus left the room.
00:57:13 Sen. Zinke left the room.
01:01:12 Chairman Gibson

01:01:47 Tim Burton
01:02:03 Chairman Gibson
01:02:12 Sen. Gallus returned.
01:02:20 Tim Burton
01:03:31 Sen. Zinke returned.
01:05:43 Chairman Gibson
01:05:51 Sen. Zinke
01:06:33 Pat Gervais
01:07:07 Sen. Zinke
01:07:17 Tim Burton
01:09:17 Sen. Zinke
01:09:20 Chairman Gibson
01:09:33 Pat Gervais
01:10:01 Chairman Gibson
01:10:29 Tim Burton

[EXHIBIT\(jch19a07\)](#)

ADJOURNMENT

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01:11:12 Chairman Gibson

Stephanie Fletcher, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jch19aad.pdf](#))