

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Call to Order: Chair Kris Hansen, on February 1, 2013 at 3:00 PM, in Room 137 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Kris Hansen, Chair (R)
Rep. Joanne G. Blyton, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Edith (Edie) McClafferty, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Bryce Bennett (D)
Rep. Clarena Brockie (D)
Rep. Douglas Coffin (D)
Rep. Edward Greef (R)
Rep. David Halvorson (R)
Rep. Greg Hertz (R)
Rep. Sarah Laszloffy (R)
Rep. Jonathan McNiven (R)
Rep. Jean Price (D)
Rep. Daniel R. Salomon (R)
Rep. Casey Schreiner (D)
Rep. Nicholas Schwaderer (R)
Rep. Ted Washburn (R)
Rep. Franke Wilmer (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Mark Blasdel (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Laura Sankey, Legislative Branch
Marissa Stockton, Committee Secretary

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Committee Business Summary:

Executive Action: HB 239, HB 228, HB 176, HB 181, HB 177

00:14:56 Chair Hansen

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 176

00:17:06 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 176 DO PASS.**

00:17:14 **Substitute Motion/Vote:** Rep. McClafferty made a substitute motion that **HB 176 BE TABLED.** Substitute Motion failed 7-11 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Coffin, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting aye. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

Discussion:

00:19:04 Rep. McClafferty

00:19:44 Rep. Halvorson

00:23:13 Rep. Salomon

00:23:50 Rep. Halvorson

00:24:00 Rep. Coffin

00:24:43 Rep. Price

00:25:07 Rep. Schreiner

00:26:08 Rep. Brockie

00:26:29 Rep. McClafferty

00:26:47 Rep. Brockie

00:27:05 Rep. McClafferty

00:27:37 Rep. Washburn

00:28:15 **Vote:** Motion carried 10-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Coffin, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. McNiven, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

00:29:21 Chair Hansen

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 177

00:29:25 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 177 DO PASS.**

00:29:31 **Substitute Motion:** Rep. McClafferty made a substitute motion that **HB 177 BE TABLED.**

Discussion:

00:29:53 Rep. Coffin

00:30:00 Chair Hansen

00:30:57 **Vote:** Motion failed 6-12 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Coffin, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting aye. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

00:31:24 Rep. Wilmer

00:32:03 Rep. Salomon

00:32:58 **Vote:** Motion carried 10-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Coffin, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. McNiven, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 228

00:33:07 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 228 DO PASS.**

00:33:22 **Substitute Motion/Vote:** Rep. McClafferty made a substitute motion that **HB 228 BE TABLED.** Substitute Motion failed 4-14 by roll call vote with Rep. McClafferty, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting aye. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

Discussion:

00:34:23 Rep. Blyton
00:34:35 Chair Hansen
00:34:40 Rep. Schreiner
00:35:37 Rep. Bennett
00:36:06 Chair Hansen

00:36:22 **Motion:** Rep. Bennett moved that **HB 228 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(edh22a01\)](#)

Discussion:

00:38:08 Rep. Halvorson
00:39:51 Rep. Coffin
00:40:30 Rep. Schwaderer

00:41:20 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-11 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. McNiven, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting aye. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

00:42:10 Rep. Wilmer

00:43:51 **Vote:** Motion carried 10-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Coffin, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. McNiven, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 181

00:44:02 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 181 DO PASS.**

00:44:22 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 181 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(edh22a02\)](#)

Discussion:

00:47:12 Chair Hansen

00:47:33 **Vote:** Motion carried 15-3 by voice vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

00:47:53 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 181 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

00:48:09 Rep. McClafferty

00:48:59 Rep. Wilmer

00:49:37 Rep. Coffin

00:50:20 Rep. Schreiner

00:50:42 **Vote:** Motion carried 10-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Coffin, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. Price, Rep. Salomon, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 239

00:51:31 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 239 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:51:57 Chair Hansen

00:51:59 Rep. Schreiner

00:52:39 Rep. McClafferty

00:53:43 Rep. Wilmer

00:54:14 Rep. Bennett

00:56:08 Rep. Coffin

00:58:15 Rep. Price

01:00:38 **Vote:** Motion carried 11-7 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Coffin, Rep. McClafferty, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Blasdel voted by proxy.

01:00:45 Chair Hansen

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 01:01:18

Marissa Stockton, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([edh22aad.pdf](#))