

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: Chair Pat Ingraham, on February 7, 2013 at 8:00 AM, in Room 455
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Pat Ingraham, Chair (R)
Rep. Bryce Bennett, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Ted Washburn, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Liz Bangerter (R)
Rep. Joanne G. Blyton (R)
Rep. Clarena Brockie (D)
Rep. Pat Connell (R)
Rep. Bill Harris (R)
Rep. Greg Hertz (R)
Rep. David Howard (R)
Rep. Doug Kary (R)
Rep. Jesse O'Hara (R)
Rep. Jean Price (D)
Rep. Casey Schreiner (D)
Rep. Ray L. Shaw (R)
Rep. Kathy Swanson (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Forrestina (Frosty) Calf Boss Ribs (D)
Rep. Gordon Vance (R)
Rep. Franke Wilmer (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Patty Hartman, Committee Secretary
Sheri Scurr, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Executive Action: HB 105; HB 158; HB 159; HB 222; HB 277; HB 325; HB 327; HB 329;
HB 351

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 105

00:16:53 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. B. Bennett moved that **HB 105 DO PASS**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 151

00:17:40 **Motion:** Rep. Connell moved that **HB 151 BE INDEFINITELY POSTPONED**. Without objection.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 222

00:18:42 **Motion:** Rep. Connell moved that **HB 222 DO PASS**.

Discussion:

00:18:54 Sheri Scurr, LSD

00:23:01 **Motion:** Rep. O'Hara moved that **HB 222 BE AMENDED**.
[EXHIBIT\(sth27a01\)](#)

Discussion:

00:23:22 Rep. Kary

00:23:42 Sheri Scurr, LSD

00:24:30 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

00:24:56 **Motion:** Rep. O'Hara moved that **HB 222 DO PASS AS AMENDED**.

Discussion:

00:25:12 Rep. Blyton

00:25:35 Rep. Ingraham

00:25:50 Sheri Scurr, LSD

00:26:08 Rep. Price

00:26:21 Sheri Scurr, LSD

00:28:01 Rep. B. Bennett

00:29:03 Rep. Hertz

00:29:53 Rep. Schreiner

00:30:55 Rep. Hertz

00:31:18 Rep. Howard

00:31:47 Rep. Connell

00:33:24 Rep. Bangerter

00:33:55 Rep. Harris

00:34:38 Rep. O'Hara

00:35:08 Rep. Howard

00:35:24 Rep. B. Bennett

00:36:22 Rep. O'Hara

00:37:15 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. O'Hara moved that **HB 222 BE AMENDED**. Motion carried 17-2 by voice vote with Rep. Harris and Rep. Howard voting no. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

EXHIBIT(sth27a02)

00:41:06 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. O'Hara moved that **HB 222 DO PASS AS AMENDED**. Motion carried unanimously by roll call vote. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 255

00:43:34 **Motion:** Rep. B. Bennett moved that **HB 255 DO PASS**.

Discussion:

00:43:44 Sheri Scurr, LSD

EXHIBIT(sth27a03)

00:46:12 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Howard moved that **HB 255 BE TABLED**. Motion failed 8-10 by roll call vote with Rep. Blyton, Rep. Harris, Rep. Hertz, Rep. Howard, Rep. Ingraham, Rep. Kary, Rep. Shaw and Rep. Washburn voting aye. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs and Rep. Wilmer voted no by proxy. Rep. Vance did not vote.

00:47:27 Rep. O'Hara requested to delay action.

00:47:51 Rep. B. Bennett **WITHDREW MOTION HB 255 DO PASS**.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 277

00:48:44 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Harris moved that **HB 277 BE TABLED**. Motion failed 4-14 by roll call vote with Rep. Harris, Rep. Hertz, Rep. Howard and Rep. Kary voting aye. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs and Rep. Wilmer voted no by proxy. Rep. Vance did not vote.

00:49:54 **Motion:** Rep. Bangerter moved that **HB 277 DO PASS**.

Discussion:

00:50:02 Rep. Bangerter

00:50:39 Rep. Harris

00:51:24 Rep. O'Hara

00:52:37 Rep. Connell

00:55:03 **Vote:** Motion carried 15-4 by roll call vote with Rep. Harris, Rep. Hertz, Rep. Howard and Rep. Kary voting no. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 325

00:56:51 **Motion:** Rep. Bangerter moved that **HB 325 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:56:57 Rep. Bangerter

00:57:38 Rep. Ingraham

00:58:57 Rep. Swanson

00:59:15 Rep. Connell

00:59:36 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 327

01:00:42 **Motion:** Rep. B. Bennett moved that **HB 327 DO PASS.**

01:00:49 **Substitute Motion/Vote:** Rep. Blyton made a substitute motion that **HB 327 BE TABLED.** Substitute Motion carried 12-7 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner, Rep. Swanson and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Vance voted aye by proxy. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs and Rep. Wilmer voted no by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 329

01:02:52 **Motion:** Rep. Blyton moved that **HB 329 DO PASS.**

01:03:01 **Substitute Motion/Vote:** Rep. O'Hara made a substitute motion that **HB 329 BE TABLED.** Substitute Motion carried 16-3 by roll call vote with Rep. Harris, Rep. Hertz and Rep. Howard voting no. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 351

01:04:45 **Motion:** Rep. B. Bennett moved that **HB 351 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

01:05:48 Rep. B. Bennett

01:06:30 Rep. Connell

01:07:06 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 158

01:08:16 **Motion:** Rep. O'Hara moved that **HB 158 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

01:08:31 Rep. Swanson
01:08:42 Sheri Scurr, LSD
01:09:32 Rep. Kary
01:10:10 Rep. O'Hara
01:10:35 Rep. Harris
01:11:42 Rep. B. Bennett
01:13:20 Rep. Howard
01:14:55 Rep. Kary
01:15:29 Rep. Schreiner
01:16:45 Rep. Hertz
01:17:00 Sheri Scurr, LSD
01:17:25 Rep. Hertz
01:17:57 Rep. Connell
01:20:49 Rep. Bangerter
01:21:59 Sheri Scurr, LSD
01:24:40 Rep. Wilmer entered the room.
01:25:52 Rep. Bangerter
01:27:33 Rep. O'Hara
01:29:25 Rep. Price
01:30:11 Rep. Ingraham

01:30:47 **Vote:** Motion carried 11-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Bennett, Rep. Brockie, Rep. Calf Boss Ribs, Rep. O'Hara, Rep. Price, Rep. Schreiner, Rep. Swanson and Rep. Wilmer voting no. Rep. Vance voted aye by proxy. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs voted no by proxy.

01:32:03 Recessed
01:44:26 Reconvened

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 159

01:45:07 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Bangerter moved that **HB 159 BE TABLED.** Motion carried 18-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Harris voting no. Rep. Calf Boss Ribs and Rep. Vance voted aye by proxy.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 01:50:07

Patty Hartman, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([sth27aad.pdf](#))