

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND IRRIGATION

Call to Order: Chair Taylor Brown, on March 21, 2013 at 3:00 PM, in Room 335 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Taylor Brown, Chair (R)
Sen. Frederick (Eric) Moore, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Scott Boulanger (R)
Sen. Sue Malek (D)
Sen. Terry Murphy (R)
Sen. Mike Phillips (D)
Sen. Scott Sales (R)
Sen. Sharon Stewart-Peregoy (D)
Sen. Janna Taylor (R)

Members Excused: Sen. Shannon Augare (D)
Sen. Mary Caferro (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Sue O'Connell, Legislative Branch
Elizabeth Whiting, Committee Secretary

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Committee Business Summary:

Executive Action: SB 300 - Tabled
HB 502 - Be concurred In
HB 322 - Be Concurred In As Amended

00:26:01 Sen. Taylor and Sen. Murphy left the hearing.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 300

00:26:28 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. F. Moore moved that **SB 300 BE TABLED**. Motion carried 9-0 by voice vote. Sen. Augare and Sen. Taylor voted by proxy. Sen. Caferro and Sen. Murphy were excused.

00:28:08 Sen. Taylor entered the hearing.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 502

00:28:11 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. F. Moore moved that **HB 502 BE CONCURRED IN**. Motion carried 8-1 by voice vote with Sen. Sales voting no. Sen. Augare voted by proxy. Sen. Caferro and Sen. Murphy were excused. Sen. Moore will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 322

Discussion:

00:30:08 Chairman Brown

00:30:10 Sue O'Connell, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

EXHIBIT(ags61a01)

00:31:08 Chairman Brown

00:31:20 **Motion:** Sen. F. Moore moved that **HB 322 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED** (previously amended on 3/19/2013).

Discussion:

00:31:44 Chairman Brown

00:31:58 Sen. Phillips

00:32:58 Chairman Brown

00:33:23 Sen. Moore

00:33:57 Chairman Brown

00:34:23 Sen. Malek

00:34:12 Sen. Sales

00:34:46 Chairman Brown

00:34:50 Sen. Malek

00:34:54 Sue O'Connell, LSD

00:35:15 Sen. Malek

00:35:38 George Edwards, Livestock Loss Board (LLB)

00:36:14 **Vote:** Motion carried 9-0 by voice vote. Sen. Augare voted by proxy. Sen. Caferro and Sen. Murphy were excused. Sen. Brown will carry the bill. (The amendment was not reported out of committee. Since the bill has been referred to Finance and Claims the amendment will be added by that committee).

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 3:42 p.m.

Elizabeth Whiting, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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