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MONTANA SENATE 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND CULTURAL RESOURCES

Call to Order: Chair Jim Peterson, on April 17, 2013 at 3:00 PM, in Room 303 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Jim Peterson, Chair (R)
Sen. Elsie Arntzen (R)
Sen. Taylor Brown (R)
Sen. Robyn Driscoll (D)
Sen. Tom Facey (D)
Sen. Dave Lewis (R)
Sen. Frederick (Eric) Moore (R)
Sen. Sharon Stewart-Peregoy (D)
Sen. Jonathan Windy Boy (D)

Members Excused: Sen. Llew Jones, Vice Chair (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Padraic McCracken, Legislative Branch
Elizabeth Whiting, Committee Secretary

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: SR 72, 4/16/2013; SR 73, 4/16/2013, SJ 38, 4/17/2013

Executive Action: SR 72 - Be Adopted
SR 73 - Be Adopted
SJ 38 - Do Pass

HEARING ON SJ 38

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:18:24 Sen. Jonathan Windy Boy (D), SD 16, opened the hearing on SJ 38, Study impact of tribal colleges.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:21:15 Rep. Rae Peppers (D), HD 41

00:22:58 Rep. Bridget Smith (D), HD 31

00:24:10 Rep. Clarena Brockie (D), HD 32

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00:28:52 Dustin Monroe, Western Native Voice (WNV)

00:30:10 Shane Morigeau, Confederated Salish Kootenai Tribes (CSKT)

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:31:34 Sen. Lewis

00:32:11 Rep. Brockie

00:32:34 Sen. Brown

00:34:27 Rep. Brockie

00:35:11 Sen. Arntzen

00:35:55 Rep. Brockie

Closing by Sponsor:

00:36:49 Sen. Windy Boy

00:39:34 Sen. Facey assumed the responsibilities of the chair.

HEARING ON SR 72

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:40:02 Sen. Jim Peterson (R), SD 15, opened the hearing on SR 72, Confirm certain Governor's appointees for private alternative adolescent programs.

Proponents' Testimony: None

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses: None

Closing by Sponsor:

00:41:27 Sen. Peterson

HEARING ON SR 73

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:41:50 Sen. Jim Peterson (R), SD 15, opened the hearing on SR 73, Confirm certain Governor's appointees for the Montana Arts Council.

Proponents' Testimony: None

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses: None

Closing by Sponsor:

00:44:55 Sen. Peterson

00:44:58 Sen. Brown left the hearing.

00:45:13 Sen. Peterson assumed the responsibilities of the chair.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SR 72

00:45:22 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Peterson moved that **SR 72 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 8-0 by voice vote. Sen. Brown and Sen. Jones were excused.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SR 73

00:45:44 **Motion:** Sen. Peterson moved that **SR 73 BE ADOPTED**.

Discussion:

00:45:58 Sen. Arntzen

00:46:13 Chairman Peterson

00:46:19 Sen. Facey

00:46:34 **Vote:** Motion carried 8-0 by voice vote. Sen. Brown and Sen. Jones were excused.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SJ 38

00:47:12 **Motion:** Sen. Windy Boy moved that **SJ 38 DO PASS**.

Discussion:

00:47:22 Sen. Arntzen
00:47:51 Sen. Windy Boy
00:49:39 Chairman Peterson
00:49:44 Sen. Stewart-Peregoy

00:50:30 **Vote:** Motion carried 8-0 by voice vote. Sen. Brown and Sen. Jones were excused.

Discussion:

00:50:47 Chairman Peterson
00:51:16 Sen. Arntzen

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 4:26 pm

Elizabeth Whiting, Secretary

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