

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON SENATE BILL 96

Call to Order: Chair Bruce Tutvedt, on April 23, 2013 at 10:30 A.M., in Room 405 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Bruce Tutvedt, Chair (R)
Rep. Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair (R)
Rep. Steve Lavin (R)
Rep. Edith (Edie) McClafferty (D)
Sen. Mike Phillips (D)
Sen. Fred Thomas (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Megan Moore, Legislative Branch
Charlene Devine, Committee Secretary

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:

Executive Action: SB 96 Be Adopted As Amended

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 96**Discussion:**

00:10:57 Megan Moore, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
00:11:49 Sen. Tutvedt
00:12:03 Sen. Phillips
00:12:32 Sen. Tutvedt
00:12:45 Megan Moore, LSD
00:12:56 Jim Standaert, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
00:14:00 Sen. Tutvedt

00:14:15 **Motion:** Sen. Thomas moved that **SB 96 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0096a01\)](#)

Discussion:

00:15:31 Sen. Tutvedt
00:16:49 Sen. Thomas
00:17:15 Sen. Phillips
00:18:08 Sen. Thomas
00:18:47 Sen. Tutvedt
00:19:30 Sen. Phillips
00:20:09 Rep. McClafferty
00:20:25 Sen. Tutvedt
00:21:08 Rep. McClafferty
00:21:15 Sen. Tutvedt
00:21:20 Sen. Phillips
00:21:43 Sen. Tutvedt
00:22:09 Sen. Thomas
00:23:05 Jaret Coles, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
00:24:24 Sen. Phillips

00:24:48 **Vote:** Motion carried by roll call vote 2-1 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting no and 2-1 in the house with Rep. McClafferty voting no.

00:25:34 Sen. Tutvedt
00:25:36 Megan Moore

00:25:55 **Motion:** Sen. Thomas moved that **SB 96 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0096a02\)](#)

Discussion:

00:26:51 Jim Standaert, LFD
00:27:11 Sen. Thomas
00:27:24 Sen. Tutvedt
00:27:32 Jim Standaert
00:27:51 Rep. McClafferty

00:28:09 Sen. Phillips
00:28:14 Sen. Thomas
00:28:34 Sen. Phillips
00:28:44 Jim Standaert
00:29:08 Sen. Tutvedt
00:29:16 Jim Standaert
00:29:24 Sen. Phillips
00:29:46 Jaret Coles, LSD
00:31:23 Sen. Tutvedt
00:31:44 Jim Standaert
00:32:01 Sen. Tutvedt
00:32:23 Rep. McClafferty
00:32:56 Rep. Bennett
00:33:20 Sen. Tutvedt
00:33:45 Sen. Thomas
00:34:22 Sen. Tutvedt
00:34:28 Sen. Phillips
00:34:53 Sen. Thomas
00:36:25 Sen. Phillips
00:36:35 Sen. Tutvedt
00:37:01 Rep. Bennett
00:37:08 Sen. Thomas
00:37:33 Sen. Phillips
00:38:11 Sen. Tutvedt
00:39:08 Megan Moore
00:39:17 Sen Phillips
00:39:25 Sen. Thomas
00:39:28 Megan Moore
00:39:53 Sen. Phillips
00:39:59 Sen. Thomas
00:40:07 Sen. Tutvedt

00:40:06 Recess

00:00:44 Reconvened

Discussion:

00:00:53 Sen. Tutvedt
00:00:55 Sen. Thomas

00: 1:00 **Motion:** Sen. Thomas moved to **STRIKE SECTION 3 FROM THE AMENDMENT.**

Discussion:

00:01:35 Sen. Tutvedt

00:02:24 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:02:48 **Motion:** Sen. Thomas moved that **SB 96 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

00:03:41 Sen. Tutvedt
00:03:52 Megan Moore
00:04:12 Sen. Phillips
00:04:40 Sen. Tutvedt
00:05:09 Megan Moore
00:05:25 Sen. Thomas
00:05:40 Sen. Tutvedt
00:06:18 Sen. Phillips
00:06:48 Sen. Thomas

00:07:28 **Vote:** Motion carried by voice vote 2-1 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting no and 2-1 in the house with Rep. McClafferty voting no.

00:08:14 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Thomas moved that the **FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED.** Motion carried by voice vote 2-1 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting no and 2-1 in the house with Rep. McClafferty voting no.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 12:15 P.M.

Charlene Devine, Secretary

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Additional Documents

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