

## MINUTES

### MONTANA SENATE 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON SENATE BILL 282

**Call to Order:** Chair Fred Thomas, on April 23, 2013 at 11:30 A.M., in Room 405 Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Sen. Fred Thomas, Chair (R)  
Rep. Ryan Osmundson, Chair (R)  
Rep. Douglas Coffin (D)  
Rep. Kris Hansen (R)  
Sen. Mike Phillips (D)  
Sen. Bruce Tutvedt (R)

**Members Excused:** None

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Megan Moore, Legislative Services Division  
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 282 - Recommend that the Free Conference Committee Report Be Adopted As Amended

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 282**

00:17:42 **Motion:** Sen. Tutvedt moved that **SB 282 BE AMENDED.**  
[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0282a01\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:18:09 Sen. Tutvedt  
00:18:21 Sen. Phillips  
00:19:01 Sen. Thomas  
00:19:35 Rep. Coffin  
00:19:48 Sen. Thomas  
00:20:04 Jaret Coles, Legislative Services Division (LSD)  
00:21:23 Sen. Phillips

00:22:43 **Vote:** Motion carried by voice vote 2-1 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting no and 2-1 in the house with Rep. Coffin voting no.

**Discussion:**

00:23:01 Sen. Thomas

00:23:09 **Motion:** Rep. Coffin moved that **SB 282 BE AMENDED.**  
[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0282a02\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:24:54 Sen. Tutvedt

00:26:25 **Vote:** Motion failed by voice vote 1-2 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting aye.

00:26:51 **Motion:** Rep. Coffin moved that **SB 282 BE AMENDED.**  
[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0282a03\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:27:41 Sen. Tutvedt

00:28:31 **Vote:** Motion failed by voice vote 1-2 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting aye. Vote in the house was 1-2 with Rep. Coffin voting aye.

00:29:01 Chairman Thomas left the hearing and Sen. Tutvedt took over responsibilities as Chair.

00:29:03 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Coffin moved that **SB 282 BE AMENDED.** Motion failed by voice vote 1-2 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting aye and 1-2 in the house with Rep. Coffin voting aye.

[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0282a04\)](#)

00:32:40 **Motion:** Rep. Coffin moved that **SB 282 BE AMENDED.**  
[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0282a05\)](#)

00:32:42 Sen. Thomas returned to the hearing and resumed responsibilities as the chair.

**Discussion:**

00:33:28 Sen. Tutvedt

00:33:59 **Vote:** Motion failed by voice vote 1-2 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting aye. Vote in the house was 1-2 with Rep. Coffin voting aye.

00:34:35 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Coffin moved that **SB 282 BE AMENDED.** Motion failed by voice vote 1-2 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting aye. Vote in the house was 1-2 with Rep. Coffin voting aye.

[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0282a06\)](#)

00:36:45 **Motion:** Rep. Coffin moved that **SB 282 BE AMENDED.**  
[EXHIBIT\(frs86sb0282a07\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:38:04 Megan Moore

00:38:10 Rep. Coffin

00:38:27 Sen. Tutvedt

00:38:51 Megan Moore

00:39:20 Sen. Tutvedt

00:39:26 **Substitute Motion:** Rep. Hansen made a **SUBSTITUTE MOTION THAT SB 282 BE AMENDED CONCEPTUALLY.**

**Discussion:**

00:40:09 Sen. Phillips

00:40:21 Sen. Tutvedt

00:41:08 Rep. Coffin

00:41:19 Dan Dodds, Department of Revenue (DOR)

00:41:56 Rep. Coffin

00:42:24 **Vote:** Substitute motion failed by roll call vote in the senate 0-3. Vote in the house was 2-1 with Rep. Osmundson voting no.

00:42:29 **Vote:** Motion failed by voice vote 1-2 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting aye. Vote in the house was 2-1 with Rep. Osmundson voting no. (exhibit 7)

00:45:00 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Tutvedt moved to **RECONSIDER THE MOTION AND REMOVE AMENDMENT SB028222.AMM FROM SB 282.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:46:57

**Motion/Vote:** Sen. Tutvedt moved that the **FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SB 282 BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED**. Motion carried by roll call vote 2-1 in the senate with Sen. Phillips voting no and 2-1 in the house with Rep. Coffin voting no.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 11:45 A.M.

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Charlene Devine, Secretary

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**Additional Document**

Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT([frs86sb0282aad.pdf](#))**