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SECOND LEGISLATIVE DAY**

Helena, Montana  
January 7, 2003

House Chambers  
State Capitol

House convened at 1:00 p.m. Mr. Speaker in the Chair. Invocation by Representative Bookout-Reinicke. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present, except Representatives Cyr, Fritz, and Maedje, excused. Quorum present.

Mr. Speaker introduced the pages of the week:

Kristen Olson, Roundup  
Abby Raths, Roundup  
George Real Bird, Lodge Grass  
Ben Sloan, Stanford  
Marissa Stockton, Helena

**FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS**

The following House bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**HB 227**, introduced by D. Brown, referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.  
**HB 228**, introduced by Lange, referred to Taxation.  
**HB 229**, introduced by B. Olson, referred to Local Government.  
**HB 230**, introduced by Erickson, referred to Business and Labor.  
**HB 231**, introduced by Waitschies, referred to Taxation.  
**HB 232**, introduced by Devlin, referred to Local Government.  
**HB 233**, introduced by Waitschies, referred to Natural Resources.  
**HB 234**, introduced by Cohenour, referred to Judiciary.  
**HB 235**, introduced by Cohenour, referred to State Administration.  
**HB 236**, introduced by Erickson, referred to Appropriations.  
**HB 237**, introduced by Brueggeman, Wanzenried, referred to Transportation.  
**HB 238**, introduced by Andersen, referred to Local Government.  
**HB 239**, introduced by Facey, Cobb, referred to Taxation.  
**HB 240**, introduced by Shockley, referred to Judiciary.  
**HB 241**, introduced by Shockley, referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.  
**HB 242**, introduced by Harris, referred to Judiciary.  
**HB 243**, introduced by Harris, referred to Judiciary.  
**HB 244**, introduced by Harris, referred to Education.  
**HB 245**, introduced by Harris, referred to Transportation.  
**HB 246**, introduced by Harris, referred to Judiciary.  
**HB 247**, introduced by Harris, referred to Local Government.

The following House joint resolution was introduced, read first time, and referred to committee:

**HJR 4**, introduced by Lange, referred to Natural Resources.

**MOTIONS**

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Representative Wanzenried moved that the Legislative Fiscal Division obtain from the Office of Budget and Program Planning the lists from agencies generated during the executive budgeting process regarding priorities for program reductions and eliminations; and that information be printed and distributed to members of the legislature and the public prior to the initial meetings of the appropriation sub-committee. Motion failed.

Ayes: Ballantyne, Becker, Bergren, Bixby, Branae, Buzzas, Callahan, Carney, P. Clark, Cohenour, Dickenson, Dowell, Erickson, Facey, Forrester, Franklin, Gallik, Gallus, Galvin-Halcro, Gibson, Gillan, Golie, Gutsche, Harris, Jacobson, Jayne, Jent, Juneau, Kaufmann, Keane, Lambert, Laslovich, Lenhart, Lindeen, Matthews, Musgrove, Newman, Parker, Raser, Ryan, Small-Eastman, Smith, Wanzenried, Weiss, Wilson, Windy Boy.  
Total 46

Noes: Andersen, Balyeat, Barrett, Bitney, Bookout-Reinicke, D. Brown, R. Brown, Brueggeman, E. Clark, Devlin, Everett, Fisher, Fuchs, Haines, Hawk, Hedges, Hurwitz, Jackson, Kasten, Lake, Lange, Laszloffy, Lawson, Lehman, Lewis, Malcolm, McKenney, Mendenhall, Morgan, Noennig, A. Olson, B. Olson, Pattison, Peterson, Rice, Ripley, Roberts, Rome, Ross, Sales, Schrupf, Shockley, Sinrud, Steinbeisser, Stoker, Thomas, Wagman, Waitschies, Witt, Younkin, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 51

Excused: Cyr, Fritz, Maedje.  
Total 3

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

Representative R. Brown moved **HB 219** be taken from the Committee on Local Government and rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations. There being no objection, so ordered.

Representative R. Brown moved **HB 12** be taken from the Committee on Federal Relations, Energy, and Telecommunications and be rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations. There being no objection, so ordered.

Representative R. Brown moved **HB 177** be taken from the Committee on Taxation and be rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations. There being no objection, so ordered.

**SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY**

The following cosponsor has been added to **HB 135**: Representative A. Olson.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Brown moved that the House adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 8, 2003. Motion carried.

House adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

MARILYN MILLER  
Chief Clerk of the House

DOUG MOOD  
Speaker of the House