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Helena, Montana  House Chambers
March 21, 2019  State Capitol

House convened at 1:00 p.m.  Mr. Speaker presiding. Invocation by Representative Dooling. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present, except Representative Mortensen, excused. Quorum present.

BILLs (Ricci, Chair):

Correctly printed: HB 597, HB 657, HB 662, HB 663, HB 664, HB 670, HB 671, HB 672, HB 685, HB 686, HB 687, SB 8, SB 9, SB 12, SB 23, SB 52, SB 64, SB 88, SB 217, SB 261, SB 274, SB 292.
Correctly engrossed: HB 90, HB 669.
Correctly enrolled: HB 29, HB 85, HB 90, HB 99, HB 155, HB 239, HB 320, HB 322, HB 323, HB 348, HB 370, HB 373, HB 382.
Transmitted to the Senate: HB 2, HB 403, HB 507, HB 629, SB 36, SB 59, SB 61, SB 82, SB 84, SB 85, SB 248, SB 260.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

APPROPRIATIONS (Ballance, Chair):

HB 669, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 5.
Following: line 22
Insert: "NEW SECTION. Section 8. Codification instruction. [Sections 1 and 2] are intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 52, and the provisions of Title 52 apply to [sections 1 and 2]."

SB 217, be concurred in.  Report adopted.
JUDICIARY (Doane, Chair):

SB 23, be concurred in. Report adopted.
SB 52, be concurred in. Report adopted.
SB 64, be concurred in. Report adopted.
SB 88, be concurred in. Report adopted.
SB 261, be concurred in. Report adopted.
SB 274, be concurred in. Report adopted.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
on Senate Amendments to House Bill 35
Report No. 001, March 20, 2019

Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:

We, your Conference Committee met and considered Senate amendments to House Bill 35 (reference copy -- salmon) and recommend this Conference Committee report be adopted.

And, recommend that House Bill 35 (reference copy -- salmon) be amended as follows:

   Strike: "10 YEARS"
   Insert: "1 year"

For the Senate: Blasdel, Chair
For the House: Buttrey, Vice Chair
Vuckovich: Pierson
Fitzgerald

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate bills passed and transmitted to the House for concurrence: 3/19/2019

SB 183, introduced by M. Blasdel
SB 241, introduced by J. Welborn

House bills concurred in and returned to the House: 3/19/2019

HB 99, introduced by F. Garner
HB 155, introduced by C. Knudsen
HB 322, introduced by J. Fuller
HB 323, introduced by B. Tschida
HB 382, introduced by M. Caferro
House bills concurred in as amended and returned to the House for concurrence in Senate amendments: 3/19/2019

HB 98, introduced by F. Garner
HB 450, introduced by B. Tschida

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

March 20, 2019

The Honorable Greg Hertz
Speaker of the House
State Capitol
Helena, Montana 59620

Dear Speaker Hertz:

On Wednesday, March 20, 2019, I signed the following bills:

House Bill 30—Gunderson
House Bill 33—Windy Boy
House Bill 44—Brown
House Bill 50—Krautter
House Bill 55—Mandeville
House Bill 58—Z. Brown
House Bill 70—Shaw
House Bill 105—Sullivan
House Bill 151—Fitzgerald
House Bill 175—Dooling

Sincerely,

STEVE BULLOCK
Governor

FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS

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

HB 708, introduced by B. Hamlett, referred to Natural Resources.

HB 712, introduced by K. Holmlund, referred to Appropriations.

HB 713, introduced by K. Holmlund, referred to Appropriations.

HB 714, introduced by K. Holmlund, referred to Appropriations.

HB 715, introduced by L. Jones, N. Ballance, referred to Appropriations.

HB 716, introduced by T. Woods, L. Jones, referred to Appropriations.


HB 720, introduced by D. Zolnikov, referred to Business and Labor.

HB 721, introduced by W. Curdy, referred to Judiciary.

HB 722, introduced by S. Gunderson, referred to Natural Resources.

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

SB 183, introduced by M. Blasdel, referred to Business and Labor.


SECOND READING OF BILLS
(COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)

Majority Leader Tschida moved the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of business on second reading. Motion carried. Representative Keogh in the chair.

Mr. Speaker: We, your Committee of the Whole, having had under consideration business on second reading, recommend as follows:

HB 326 - Senate Amendments - Representative Redfield moved Senate amendments to HB 326 be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bachmeier, Bahr, Ballance, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bessette, Bishop, Brown B, Burnett, Buttrey, Caferro, Curdy, Custer, DeVries, Doane, Dooling, Dudik,

Total 98

Total 2

Voted absentee: Mortensen, Aye.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

HB 597 - Representative Zolnikov moved HB 597 do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Total 90

Nays: DeVries, Garcia, Gunderson, Harvey, Keane, Lynch, Mandeville, Redfield, Schreiner, White.
Total 10

Voted absentee: Mortensen, Aye.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0
SB 8 - Representative Fuller moved SB 8 be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:


Total 58


Total 42

Voted absentee: Mortensen, Aye.

Excused: Mortensen.

Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

SB 9 - Representative Grubbs moved SB 9 be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:


Total 99

Nays: White.

Total 1

Voted absentee: Mortensen, Aye.
Excused: Mortensen.
Total  1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total  0

SB 12 - Representative Grubbs moved SB 12 be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Total  89

Total  11

Voted absentee: Mortensen, Aye.
Excused: Mortensen.
Total  1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total  0

SB 292 - Representative Beard moved SB 292 be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Total 100
Nays: None.
Total 0

Voted absentee: Mortensen, Aye.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

Majority Leader Tschida moved the Committee rise and report. Motion carried. Committee arose. House resumed. Mr. Speaker presiding. Chair Keogh moved the Committee of the Whole report be adopted. Report adopted as follows:

Total 93

Nays: Bessette, Dunwell, Olsen, Peppers, Perry, Smith.
Total 6

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

THIRD READING OF BILLS

The following bills having been read three several times, title and history agreed to, were disposed of in the following manner:
HB 2 passed as follows:

Total 54

Total 45

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

HB 403 passed as follows:

Total 57

Total 42

Voted absentee: None.
Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

**HB 507** passed as follows:

Total 67

Total 32

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

**HB 629** passed as follows:

Total 74
   Total  25

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
   Total  1

Absent or not voting: None.
   Total  0

SB 36 concurred in as follows:

   Total  97

Nays: Hopkins, Tschida.
   Total  2

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
   Total  1

Absent or not voting: None.
   Total  0

SB 59 concurred in as follows:

Total 96

Nays: Fuller, Hopkins, White.
Total 3

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

SB 61 concurred in as follows:

Total 72

Total 27

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0
SB 82 concurred in as follows:

Total 99

Nays: None.
Total 0

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

SB 84 concurred in as follows:

Total 88

Nays: Burnett, Fleming, Fuller, Galloway, Glimm, Mandeville, Manzella, Noland, Skees, Tschida, Usher.
Total 11

Voted absentee: None.
Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

**SB 85** concurred in as follows:

Total 99

Nays: None.
Total 0

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

**SB 248** concurred in as follows:

Total 92
Total  7

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total  1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total  0

SB 260 concurred in as follows:

Total  90

Nays: Bahr, Bessette, Burnett, DeVries, Knudsen R, McKamey, Redfield, Stewart Peregoy, Zolnikov.
Total  9

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.
Total  1

Absent or not voting: None.
Total  0

MOTIONS

Majority Leader Tschida moved to re-refer HB 597 to the Appropriations Committee. Without objection, so ordered.

Majority Leader Tschida moved to re-refer SB 8 to the Appropriations Committee. Without objection, so ordered.
Representative Mandeville moved the House **Adjourn Sine Die**.

Motion **failed** as follows:


Total  22


Total  77

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Mortensen.

Total  1

Absent or not voting: None.

Total  0

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Tschida moved the House adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Friday, March 22, 2019. Motion carried.

House adjourned at 1:58 p.m.