

MINUTES

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
55th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN MATT DENNY**, on January 30, 1997, at 9:00 a.m., in room 420.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Matt Denny, Chairman (R)
Rep. Matt Brainard, Vice Chairman (Majority) (R)
Rep. Antoinette R. Hagener, Vice Chairman (Minority) (D)
Rep. Darrel Adams (R)
Rep. Haley Beaudry (R)
Rep. Tim Dowell (D)
Rep. Harriet Hayne (R)
Rep. George Heavy Runner (D)
Rep. Sam Kitzenberg (R)
Rep. Norm Mills (R)
Rep. Doug Mood (R)
Rep. William Rehbein, Jr. (R)
Rep. Trudi Schmidt (D)
Rep. Dorothy C. Simpson (D)
Rep. Allan Walters (R)
Rep. Bill Whitehead (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Matt Brainard and Rep. Doug Mood.

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Sheri Heffelfinger, Legislative Services Division
Keri Burkhardt, Committee Secretary

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s) & Date(s) Posted: HB 174, SB 30; (1/22/97)
Executive Action: SB 30

HEARING ON SB 30

Opening Statement by Sponsor: SEN. J.D. LYNCH, S.D. 19.
{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: .9; Comments: None.}

Closing by Sponsor: SEN. LYNCH closes.
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HEARING ON HB 174

Opening Statement by Sponsor: REP. LIZ SMITH, H.D. 56.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 4; Comments: None.}

Proponents' Testimony:

Linda King, Public Employees Retirement Board, Department of Administration. EXHIBIT 1.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 5.8; Comments: None.}

Tom Schnieder, Executive Director, Montana Public Employees Association; Game Warden Retirement Association. EXHIBIT 2.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 11; Comments: None.}

Dave Galt, Administrator, Motor Carrier Services Division, Department of Transportation. EXHIBIT 3.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 15.2; Comments: None.}

Mark Moberly, Enforcement Officer, Motor Carrier Services Division, Department of Transportation. EXHIBIT 4.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 16; Comments: None.}

Tom Dolan, Administrative Services Division, Department of Corrections. EXHIBIT 5/6.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 17.5; Comments: None.}

Mary Fay, Probation and Parole Bureau, Department of Corrections.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 19.5; Comments: None.}

Terry Minow, Montana Federation of State Employees.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 20.3; Comments: None.}

Joseph Mcelroy, Parole/ Probation Officer, Department of Corrections.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 21.2; Comments: None.}

Antoinette M. Peterson, Parole/ Probation Officer, Department of Corrections.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 23.3; Comments: None.}

Mark Piskolich, Parole/ Probation Officer, Department of Corrections.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 25.9; Comments: None.}

David Facincani, Local 4700, Montana Federation of State Prison Employees; Local 4700 Montana State Prison.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 27.5; Comments: None.}

Mervin G. Gunderson, Lieutenant, Montana State University Police.

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 29.9; Comments: None.}

Questions From Committee Members and Responses:

{Tape: 1; Side: a; Approx. Time Count: 32.7 through 15.5 (1/b);
Comments: None.}

Closing by Sponsor: REP. SMITH closes.

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Comments: None.}

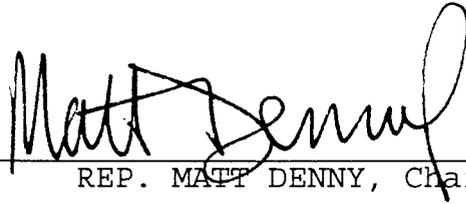
EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 30

Motion/Vote: REP. MILLS MOVED TO BE CONCURRED IN SB 30/ Motion
carried 13-0.

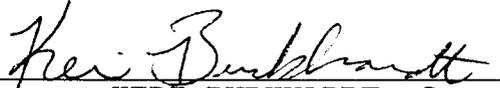
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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:14 a.m.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Matt Denny".

REP. MATT DENNY, Chairman

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Keri Burkhardt".

KERI BURKHARDT, Secretary

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