

MINUTES

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

COMMITTEE ON STATE/FEDERAL RELATIONS

Call to Order: By Rep. MATT BRAINARD, VICE CHAIRMAN,
on February 13, 1997, at 3:00 P.M., in Room 317

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Aubyn A. Curtiss, Chairman (R)
Rep. Matt Brainard, Vice Chairman (Majority) (R)
Rep. George Heavy Runner, Vice Chairman (Minority) (D)
Rep. Haley Beaudry (R)
Rep. Rod Bitney (R)
Rep. Kim Gillan (D)
Rep. Ray Peck (D)
Rep. Robert R. "Bob" Ream (D)
Rep. Jay Stovall (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Daniel W. McGee (R)
Rep. John "Sam" Rose (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Mary Lou Bruno, Committee Secretary

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s) & Date(s) Posted: HJR 14 AND HJR 13
February 4, 1997
Executive Action: None

HEARING ON HJR 14

OPENING STATEMENT BY SPONSOR: REPRESENTATIVE AUBYN CURTISS HD 81
introduced the bill.

{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 2.4; Comments: None.}

Proponents: Gail Abercrombie Executive Director Mt. Petroleum
Association.

{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 3.8; Comments: None.}

EXHIBIT 1 AND EXHIBIT 2

Opponents: None

Questions From Committee Members and Responses: REP. HALEY BEAUDRY question to REPRESENTATIVE CURTISS sponsor of bill.
{Tape 1, Side: 1; Approx. Time Count:5.3; Comments: None.}

REP. MATT BRAINARD question to REPRESENTATIVE CURTISS
{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 5.9; Comments: None.}

REP. MATT BRAINARD question to Clayton Schank on block grants.
{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 7.8; Comments: None.}

REP. GEORGE HEAVY RUNNER question to Curtiss.
{Tape:1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 8.4; Comments: None.}

Closing by Sponsor: REP. AUBYN CURTISS closed on bill
{Tape:1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 14.7; Comments: None.}

HEARING ON HJR 13

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE AUBYN CURTISS HD 81 INTRODUCED THE BILL
{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count:16.3; Comments:None.}

Proponents:Gail Abercrombie Executive Director Mt. Petroleum Association.
{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 20.1; Comments: None.}
EXHIBIT 3

Opponents:Professor Arnold Silverman U of M
{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 22.3; Comments: None.}

Questions From Committee Members and Responses:

REP. BOB REAM explanation on Antiquity Act, refer to Alaska situation
{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 33.3; Comments: None.}

REP. RAY PECK question to REP. AUBYN CURTISS
{Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 38.6; Comments: None.}

REP. KIM GILLAN question to Professor Arnold Silverman
Tape: 1; Side: 1; Approx. Time Count: 42.5; Comments: None.}

REP. HALEY BEAUDRY question to Professor Arnold Silverman, was cost analysis done? Discussion continued.
{Tape: 1; Side: 2; Approx. Time Count: .02; Comments: None.}

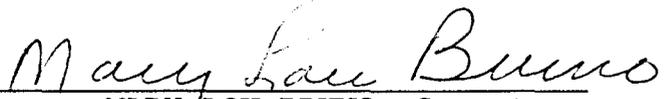
REPRESENTATIVE ALBYN CURTISS closed on the bill.
{Tape: 1; Side: 2; Approx. Time Count: 24.6; Comments: None.}
EXHIBIT 4-4A-4B

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 5:00 P.M.



REP. AUBYN A. CURTISS, Chairman



MARY LOU BRUNO, Secretary

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