

MINUTES

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

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN TOM ZOOK**, on April 4, 1997, at
3:30 p.m., in Room 312-2.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Tom Zook, Chairman (R)
Rep. Edward J. "Ed" Grady, Vice Chairman (Majority) (R)
Rep. Joe Quilici, Vice Chairman (Minority) (D)
Rep. Beverly Barnhart (D)
Rep. Ernest Bergsagel (R)
Rep. John Cobb (R)
Rep. Roger DeBruycker (R)
Rep. Gary Feland (R)
Rep. Don Holland (R)
Rep. John Johnson (D)
Rep. Royal C. Johnson (R)
Rep. Betty Lou Kasten (R)
Rep. Bob Keenan (R)
Rep. Matt McCann (D)
Rep. William T. "Red" Menahan (D)
Rep. Ray Peck (D)
Rep. Steve Vick (R)
Rep. William R. Wiseman (R)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Clayton Schenck, Legislative Fiscal Analyst
Marjorie Peterson, Committee Secretary

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing: None.
Executive Action: SB 187 BE CONCURRED IN,
SB 269 BE CONCURRED IN
AS AMENDED

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 187

Motion/Vote: REP. BERGSAGEL moved SB 187 be reconsidered.

Motion carried unanimously.

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Motion: REP. HOLLAND moved SB 187 Be Concurred In.
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Discussion:
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Richard Crofts, Commissioner of Higher Education, Helena.
{Tape: 1; Side: A; Approx. Tape Counter: 7.3.}

Vote: Motion that SB 187 Be Concurred In carried 13 - 5 on a roll call vote, with REPS. DEBRUYCKER, KASTEN, KEENAN, MCCANN, and PECK voting no.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 269

Motion/Vote: REP. QUILICI moved SB 269 be reconsidered. Motion carried 14 - 4, with REPS. DEBRUYCKER, KASTEN, VICK, and MCCANN voting ho.
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Motion: REP. QUILICI moved amendment SB026902.agp Be Concurred In.
{Tape: 1; Side: A; Approx. Tape Counter: 23.6.}

Discussion:
{Tape: 1; Side: A; Approx. Tape Counter: 23.9.}

Attorney General Joe Mazurek, Department of Justice, Helena.
{Tape: 1; Side: A; Approx. Tape Counter: 24.1.}

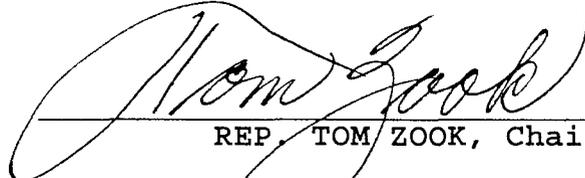
Dennis Taylor, Deputy Director, Department of Justice, Helena.
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Vote: Motion that amendment SB026902.agp Be Concurred In carried 17 - 1, with REP. DEBRUYCKER voting no.

Motion/Vote: REP. ROYAL JOHNSON moved SB 269 Be Concurred In As Amended. Motion carried 13 - 5 on a roll call vote, with REPS. BERGSAGEL, DEBRUYCKER, HOLLAND, KASTEN, and VICK voting no.
{Tape: 1; Side: A; Approx. Tape Counter: 41.8.}

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 4:30 p.m.



REP. TOM ZOOK, Chairman



MARJORIE PETERSON, Secretary

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