MINUTES OF MEETING SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE January 17, 1977

The meeting of this committee was called to order at 9:30 a.m. in Room 442 by Senator Turnage, Chairman, on the above date.

ROLL CALL:

All members of the committee were present for this meeting.

WITNESSES APPEARING TO TESTIFY:

Senator Rasmussen - District 16
Tom Stoll, administrator of Inheritance Tax Division, Department of Revenue

Senator Hazelbaker - District 41

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL 58:

Senator Rasmussen, District 16, presented and explained this bill to the committee as he has sponsored it.

Marie Brazier of the Montana Nurses Association was present in support of S.B. 58.

There were no opponents to this bill present at the meeting.

DISPOSITION OF SENATE BILL 58:

Senator Olsen moved that S.B. 58 DO PASS. The motion carried unanimously.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL 70:

Tom Stoll, administrator of the Inheritance Tax Division of the Montana Department of Revenue, explained the bill to the committee, and told them that this is actually a taxpayer's relief bill.

There were no opponents present on S.B. 70.

DISPOSITION OF SENATE BILL 70:

Senator Warden moved to amend the title of S.B. 70 on line 7 following the word "HOURS" by inserting "; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE" and to further amend S.B. 70 on page 2, following line 1, by adding a new section as follows: "Section 3. Effective Date. This act shall be effective upon its passage and approval." The motion carried unanimously.

Senator Warden then moved that S.B. 70, as amended, DO PASS. This motion also carried unanimously.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL 30:

The researcher, Joan Mayer, an attorney with the Legislative Council, resumed her explanation of any changes made during the recodification of this bill with section 64 on page 70, and continued through the bill.

DISPOSITION OF SENATE BILL 30:

Senator Warden moved that Senate Bill 30, as amended, DO PASS. The motion carried unanimously.

At this time, the Chairman requested the attorney from the Legislative Council to draft a bill to amend 94-5607 to provide that persons other than parents or guardians can commit the offense of endangering the welfare of children.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL 34:

Senator Hazelbaker, sponsor of S.B. 34, was present at this meeting. This is a recodification bill and, therefore, Joan Mayer of the Legislative Council explained the changes which had been made.

Senator Murray moved to amend section 22 on page 34, subsection (c), lines 24 and 25, by striking the "," following "makes" and reinserting the "er", and to further amend by striking the "," after the word "make" and striking the words "or knowingly accepts"; and to further amend on line 25 by striking the word "to" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "from". The motion carried unanimously.

The committee proceeded through section 24 and is to begin with section 25 on page 38 when they resume consideration of S.B. 34.

There being no further time for this meeting, the committee adjourned at 11:10 a.m. to reconvene on January 18, 1977, at 9:30 a.m..

ENATOR JEAN A. TURNAGE, Chair

ROLL CALL

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STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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MR. PRESIDENT:		
We, your committee on	JUDICIARY	
having had under consideration	Senate	Bill No 58

Respectfully report as follows: That SENATE Bill No. 58

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JEAN A. TURNAGE,

Chairman.

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STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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PRESIDENT:			
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2. Amend page 2. Following: line Insert: "Section upon its passage	l 3. Effective de	ate. This act	shall be effective

AND AS SO AMENDED, DO PASS.

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