State of Montana 46th Legislative Session

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting

An Executive Session meeting of the Education Committee of the House of Representatives was called to order at 9:30 a.m. on February 10, 1979 in Room 5, of the Capitol Annex, by Chairman Peter J. Gilligan.

House Bill 209 was considered by the committee. Representative Lory moved that HB 209 DO PASS. The motion carried unanimously.

Representative Kemmis moved that the committee AMEND HB 264 to require that facsimile signature devices must not be available to the other counter-signer of the warrant, or the device must have nonresettable mettering controls, and that the signature plates must be kept secure by the district clerk under the supervision of the board of trustees of the district. The motion carried unanimously. Representative Daily moved that HB 264 AS AMENDED, DO PASS. The motion carried unanimously.

Representative Lory moved that the committee AMEND HB 296 by eliminating state funds in the title of the bill, so that it would allow school trustees to receive and use federal funds to supplement the general fund budget without a vote of the electors of the school district. Related amendments were made in the body of the bill. The motion carried unanimously. Representative Magone moved that HB 296 AS AMENDED, DO PASS. The motion carried unanimously.

House Bill 473 was considered by the committee. Representative Reichert moved that the committee AMEND HB 473 so the title of the bill, line 7, following "postsecondary" would read "Vocational-Technical, rather than "Vocational and Technical". The motion carried, with Representative Daily voting no. Representative Reichert moved that HB 473 AS AMENDED, DO PASS. The motion carried, with Representatives Lund and Kvaalen voting no.

Representative Lory moved that the committee AMEND HB 272, striking termination and inserting nonrenewal throughout the bill. The motion carried unanimously. Representative Anderson moved that HB 272 AS AMENDED, DO NOT PASS. The motion failed 11-6. Representative Lory moved that HB 272 AS AMENDED, DO PASS. The motion carried, 11-6. Those voting no were Representatives Porter, Lund, Nordtvedt, Lory, Kvaalen and Eudaily.

House Bill 336 was considered by the committee. Representative Lory moved that $\frac{HB}{AB}$ 336 DO NOT PASS. The motion carried with Representatives $\frac{HB}{AB}$ and $\frac{AB}{AB}$ voting no.

Representative Uhde moved that <u>HB 220 DO PASS</u>. The motion carried unanimously.

Peter J. Gilligan, Chairman

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