

MINUTES OF THE MEETING  
LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

March 18, 1979  
Room 104  
State Capitol

The meeting was called to order at 1:05 P.M. by Chairman Francis Bardanoue. All members were present and Chairman Bardanoue stated that we would continue with action on House Bill 483.

Representative South made a motion that designated funds are added into the other appropriated funds. Motion carried.

Representative South made a motion concerning insurance amount to \$430 for fiscal 1980 and \$600 for fiscal 1981. Motion carried.

Representative Ellis made a motion to reflect a 2% increase in faculty salaries for the entire educational system. With Representatives Bengston, Ellis, Hand, Manning, Menahan, Waldron all voting Yes, the motion failed.

At this time Representative Menahan moved that we reflect a 1% increase for all faculty salaries in the entire educational system. With Representatives Bengston, Ellis, Hand, Manning, Manuel, Menahan and Waldron voting Yes, the motion failed.

Representative Bengston made a motion to add back into the budget, the Public Administrators Program. After considerable discussion Representative Bengston withdrew her motion.

At this time Representative Waldron made a motion to reconsider our action taken on Medicaid allocations. On a voice call, motion carried unanimously.

Representative Waldron made a motion to amend the bill by line iteming figures developed by the Fiscal Analyst in regard to SRS Medicaid payments. Motion carried on a voice call.

Representative Waldron stated that if we are going to insist that SRS live with their budget, the Legislature should agree that the services will be cut back and have some say in what those services will be. He made a motion that language be inserted in the bill to this effect. Motion carried.

Representative Waldron made a motion to separate the forestry and conservation station budget from the rest of the University budget. With Representatives South, Hand, Kvaalen, Lund, Manuel and Moore voting No, the motion carried.

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Representative Menahan made a motion that we remove general funds and use Motor Vehicle Earmarked Revenue Funds for the Department of Justice, Teletype system, Law Enforcement Academy and Crime Laboratory. Motion carried unanimously on a voice call.

Representative Menahan made a motion to reduce the general fund by \$100,000 and use the surplus in a revolving account for the Administrative Codes under the Legislative Council. Motion carried.

Representative Menahan made a motion that \$50,000 line itemed micro-film costs for the Supreme Court be reduced to \$30,000. Use the balance in other programs. Motion failed on a tie vote with Representatives Bengston, Ellis, Gesek, Kvaalen, Lund, Marks, Moore and Bardanouve voting No.

Representative South made a motion to add 4 extra fiscal analysts and one secretary to the staff of the fiscal analyst. With Representatives Marks and Bardanouve abstaining, and with Representative Waldron absent, and with Representatives Bengston and Menahan voting No, the motion carried.

Representative Moore made a motion to retain language in the bill in Section 2 (subsection 4) excepting Highways, University System and Legislative Council.

Representative South said that he would want the University System excluded from this process if the motion passes.

Representative Marks questions also the Legislative Council.

At this time the vote was taken on Representative Moore's motion and with Representatives Ellis, Hurwitz, Kvaalen, Lund, Marks, Waldron, Wood and Bardanouve voting No, the motion failed on a tie count.

Representative Kvaalen made a motion to strike subsection 6 under section 4 of the bill. Motion carried on a unanimous vote.

Representative Waldron made a motion to insert in Section 13, special language and to strike section 14. Motion carried.

Representative Lund made a motion to accept House Bill 483 as amended. With Representative Menahan voting No, the motion carried.

There was no further business to come before the committee and the meeting was adjourned at 4:35 P.M.

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Chairman