

MINUTES OF THE MEETING
TAXATION COMMITTEE
MONTANA STATE SENATE

April 18, 1979

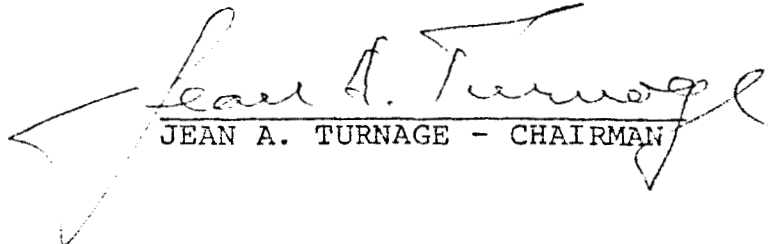
The seventy-fifth meeting of the Taxation Committee was held on the above date, convening for a short, social meeting marking the end of the legislative session.

There was a discussion of tax relief measures that had been introduced before this committee and of the bills still left in committee. Senator Watt brought up HB398, a tax relief bill that had been tabled by the committee on April 6th, with amendments. He asked the committee to reconsider this bill and also that the amendments be stripped from it, should the committee consider passing on the bill.

Chairman Turnage said the committee could pass the bill out and could vote for it or not, as they chose, but a concurred-in vote would get the bill on the floor where it could be debated and then rise or fall on its own merit. He said the impact of the legislation would be about \$1 million, and would provide some significant tax relief to those on fixed income or to the elderly.

Senator Watt then Moved HB398 Be Concurred In. Motion was carried, Senator Manley voting "No".

Following disposition of this bill, meeting adjourned.


JEAN A. TURNAGE - CHAIRMAN

Date 4-18-79

ROLL CALL

SENATE TAXATION COMMITTEE

46th LEGISLATIVE SESSION - 1979

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT	EXCUSED
SEN. GOODOVER (Vice Chairman)	✓		
SEN. BROWN	✓		
SEN. HAGER	✓		
SEN. MANLEY	✓		
SEN. MANNING	✓		
SEN. McCOLLUM	✓		
SEN. NORMAN	✓		
SEN. ROSKIE	✓		
SEN. SEVERSON	✓		
SEN. TOWE	✓		
SEN. WATT	✓		
CHAIRMAN TURNAGE	✓		

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STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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MR. President

We, your committee on Taxation

having had under consideration House Bill No. 398

Respectfully report as follows: That House Bill No. 398

BE CONCURRED IN
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