

MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE
SENATE RULES COMMITTEE
January 8, 1983

The first meeting of the Senate Rules Committee was called to order by its Chairman, Senator Frank W. Hazelbaker, on the above date in Room 331, at 9:25 A.M.

ROLL CALL:

All members were present.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1:

A RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
TO ADOPT RULES TO GOVERN ITS PROCEEDINGS IN
ADDITION TO THE JOINT RULES.
(Introduced by Senator Hazelbaker)

The above resolution has to do with the reprinting of the rules. Diana Dowling, Executive Director of the Legislative Council, remarked that no changes have been made in the language of this resolution.

DISPOSITION OF SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1:

Senator Jean A. Turnage moved that the resolution DO PASS, and the motion carried unanimously.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1:

A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA TO ADOPT
JOINT RULES TO GOVERN THEIR PROCEEDINGS.
(Introduced by Senator Hazelbaker)

It was pointed out by Diana Dowling, Executive Director of the Legislative Council, that the only new material in the joint resolution was on page 35, lines 13 through 18, which read as follows:

"(4) If the legislature is not in session when the governor vetoes a bill, he shall return the bill with his reasons therefor to the legislature as provided by law. The legislature may be polled on a bill approved by two-thirds of the members present or reconvened to reconsider any bill so vetoed. (Montana Constitution, Art. VI, Sec. 10.)"

DISPOSITION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1:

Senator Turnage moved that Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 DO PASS, and the motion carried unanimously.

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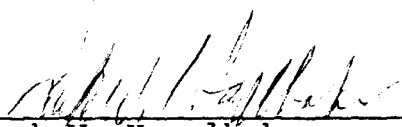
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Chairman, Senator Hazelbaker, advised that SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5 was not ready for action at this time, and that it will be considered at a later date.

IN INFORMAL DISCUSSION, Senator Chet Blaylock brought up the matter of the moving of the Senate chambers. This discussion was concluded with the statement that a Supreme Court decision said that the Senate has the right to decide where it should sit.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:42 A.M.



Frank W. Hazelbaker,
Chairman, Rules Committee

COMMITTEE

Date 1-8-83

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RULES COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE ON

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DATE

1/8/83

Present	Absent	Name of Member	Aye	No	Not Voting
		Hazelbaker	✓		
		Aklestad	✓		
		Stephens	✓		
		Turnage	✓		
		Blaylock	✓		
		Regan	✓		
		Towe	✓		

RULES COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE ON 5 JR-1 DATE 1/8/83

Present	Absent	Name of Member	Aye	No	Not Voting
		Hazelbaker	✓		
		Aklestad	✓		
		Stephens	✓		
		Turnage	✓		
		Blaylock	✓		
		Regan	✓		
		Towe	✓		