

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 55th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE & CLAIMS

Call to Order: By CHAIRMAN CHUCK SWYSGOOD, on February 21, 1997,
at 9:07 a.m., in Room 108.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Charles "Chuck" Swysgood, Chairman (R)
Sen. Thomas F. Keating, Vice Chairman (R)
Sen. Larry Baer (R)
Sen. Thomas A. "Tom" Beck (R)
Sen. James H. "Jim" Burnett (R)
Sen. B.F. "Chris" Christiaens (D)
Sen. Eve Franklin (D)
Sen. Loren Jenkins (R)
Sen. Greg Jergeson (D)
Sen. Dale Mahlum (R)
Sen. Ken Miller (R)
Sen. Arnie A. Mohl (R)
Sen. Linda J. Nelson (D)
Sen. Mike Taylor (R)
Sen. Daryl Toews (R)
Sen. Mignon Waterman (D)

Members Excused: Sen. John "J.D." Lynch (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Taryn Purdy, Legislative Fiscal Division
Sharon Cummings, Committee Secretary

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and
discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s) & Date(s) Posted: None
Executive Action: None

DISCUSSION ON SB 267

CHAIRMAN SWYSGOOD I'd like to extend my thanks to the members of this committee for the work they have done in the subcommittees. I've received clearance from leadership to make SB 267 a revenue bill so we won't have to meet the transmittal deadline. My intention is to set up a subcommittee as there are some parts of SB 267 that need to be examined.

This subcommittee will not do anything until after transmittal as we have a full calendar. I'd like the members of the subcommittee to start meeting on this as soon as possible.

Subcommittee members are:

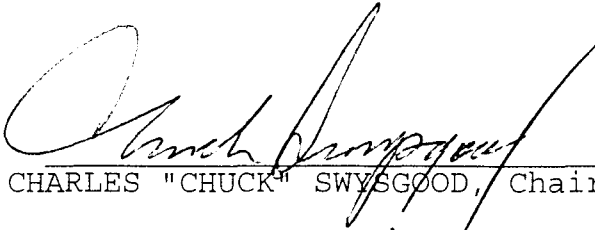
- SEN. TOM BECK, CHAIRMAN
- SEN. ARNIE MOHL
- SEN. DALE MAHLUM
- SEN. CHRIS CHRISTIAENS
- SEN. LINDA NELSON

I expect SEN. TOM KEATING to be there as deliberations are done.

We are scheduled to start hearing house bills on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 4 & 5 at 8:00 a.m. It is my intention to hear bills as fast as we can so we don't have a backlog in this committee.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 9:10 a.m.


SEN. CHARLES "CHUCK" SWYSGOOD, Chairman


SHARON CUMMINGS, Secretary

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