

FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL 119

April 19, 1985

The Free Conference Committee on SB 119 was called to order by Chairman Tom Towe at 11:40 a.m. April 19, 1985 in room 415 of the Capitol Building, Helena, Montana.

ROLL CALL: All members of the committee were present. Those members being, Representatives Dorothy Bradley, Jan Brown, Ed Grady and Jesse O'Hara and Senators Thomas Towe, Bob Brown and Dorothy Eck.

SENATOR ECK expressed the concern in SB 119 in that the payment paid to the department for child support has their fee added onto it and is not taken from it. We need a system where the person obligated gets a share and the department gets a portion in case of partial payment.

A discussion was continued and there was mention of pro-rating the fee.

An amendment was proposed as follows:

Page 2, line 20.

Following: "DEDUCT"

Strike: remainder of the sentence

Insert: "a percentage of the total sum collected which represents the department's standard proportion."

Senator Eck moved the amendments. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 11:50 a.m.



SENATOR TOM TOWE, Chairman