

**MINUTES OF THE
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE
ROOM 225, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING**

January 22, 1998

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Nora B. Stephens, Chair
 Rep. Bryan Holladay, Vice Chair
 Rep. Mary Carlson
 Rep. Margaret Dayton
 Rep. Robert H.M. Killpack
 Rep. Carl R. Saunders
 Rep. Raymond Short
 Rep. Richard L. Walsh

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Loretta Baca
 Rep. Gene Davis
 Rep. J.W. "Bill" Hickman

STAFF PRESENT: Mark Andrews, Research Analyst
 Janetha W. Hancock, Associate General Counsel
 Betty M. Bushman, Secretary

OTHERS PRESENT: (List of visitors on file)

. The meeting began at 8:05 a.m. with Vice Chair Holladay conducting.

Minutes of the January 20, 1998 meeting were approved with one correction. On page 3 Chair Stephens requested that under the discussion of H.B. 251 the full name of Representative Gene Davis be included. The motion passed unanimously with Representatives Dayton and Walsh absent for the vote.

H.B. 78 TESTING PERIOD FOR HEARING AIDS
 - Representative Loraine T. Pace

Representative Pace explained the bill to the committee.

Keith Woodwell, Associate General Counsel, Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel, answered questions of committee members regarding the bill.

MOTION: Representative Short moved that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 6, Line 18: Delete lines 18 through 19.

The motion passed unanimously with Representatives Dayton and Walsh absent for the vote.

Marsha Simons-McCandless, Audiology Clinic Director - University of Utah, C. Rex Scott, Audiology Associates, Corey Rowley, Legislative Coalition for People With Disabilities, and Garr Crookston, Audiologist spoke in support of the bill.

Merl Thurgood, Utah Hearing Aid Society, spoke in opposition to the bill.

MOTION: Representative Short made a motion that the committee move to the next item on the agenda.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION: Representative Stephens moved that the bill be passed out favorably as amended. The motion passed with Representative Short voting no.

H.B. 176 EMERGENCY INJECTION FOR ANAPHYLACTIC REACTION
- Representative Margaret Dayton

Representative Dayton introduced amendments to the bill.

MOTION: Representative Dayton moved that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Page 2, Lines 19-20: After "designated by" delete "a" and insert "the school district physician, the medical director of the" and delete "or the bureau or division within the department that oversees" and insert ", or the local" and after "services" insert "director"
2. Page 3, Line 3: After "from" insert "the school district physician," and insert a comma after "department"
3. Page 3, Line 4: Delete "bureau or division within the department that oversees" and insert "local" and after "services" insert "director"

The motion passed passed unanimously with Representative Saunders absent for the vote.

Representative Dayton explained the bill to the committee with the assistance of Dr. Joseph Miner, Director of Public Health - Utah County, and Dr. Brian Shiozawe, President - Utah Chapter of Emergency Physicians.

MOTION: Representative Dayton moved that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, Line 18: After "personnel" insert "who volunteers"

The motion passed unanimously.

Utah Tomorrow Presentation

Senator Joseph Hull gave a presentation of the portion of "Utah Tomorrow" dealing with health and human services issues. Ms. Robin Arnold-Williams, Director, Department of Human Services, responded to questions of the committee regarding measures of performance by the department.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Rep. Nora B. Stephens
Committee Chair

Rep. Bryan D. Holladay
Vice Chair