

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE STATE AND LOCAL AFFAIRS
STANDING COMMITTEE
THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1998
ROOM 414, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING**

Members Present: Sen. Mont Evans, Chair
Sen. LeRay McAllister
Sen. Robert Muhlestein
Sen. Craig Peterson
Sen. Millie Peterson
Sen. Blaze Wharton

Staff Present: Richard North, Research Analyst
Crelley Mackey, Secretary

List of other present on file.

Committee chair Evans called the meeting to order at 2:20 p.m.

1. S.B. 82, MASTER DEEDS OF TRUST OR MORTGAGES (L Hillyard)

MOTION: Sen. Wharton moved that the committee pass SB 82 out favorably. The motion passed unanimously. Sens. C. Peterson and M. Peterson were absent at the time of voting.

MOTION: Sen. Wharton moved that the committee accept the passed out amendment as follows:

1. Page 1, Lines 9-10: Delete lines 9-10
2. Page 5, Line 16: Delete line 16
3. Page 5, Line 17: Delete “(b)” and insert “(a)”
4. Page 5, Line 18: Delete “(c)” and insert “(b)”
5. Page 5, Line 23: After “beneficiary:” delete “and”
6. Page 5, Line 24: After “(b)” insert “contain an acknowledgment, proof, or certification; and (c)”
7. Page 7, Lines 14-27: Delete lines 14-27

Renumber remaining sections accordingly

The motion passed unanimously. Sens. C. Peterson and M. Peterson were absent at the time of voting.

2. S.B. 85, REAUTHORIZATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (H. Stephenson)

Sen. Stephenson introduced SB 85 to the committee.

Kent Bishop, Governor’s Office; spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Wharton moved that the committee pass SB 85 out favorably. The motion passed unanimously. Sens. C. Peterson and McAllister were absent at the time of the voting.

3. S.B. 86, ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AMENDMENTS (H. Stephenson)

Sen. Stephenson introduced SB 86 to the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Wharton moved that the committee pass SB 86 out favorably.

Kent Bishop, Governor's Office; suggested an amendment to SB 86.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION: Sen. M. Peterson made a substitute motion that SB 86 receive further study by the committee. The motion was withdrawn. The committee returned to the original motion by Sen. Wharton and passed the bill out favorably.

4. **S.J.R. 5, RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING DEVELOPMENT OF ELECTRONIC VOTING (S. Howell)**

Sen. Howell introduced and explained SJR 5 to the committee.

Committee discussion followed.

Public discussion followed. Speaking with concern about the bill were: Margaret Christensen, citizen; Vernon Carr; Carr Printing

MOTION: Sen. M. Peterson moved that the committee pass SJR 5 out favorably. The motion passed with Sen. Muhlestein voting against the motion. Sen. C Peterson was absent at the time of voting

4. **S.J.R. 7, RESOLUTION AMENDING THE DATE OF GENERAL LEGISLATIVE SESSION (S. Howell)**

Senator Howell introduced and explained SJR 7 to the committee

Committee discussion followed.

MOTION: Sen. M. Peterson moved that the committee pass SJR 7 out favorably. The motion passed with Sen. Muhlestein voting against the motion. Sen. C. Peterson was absent at the time of voting.

5. **S.J.R. 6, RESOLUTION AMENDING SPECIAL SESSIONS (L. Blackham)**

Sen. Blackham introduced and explained SJR 7 to the committee

Committee discussion followed.

Public Discussion followed. Speaking against the bill were Gary Doxey, Governor's Office; Sandy Peck, League of women's Voters.

MOTION: Sen. Craig Peterson moved that the committee pass SJR 6 out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. C. Peterson moved to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 3:20 p.m.

Minutes reported by Crelley Mackey

Sen. Mont Evans
Committee Chair

