

**MINUTES OF THE HOUSE
WORKFORCE SERVICES AND COMMUNITY
AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STANDING COMMITTEE
Room 225 - State Capitol Building**

February 14, 2003

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. David N. Cox, Chair
Rep. Peggy Wallace, Vice Chair
Rep. Gregory H. Hughes
Rep. Dana C. Love
Rep. LaWanna Shurtliff

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Jeff Alexander
Rep. Brent H. Goodfellow
Rep. Steven R. Mascaro
Rep. Karen W. Morgan

STAFF PRESENT: Ms. Jami Momberger, Policy Analyst
Ms. Linda Error, House Secretary

VISITORS: List of visitors filed with committee report

Chair Cox called the meeting to order at 2:05 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Shurtliff moved to approve the minutes of the February 13, 2003 meeting.
The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Wallace absent for the vote.

H.B. 19 Employment Security Act Modifications (*M. Newbold*)

Rep. Newbold explained the bill with the assistance of Christopher Love, Director of Unemployment Insurance Division, Department of Workforce Services.

MOTION: Rep. Love moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 1, Line 7: After "**unemployment**" insert "**compensation**"
2. Page 1, Line 20: After "additional" insert "unemployment compensation"
3. Page 1, Line 21: After "benefits." insert "hereafter referred to in this section as
"additional benefits.""

4. Page 3, Line 63: After "(c)" delete "additional" and insert "extended"
5. Page 3, Line 64: After "(d)" delete "extended" and insert "additional"
6. Page 3, Lines 67-68: After "(8)(a) delete the rest of lines 67-68 and insert "The division may not charge a contributing base employer's account with any portion of additional benefits paid to an individual under this section."
7. Page 3, Line 77: After "additional" insert "unemployment compensation"

Spoke for the bill: Jim Olson, Retail Merchants Association
Tom Bingham, Utah Manufacturers Association
Bill Crim, Executive Director, Utah Issues

MOTION: Rep. Love moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Rep. Shurtliff moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Cox adjourned the meeting at 2:16 p.m.

Rep. David N.Cox, Chair