

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE REVENUE AND TAXATION
STANDING COMMITTEE
Room W135 - West Office Building, State Capitol Complex**

February 15, 2005

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Wayne A. Harper, Chair
 Rep. Glen A. Donnelson, Vice Chair
 Rep. Sheryl L. Allen
 Rep. Craig A. Frank
 Rep. Fred R. Hunsaker
 Rep. Bradley G. Last
 Rep. Joseph G. Murray
 Rep. Merlynn T. Newbold
 Rep. Patrick L. Painter
 Rep. Gordon E. Snow
 Rep. Tim M. Cosgrove
 Rep. Roz McGee
 Rep. Ross I. Romero

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Rebecca Lockhart
 Rep. Carol Spackman Moss

STAFF: Bryant Howe, Assistant Director
 Crystal Hermanson, Secretary

Note: A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Rep. Harper called the meeting to order at 9:16 a.m.

MOTION: Rep. Snow moved to approve the minutes of the February 11, 2005 meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

H.B. 96 Amendments Relating to Clean Fuels and Vehicles Using Clean Fuels (*Rep. F. Hunsaker*)

Rep. Hunsaker introduced the bill and explained its intent. Chaz Blakemore, Nicholas Ange, Annaka Selk, Lara Taranova, and Christopher Gordon from Morningside Elementary, and Kelly Hammerer, Utah Clean Cities, spoke for the bill. Craig Bickmore, Utah Auto Dealers Association, and Joe Thomas, Mobile Source Manager, Division of Air Quality, Department of Environmental Quality, spoke to the bill.

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

1. *Page 14, Lines 400 through 405:*

400 (2) The HOV lane exception [~~for clean fuel special group license plate vehicles~~] in
401 Subsection {~~41-6-53.5(5)~~} 41-6a-702(5) is repealed December 31, [~~2005~~] 2010.
402 Section 8. Effective date -- Retrospective operation.
403 (1) Except as provided in Subsections (2) and (3), this bill takes effect on May 2,
404 2005.
404 (2) Notwithstanding Subsection (1), the amendments to Section
405 {~~41-6-53.5~~} 41-6a-702(5) take effect
on July 1, 2005.

The motion passed unanimously with Rep. McGee absent for the vote.

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

S.B. 53 Land Value Property Tax Study (Sen. H. Stephenson)

Sen. Stephenson introduced the bill and explained its intent.

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

S.B. 121 Property Tax Exemption Amendments (Sen. C. Bramble)

Sen. Bramble introduced the bill and explained its intent.

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

S.B. 125 Amendments to Individual Income Tax Credit for Special Needs Adoptions (Sen. P. Hellewell)

Sen. Hellewell introduced the bill and explained its intent.

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

MOTION: Rep. McGee moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Rep. Harper adjourned the meeting at 10:15 a.m.