

**MINUTES OF THE HOUSE BUSINESS AND LABOR
STANDING COMMITTEE**
Room W010, West Office Building, State Capitol Complex
January 29, 2008

Members Present: Rep. Stephen D. Clark, Chair
Rep. Jim Dunnigan, Vice Chair
Rep. Jackie Biskupski
Rep. Carl W. Duckworth
Rep. Ben Ferry
Rep. Gage Froerer
Rep. Kevin Garn
Rep. Neil A Hansen
Rep. Todd E. Kiser
Rep. Michael T. Morley
Rep. Paul Neuenschwander
Rep. Mark Walker

Members Absent: Rep. David Clark

Staff Present: Allison Nicholson, Policy Analyst
Linda Error, Committee Secretary

Note: List of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with committee minutes.

Chair S. Clark called the meeting to order at 8:15 a.m.

MOTION: Rep. Garn moved to approve the minutes of the January 25, 2008 meeting. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Dunnigan, Rep. Ferry, Rep. Froerer, Rep. Morley, and Rep. Walker absent for the vote.

H.B. 144 Motor Vehicle Insurance Amendments (*Rep. T. Kiser*)

Rep. Kiser introduced the bill to the committee with the assistance of Chris Purcell, State Farm Insurance.

Spoke for the bill: Steve Sullivan, Utah Trial Lawyers Association

MOTION: Rep. Garn moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Ferry and Rep. Walker absent for the vote.

MOTION: Rep. Hansen moved to place H.B. 144 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Ferry and Rep. Walker absent for the vote.

H.B. 301 Comprehensive Health Insurance Pool Amendments (*Rep. J. Dunnigan*)

Rep. Dunnigan introduced the bill to the committee with the assistance of Tomi Ossana, Executive Director, Utah Health Insurance Pool.

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

1. Page2, Lines 50 through 55
 - 50 (5) "Health benefit plan":
 - 51 (a) is defined in Section 31A-1-301; and
 - 52 (b) does not include a plan that:
 - 53 (i) (A) has a maximum actuarial value less that 100% of the basic health care
plan; or
 - 54 ~~{(fi)}~~ (B) has a maximum annual limit of \$100,000 or less;
~~{or}~~ and
 - 55 ~~{(fii)}~~ (ii) meets other criteria established by the board.

The motion to amend passed unanimously, with Rep. Ferry, Rep. Kiser, and Rep. Walker absent for the vote.

Spoke for the bill: Kent Michie, Commissioner, Utah Insurance Department

MOTION: Rep. Froerer moved to pass the bill out favorably as amended. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Ferry, Rep. Kiser, and Rep. Walker absent for the vote.

H.J.R. 1 Resolution Addressing International Trade Issues (*Rep. S. Allen*)

Rep. Allen introduced the resolution to the committee.

MOTION: Rep. Morley moved to pass the resolution out favorably. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Ferry, Rep. Hansen, and Rep. Walker absent for the vote.

MOTION: Rep. Biskupski moved to place HJR 1 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Ferry, Rep. Hansen, and Rep Walker absent for the vote.

H.B. 83 Securities Amendments (*Rep. J. Bird*)

Rep. Bird introduced the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Gary Teran, President, First Western Advisors
 Mark Pugsley, attorney, Ray Quinney and Nebeker
 Rep. Carl Wimmer, Utah House of Representatives

Spoke to the bill: Francine Gianni, Executive Director, Utah Department of Commerce
 Tim Osterstock, Legislative Auditor General's Office

Chair S. Clark relinquished the chair to Vice Chair Dunnigan.

MOTION: Rep. Morley moved to pass the bill out favorably.

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MOTION: Rep. Biskupski moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion failed with Rep. Biskupski, Rep. Dunnigan, Rep. Hansen, and Rep. Kiser voting in favor.

The original motion to pass the bill out favorably passed, with Rep. Biskupski and Rep. Dunnigan voting in opposition. Rep. S. Clark was absent for the vote.

MOTION: Rep. Morley moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. S. Clark absent for the vote.

Vice Chair Dunnigan adjourned the meeting at 9:50 a.m.

Rep. Stephen D. Clark, Chair