

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS STANDING COMMITTEE
ROOM W010, WEST OFFICE BUILDING, STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX
February 5, 2008**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Glenn A. Donnelson, Chair
 Rep. John G. Mathis, Vice Chair
 Rep. Douglas C. Aagard
 Rep. DeMar "Bud" Bowman
 Rep. Lorie D. Fowlke
 Rep. Keith Grover
 Rep. Neil A. Hansen
 Rep. Neal B. Hendrickson
 Rep. Eric K. Hutchings
 Rep. Curt Oda
 Rep. Larry B. Wiley

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Ron Bigelow

STAFF PRESENT: Benjamin N. Christensen, Policy Analyst
 Karen Mitchell, Committee Secretary

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

Rep. Mathis called the meeting to order at 8:32 a.m.

MOTION: Rep. Hansen moved to approve the minutes of the February 1, 2008 meeting.
 The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Oda absent for the vote.

H.B. 75 Inventory and Review of Commercial Activities (*Rep. C. Frank*)

MOTION: Rep. Grover moved to replace H.B.75 with **1st Sub. H.B. 75**. The motion passed
 unanimously with Rep. Oda absent for the vote.

Rep. Frank explained the bill to the committee.

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

1. Page 2, Line 29:

29 { ~~63-55d-103, Utah Code Annotated 1953~~ }

2. Page 5, Lines 132 through 137:

132 { ~~Section 3. Section 63-55d-103 is enacted to read:~~

133 ~~63-55d-103. Exemptions.~~

134 ~~—This chapter does not apply to a transportation related project initiated~~
~~pursuant to Title~~

135 ~~72, Transportation Code.~~}

136 Section ~~{4}~~ 3 . Section **63-55d-201**, which is renumbered from Section
63-55a-2 is

137 renumbered and amended to read:

The motion passed unanimously.

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

1. Page 1, Line 14:

14 {→ ~~addresses the membership of the board;~~}

2. Page 5, Lines 147 through 148:

147 {+} (iii) two members {+}

148 ~~{(iii) one member}~~ representing public employees, from names recommended
by the

3. Page 6, Lines 151 through 166:

151 (v) {+} five {+} ~~{seven}~~ members from the private business
community;

152 {+} (vi) one member representing education; {+}

153 {+} (vii) {+} ~~{(vi)}~~ one member representing the Utah League of
Cities and Towns from names

154 recommended by the ~~[league]~~ Utah League of Cities or Towns; and

155 {+} (viii) {+} ~~{(vii)}~~ one member representing the Utah Association of
Counties from names

156 recommended by the ~~[association]~~ Utah Association of Counties.

157 (2) (a) Except as required by Subsection (2)(b), ~~[board members]~~ a board member:

158 (i) appointed under Subsection (1)(b)(i) or (ii) shall serve a two-year term; and

159 (ii) appointed under Subsections (1)(b)(iii) through ~~{(vii)}~~ (viii) shall serve
a four-year [terms]

160 term.

161 (b) Notwithstanding the requirements of Subsection (2)(a), the governor shall, at the
162 time of appointment or reappointment, adjust the length of terms to ensure that the terms
of

163 board members are staggered so that approximately half of the board is appointed every
two

164 years.

165 ~~{(c) The governor shall on or before July 1, 2008 change the appointments to
the board~~

166 ~~to reflect the membership requirements of Subsection (1)(b). }~~

The motion failed with Rep. Bowman, Rep. Fowlke, Rep. Hansen, and Rep. Hendrickson voting for the motion.

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

1. Page 8, Line 222:

222 (B) would result in cost savings; and =

(C) would result in equal or better quality of a good or service; and

The motion passed unanimously.

Spoke to the bill: Linda Hull, UDOT

Spoke for the bill: Robin Riggs, VP Salt Lake Chamber
G. W. Leonard, USEA

MOTION: Rep. Hutchings moved to proceed to the next item on the agenda. The motion passed unanimously.

H.B. 231 Local Voter Information Pamphlet Amendments (Rep. D. Aagard)

Rep. Aagard explained the bill to the committee.

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

MOTION: Rep. Wiley moved to place the bill on the consent calendar. The motion passed unanimously.

H.B. 292 Legislative Task Force to Study Radio Communication System in Utah (Rep. B. Dee)

Rep. Dee explained the bill to the committee, and distributed a handout.

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Spoke for the bill: Steven Proctor, Utah Comm. Agency Network
Wally McCormick, Citizen
Steve Fletcher, State CIO

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

H.R. 2 House Resolution Calling for Withdrawal from Nafta (Rep. G. Donnelson)

Rep. Donnelson explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Steve George, Citizen who distributed a handout to the committee
Ann Turner, Citizen

Spoke against the bill: Tom Bingham, President Utah Manufactures Assn.

MOTION: Rep. Hutchings moved to pass the bill out favorably. The bill passed with Rep. Hendrickson voting in opposition, and Rep. Fowlke absent for the vote.

MOTION: Rep. Grover moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Fowlke absent for the vote.

Rep. Donnelson adjourned the meeting at 9:58 a.m.

Rep. Glenn Donnelson, Chair