

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
STANDING COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2008
ROOM C250, WEST OFFICE BUILDING, STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX**

Members Present: Sen. D. Chris Buttars, Chair
Sen. Allen M. Christensen
Sen. Brent H. Goodfellow
Sen. Scott D. McCoy

Member Excused: Sen. Peter C. Knudson

Staff Present: Mark D. Andrews, Policy Analyst
Nedra B. Duzett, Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Isabel Rojas, Coordinator, Comunidades Unidas, Multi-Cultural Health Network
Robert Kaghoo, Volunteer, Multi-Cultural Health Network
Rod Marrelli, Executive Director, State Tax Commission
Deborah Turner, Utah Department of Health

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

Committee Chair Buttars called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

1. **H.B. 131S3 Community Based Self Sufficiency Grants** (*Rep. J. Seelig*)

Rep. Seelig explained the bill.

Isabel Rojas, Coordinator, Comunidades Unidas, Multi-Cultural Health Network, and Robert Kaghoo, Volunteer, Multi-Cultural Health Network, spoke in support of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Goodfellow moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously.

2. **S.B. 255 Hospital Lien** (*D. Peterson*)

The sponsor requested that the committee either hold the bill or send it back to the Rules Committee.

MOTION: Sen. Christensen moved that the committee go to the next item on the agenda.

The motion passed unanimously.

3. **H.B. 307 Cancer Screening and Mortality Reduction Special Group License Plate**
(*Rep. C. Moss*)

Rep. Moss explained the bill.

The following spoke in support of the bill:

Michael Syler, American Cancer Society
Deborah Turner, Utah Department of Health

Rod Marrelli, Executive Director, State Tax Commission, recommended that the Legislature review its policy on special group license plates.

MOTION: Sen. McCoy moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed with Sen. Christensen voting in opposition.

MOTION: Sen. McCoy moved to adjourn.

Committee Chair Butters adjourned the meeting at 9:35 a.m.

Minutes reported by Nedra Duzett, Secretary.

D. Chris Buttars, Committee Chair