

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS &
POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS STANDING COMMITTEE
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2009, 2:00 P.M.
ROOM 415 STATE CAPITOL**

Members Present: Sen. Peter C. Knudson, Chair
 Sen. John Greiner
 Sen. Scott K. Jenkins
 Sen. Dan Liljenquist
 Sen. Scott D. McCoy
 Sen. Luz Robles

Members Absent: Sen. Greg Bell

Staff Present: Rich North, Policy Analyst
 Jean Butler, Committee Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Clinton Topham, Pres., American Assoc. of Engineering .
 Robert Scow, Pleasant Grove
 Linda Hull, Utah Department of Transportation

Approval of Minutes:

MOTION: Sen. Jenkins moved that the Minutes of February 5, 2009, be approved.

The motion passed 5 - 0 - 2 with Sens. McCoy and Robles absent from the vote.

1. **SB0124 Indemnification for Design Professional Services** (G. Bell)

MOTION: Sen. Bell moved that SB0124 be deleted in title and body and replaced with SB0124 2nd Substitute..

The motion carried with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2. Sens. McCoy and Robles were absent.

Sen. Bell introduced the 2nd Substitute.

Clinton Topham, American Association of Engineering Companies, spoke for the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Liljenquist moved that SB0124 2nd Substitute be passed out favorably.

The motion passed 5 - 0 - 2 with Sens. McCoy and Robles absent.

2. **SB0060 Districts Providing Service to Taxed Properties** (M. Waddoups)

Sen. Waddoups asked the bill be held.

MOTION: Sen. Jenkins moved SB0060 be held.

The motion was passed 5 - 0 - 2 with Sens. McCoy and Robles absent from the vote.

3. **SB0073 Unincorporated Areas Amendments** (K. Mayne)

Sen. Mayne requested her bill not be heard today.

4. **SB0164 In person Voter Registration** (S. McCoy)

Sen. McCoy presented the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Robles moved the bill be passed out favorably.

The motion passed 7 - 0 - 0.

5. **SB0064 Administrative Rules Review Committee** (H. Stephenson)

Sen. Stephenson presented the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Greiner moved the bill be passed out favorably.

The motion passed 7 - 0 - 0.

6. **HB0257 Political Subdivision Clerk Amendments** (M. Newbold)

Rep. Newbold presented the bill.

MOTION: Sen. McCoy moved the bill be passed out favorably.

The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0 - 0.

MOTION: Sen McCoy moved the bill be placed on the Consent Calendar.

The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0 - 0.

6. **SB0083 Condemnation Amendments** (D. Stowell)

MOTION: Sen. Robles moved SB0083 be replaced with 2nd Substitute SB0083.

The motion passed with a 7 - 0 - 0 vote.

MOTION: Sen. Robles moved the adoption of amendment No. 1 under Sen. Stowell's name.

1. Page 2, Line 45: After "domain action but with" delete "the expectation that the condemnor would" and insert "formal action having been taken by the condemnor indicting an intent to"

The motion passed with a 7 - 0 - 0 vote.

Sen. Stowell presented 2nd Sub. SB0083 as amended.

Robert Scow, Farmer from Pleasant Grove, spoke for the bill.

Linda Hull, Utah Department of Transportation spoke for the bill.

MOTION: Sen. McCoy moved to place the bill on Hold until all questions are answered
and to move to the next item on the agenda.

The motion passed 6 - 0 - 1 with Sen. Bell absent from the vote.

HB0258 Amendments to Notice Provisions for Subdivision Changes (K Powell)

Rep. Powell was not available. Sen. Liljenquist presented the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Liljenquist moved the bill be passed out favorably.

The motion passed 5 - 0 - 2 with Sens. Bell and Jenkins absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Liljenquist moved the bill be placed on the Consent Calendar.

The motion passed 5 - 0 - 2 with Sens. Bell and Jenkins absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Liljenquist moved the meeting be adjourned.

The motion passed 5 - 0 - 2 with Sens. Bell and Jenkins absent for the vote.

Chair Knudson adjourned the meeting at 3:25 p.m.

The minutes were reported by Jean Butler, Committee Secretary.

Senator Peter Knudson, Committee Chair