

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE REVENUE AND TAXATION
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Room 445 - State Capitol

February 4, 2013

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Ryan Wilcox, Chair
Rep. Jim Nielson, Vice Chair
Rep. Jake Anderegg
Rep. Joel Briscoe
Rep. Tim Cosgrove
Rep. Steve Eliason
Rep. Gage Froerer
Rep. Francis Gibson
Rep. Eric Hutchings
Rep. Brian King
Rep. John Knotwell
Rep. Kay McIff
Rep. Doug Sagers
Rep. Jon Stanard
Rep. Earl Tanner

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Rep. Mel Brown

STAFF PRESENT: Mr. Phil Dean, Policy Analyst
Ms. An Bradshaw, Secretary

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

Chair Wilcox called the meeting to order at 4:08 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Nielson moved to approve the minutes of the Jan. 30, 2013 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Hutchings, Rep. McIff, and Rep. Sagers absent for the vote.

H.B. 67 Personal Property Taxation Revisions (*Rep. G. Froerer*)

Rep. Froerer introduced the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Mr. Paul Smith, Utah Apartment Association
 Mr. Royce Van Tassell, Utah Taxpayers Association

Spoke to the bill: Mr. John Ulibarri, Weber County Assessor
 Mr. Lee Gardner, Salt Lake County Assessor

MOTION: Rep. Gibson moved to pass the bill out favorably as amended on Jan. 30, 2013. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Briscoe and Rep. Sagers absent for the vote.

H.B. 74 Property Tax Modifications (Rep. J. Mathis)

Rep. Mathis requested that HB74 be replaced with 1st Sub HB74.

MOTION: Rep. Nielson moved to replace HB74 with 1st Sub. HB74. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Sagers absent for the vote.

1st Sub. H.B. 74 Property Tax Modifications (Rep. J. Mathis)

Rep. Mathis introduced the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Mr. Kent Peatross, Duchesne County Commissioner
Mr. Michael McKee, Uintah County Commissioner
Mr. Sterling Brown, Utah Farm Bureau
Mr. Lee Peacock, Utah Petroleum Association

MOTION: Rep. Nielson made a motion to pass out 1st Sub HB74 favorably. The motion passed with Rep. Tanner voting in opposition and Rep. Sagers absent for the vote.

H.B. 84 Specie Legal Tender Amendments (Rep. M. Kennedy)

Rep. Kennedy introduced the bill to the committee with the assistance of Mr. Larry Hilton, citizen and Mr. Tim Irwin, Highland City Councilor. Handouts were provided.

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

1. Page 3, Line 89 through Page 4, Line 92:

- 89 (3) A government entity may not accept specie legal tender before {~~obtaining~~
90 ~~confirmation from the state auditor that~~} ~~establishing~~ the procedures the
government entity follows to hold,
91 secure, and account for the specie legal tender ~~that~~ are sufficient to allow for an audit
using
92 generally accepted auditing standards, including at a minimum:

The motion to amend passed favorably with Rep. Cosgrove, Rep. Hutchings, and Rep. Sagers absent for the vote.

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MOTION: Rep. Hutchings moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Briscoe, Rep. Cosgrove, and Rep. Sagers absent for the vote.

Chair Wilcox adjourned the meeting at 6:10 p.m.

Rep. Ryan Wilcox, Chair