

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURE, AND ENVIRONMENT
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Friday, February 3, 2017 • 2:00 pm • 445 State Capitol

Members Present:

Rep. Keven J. Stratton, Chair
Rep. Stewart E. Barlow, Vice Chair
Rep. Joel K. Briscoe
Rep. Scott H. Chew
Rep. Susan Duckworth
Rep. Stephen G. Handy
Rep. Timothy D. Hawkes
Rep. Derrin R. Owens
Rep. Douglas V. Sagers

Rep. Scott D. Sandall
Rep. Christine F. Watkins
Rep. Logan Wilde

Members Absent:

Rep. Michael E. Noel

Staff Present:

Mr. J Brian Allred, Policy Analyst
Ms. Linda Service, Committee Secretary

Note: A list of others present, a copy of related materials, and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at le.utah.gov.

Vice Chair Barlow called the meeting to order at 2:09 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Handy moved to approve the minutes of the January 26, 2017 and January 31, 2017 meetings. The motion passed with a vote of 8-0-5.

Yeas:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Sagers
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. C. Watkins

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. M. Noel
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. K. Stratton
Rep. L. Wilde

1. H.B. 58 Direct Food Sales Amendments (*Sandall, S.*)

Rep. Sandall explained the bill with the assistance of Mr. Scott Erickson, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Agriculture and Food.

MOTION: Rep. Wilde moved to amend H.B. 58 with Amendment #1 as follows:

1. Page 2, Lines 40 through 43:

- 40 (b) "Cottage food product" means a { ~~-baked good that is:~~
41 ~~—(i) produced at a cottage food operation; and~~
42 ~~—(ii) not a potentially hazardous food.—~~ } non-potentially hazardous baked
good, jam, jelly, or other non-potentially hazardous food produced in a home
kitchen.
- 43 (c) "Home kitchen" means a kitchen:

The motion passed with a vote of 11-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. D. Sagers
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. C. Watkins
Rep. L. Wilde

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. M. Noel
Rep. K. Stratton

MOTION: Rep. Hawkes moved to pass H.B. 58 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 11-0-2.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. D. Sagers
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. C. Watkins
Rep. L. Wilde

Rep. M. Noel
Rep. K. Stratton

MOTION: Rep. Chew moved to place H.B. 58 on the Consent Calendar.

Rep. Chew withdrew the motion.

2. H.C.R. 8 Concurrent Resolution Regarding the Volkswagen Settlement (*Hawkes, T.*)

Rep. Hawkes explained the bill.

Mr. Bryce Bird, Air Quality Director, Department of Environmental Quality, spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Handy moved to pass H.C.R. 8 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-3.

Yeas:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. D. Sagers
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. C. Watkins

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. M. Noel
Rep. K. Stratton
Rep. L. Wilde

3. H.B. 183 Emissions Settlement Amendments (*Hawkes, T.*)

Rep. Hawkes explained the bill assisted by Director Bird.

MOTION: Rep. Sandall moved to pass H.B. 183 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 11-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. D. Sagers
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. C. Watkins
Rep. L. Wilde

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. M. Noel
Rep. K. Stratton

4. S.B. 15 Agriculture Protection Area and Industrial Protection Area Amendments (*Dayton, M.*)

Sen. Dayton explained the bill assisted by Mr. Bill Lee, Utah County Commissioner.

Ms LuAnn Adams, Commissioner, Department of Agriculture and Food, spoke to the bill.

Mr. Sterling Brown, Utah Farm Bureau Federation, spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Owens moved to pass S.B. 15 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 12-0-1.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. D. Sagers
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. K. Stratton
Rep. C. Watkins
Rep. L. Wilde

Rep. M. Noel

MOTION: Rep. Sagers moved to place S.B. 15 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 12-0-1.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. D. Sagers
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. K. Stratton
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Rep. M. Noel

MOTION: Rep. Sagers moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 12-0-1.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. S. Barlow
Rep. J. Briscoe
Rep. S. Chew
Rep. S. Duckworth
Rep. S. Handy
Rep. T. Hawkes
Rep. D. Owens
Rep. D. Sagers
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Rep. M. Noel

Vice Chair Barlow adjourned the meeting at 3:02 p.m.

Rep. Keven J. Stratton, Chair