

**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Room 415, Utah State Capitol
February 13, 2014

Members Present: Sen. Margaret Dayton, Chair
Sen. Lyle W. Hillyard
Sen. Daniel W. Thatcher
Sen. Kevin T. Van Tassell

Members Excused: President Wayne L. Niederhauser
Sen. Luz Robles

Members Absent: Sen. Brian E. Shiozawa

Staff Present: Rich North, Policy Analyst
Karen C. Allred, Committee Secretary

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

Chair Dayton called the meeting to order at 4:05 a.m.

S.B. 86 Legislative per Diem Revision (*Sen. Hillyard*)

Sen. Hillyard explained the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Hillyard moved to pass S.B. 86 out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

1st Sub. H.B. 59 National Guard Program Amendments (*V. Peterson*)

Rep. Peterson explained the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to approve the minutes of the February 12 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Hillyard moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 2, Line 32:*

- (i) 32 [39-9-107](#), Utah Code Annotated 1953
39-9-108, Utah Code Annotated 1953

1. *Page 5, Line 124:*

124 applicable state and federal law.

Section 8. Section 39-9-108 is enacted to read:

39-9-108. State and local sales and use taxes.

(1) Program operations are not subject to direct taxation by state or local tax authorities.

(2) Retail sales within the program are not subject to state sales and use taxes.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

S.J.R. 8 Joint Resolution on Term of Appointed Lieutenant Governor (*S. Urquhart*)

Sen. Urquhart explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Mark Thomas, Lieutenant Governor's Office

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to replace S.J.R. 8 with 1st Sub. S.J.R. 8. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to place 1st Sub. S.J.R. 8 on the Consent Calendar.

Chair Dayton announced that **1st Sub. H.B. 245 State Fire Code Amendments (*J. Dunnigan*)** was moved to another committee.

H.B. 39 Election Law – Independent Expenditures Amendments (*D. Sagers*)

Sen. Vickers and Rep. Sagers explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill: Mark Thomas, Lieutenant Governor's Office

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard absent for the vote.

S.B. 47 Emergency Management Act Amendments (*W. Harper*) was not heard today.

1st Sub. H.J.R. 10 Joint Rules Resolution Regarding a Long-term Planning Conference (*B. Wilson*) was not heard today.

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard absent for the vote.

Chair Dayton adjourned the meeting at 4:30 p.m.

Sen. Margaret Dayton, Chair