

**MINUTES OF THE  
HOUSE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS STANDING COMMITTEE**

Tuesday , January 30, 2018 • 4:00 p.m. • 450 State Capitol

**Members Present:**

Rep. Dixon M. Pitcher, Chair  
Rep. Craig Hall, Vice Chair  
Rep. Val K. Potter  
Rep. Marie H. Poulson  
Rep. Susan Pulsipher  
Rep. Marc K. Roberts  
Rep. Raymond P. Ward  
Rep. R. Curt Webb  
Rep. Elizabeth Weight

Rep. Logan Wilde

**Members Absent:**

Rep. James A. Dunnigan  
Rep. Keith Grover  
Rep. Karen Kwan

**Staff Present:**

Ms. Megan L. Bolin, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Katiemarie Harmon, Committee Secretary

Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at [www.le.utah.gov](http://www.le.utah.gov).

Chair Pitcher called the meeting to order at 4:09 p.m.

**MOTION:** Rep. Hall moved to approve the minutes. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0 - 6 .

Yeas-7

Rep. C. Hall  
Rep. D. Pitcher  
Rep. V. Potter  
Rep. M. Poulson  
Rep. M. Roberts  
Rep. R. Webb  
Rep. L. Wilde

Nays-0

Absent-6

Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. K. Grover  
Rep. K. Kwan  
Rep. S. Pulsipher  
Rep. R. Ward  
Rep. E. Weight

**1 . H.B. 208 Utah National Guard Amendments (Peterson, V.)**

Rep. Val Peterson presented the bill with the assistance of Tyler Smith, Director, Utah National Guard.

**MOTION:** Rep. Roberts moved to amend H.B. 208 with Amendment #1. The motion passed with a vote of 9 - 0 - 4 .

Amendment 1  
H.B. 208

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78 declared their intention to become citizens, who are {~~18~~} 17 years of age with parental consent or older and younger than

79 {~~45~~} 66 years of age, who are residents of this state, constitute the militia, subject to the following

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100 (1) The governor by virtue of {~~his~~} the governor's office shall be commander in chief of the Utah

Yeas-9

Rep. C. Hall  
Rep. D. Pitcher  
Rep. V. Potter  
Rep. M. Poulson

Nays-0

Absent-4

Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. K. Grover  
Rep. K. Kwan  
Rep. S. Pulsipher

Rep. M. Roberts

Rep. R. Ward

Rep. R. Webb

Rep. E. Weight

Rep. L. Wilde

**MOTION:** Rep. Webb moved to pass H.B. 208, as amended, out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 9 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-9

Rep. C. Hall

Rep. D. Pitcher

Rep. V. Potter

Rep. M. Poulson

Rep. M. Roberts

Rep. R. Ward

Rep. R. Webb

Rep. E. Weight

Rep. L. Wilde

Nays-0

Absent-4

Rep. J. Dunnigan

Rep. K. Grover

Rep. K. Kwan

Rep. S. Pulsipher

**MOTION:** Rep. Roberts moved to place H.B. 208, as amended, on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 9 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-9

Rep. C. Hall

Rep. D. Pitcher

Rep. V. Potter

Rep. M. Poulson

Rep. M. Roberts

Rep. R. Ward

Rep. R. Webb

Rep. E. Weight

Rep. L. Wilde

Nays-0

Absent-4

Rep. J. Dunnigan

Rep. K. Grover

Rep. K. Kwan

Rep. S. Pulsipher

**2 . S.B. 24 Local Government Indigent Defense Requirement (*Thatcher, D.*)**

Sen. Daniel W. Thatcher presented the bill.

Adam Trupp, Chief Executive Officer, Utah Association of Counties, spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Rep. Wilde moved to pass S.B. 24 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 3 .

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Yeas-10

Rep. C. Hall  
Rep. D. Pitcher  
Rep. V. Potter  
Rep. M. Poulson  
Rep. S. Pulsipher  
Rep. M. Roberts  
Rep. R. Ward  
Rep. R. Webb  
Rep. E. Weight  
Rep. L. Wilde

Nays-0

Absent-3

Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. K. Grover  
Rep. K. Kwan

**MOTION:** Rep. Roberts moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 3 .

Yeas-10

Rep. C. Hall  
Rep. D. Pitcher  
Rep. V. Potter  
Rep. M. Poulson  
Rep. S. Pulsipher  
Rep. M. Roberts  
Rep. R. Ward  
Rep. R. Webb  
Rep. E. Weight  
Rep. L. Wilde

Nays-0

Absent-3

Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. K. Grover  
Rep. K. Kwan

Chair Pitcher adjourned the meeting at 4:40 p.m.