



# MINUTES

## SENATE BUSINESS AND LABOR STANDING COMMITTEE

Friday, February 1, 2019 | 2:00 p.m. | 215 Senate Building

**Members Present:**

Sen. Curtis S. Bramble, Chair  
Sen. Jacob L. Anderegg  
Sen. Kirk A. Cullimore  
Sen. Gene Davis  
Sen. Daniel Hemmert

Sen. Don L. Ipson  
Sen. Karen Mayne  
Sen. Daniel McCay

**Staff Present:**

Mr. Adam J. Sweet, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Karen C. Allred, 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 Bramble called the meeting to order at 2:08 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Anderegg moved to approve the minutes of the January 29, 2019, meeting. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert

Sen. McCay assumed the chair.

**1 . S.B. 58 Kratom Consumer Protection Act (Bramble, C.)**

**MOTION:** Sen. Bramble moved to replace S.B. 58 with 1st Substitute S.B. 58. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 0.

Yeas-8

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-0

**MOTION:** Sen. Bramble moved to amend 1st Substitute S.B. 58 with Amendment #1. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 0.

Amendment 1  
1st Sub. S.B. 58

1. Page 4, Lines 91 through 94:

91 (2) A kratom processor who violates Subsection (1) is{~~;~~  
92 ~~(a)~~ guilty of a class C misdemeanor for each violation{~~;~~ and  
93 ~~(b) punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, a fine not to exceed \$500,~~  
94 or both}.

2. Page 4, Lines 107 through 110:

107 (2) A kratom processor who violates this section is{  
108 ~~(a)}~~ guilty of a class C misdemeanor for each violation{~~; and~~  
109 ~~(b) punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, a fine not to exceed \$500,~~  
110 ~~or both~~};

Yeas-8

Nays-0

Absent-0

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Sen. Bramble presented the bill with the assistance of Mr. Mac Haddow, American Kratom Association.

Mr. Wyatt Krajeski, acupuncturist, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Eric Eliason, professor, Brigham Young University, spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Amanda Kotter, master herbalist and nutritionist, spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Gabrielle Prior, student, University of Utah, spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Lora Romney, chronic pain patient, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Shawn Brady, owner of a kratom manufacturing company, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Aaron Summerhill, chronic pain patient, spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Anderegg moved to pass 1st Substitute S.B. 58 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 1 - 2.

Yeas-5

Nays-1

Absent-2

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Mayne

Sen. D. McCay

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert

Sen. Bramble resumed the chair.

**2 . S.B. 87 Procurement of Design Professionals Amendments (Escamilla (Robles), L.)**

Sen. Luz Escamilla presented the bill with the assistance of Ms. Amy Coombs, American Society for Interior Designers, International Interior Designers Association and State Certified Commercial Interior Designers.

**MOTION:** Sen. Mayne moved to pass S.B. 87 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert

**3 . S.B. 110 Family Medical Unpaid Leave Provisions (*Hemmert, D.*)**

Sen. Hemmert presented the bill.

Ms. Krista Goodnight, citizen, spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Anna Thomas, Senior Policy Analyst, Voices for Utah Children, spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Erin Jemison, Director of Public Policy, YWCA of Utah, spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Candice Daly, State Director, National Federation of Independent Business of Utah, spoke to the bill.

Ms Marina Lowe, Legislative and Policy Council, American Civil Liberties Union of Utah, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Ryan D. Nelson, Utah President, Employer's Council, spoke to the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Anderegg moved to pass S.B. 110 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 0.

Yeas-8

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-0

**4 . H.B. 38 Administrative Appeal Rights (*Dunnigan, J.*)**

Rep. James A. Dunnigan presented the bill with the assistance of Mr. Chris Hill, Deputy Commissioner and General Council, Utah Labor Commission.

**MOTION:** Sen. McCay moved to pass H.B. 38 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-3

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson

**5 . H.B. 56 Employers' Reinsurance Fund Amendments (*Dunnigan, J.*)**

Rep. Dunnigan presented the bill with the assistance of Mr. Hill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Mayne moved to pass H.B. 56 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-3

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson

**6 . H.B. 44 Physical Therapist Practice Act Amendments (*Dunnigan, J.*)**

Rep. Dunnigan presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. McCay moved to pass H.B. 44 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-3

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson

**7 . H.B. 54 Fire Code Amendments (*Dunnigan, J.*)**

Rep. Dunnigan presented the bill with the assistance of Mr. Coy Porter, State Fire Marshal, State Fire Marshal Division.

**MOTION:** Sen. McCay moved to pass H.B. 54 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-3

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson

**MOTION:** Sen. Anderegg moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. K. Cullimore  
Sen. K. Mayne  
Sen. D. McCay

Nays-0

Absent-3

Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. D. Ipson

Chair Bramble adjourned the meeting at 3:30 p.m.