



LEGISLATURE

# MINUTES

## HOUSE REVENUE AND TAXATION STANDING COMMITTEE

Tuesday, January 28, 2020 | 2:00 p.m. | 445 State Capitol

**Members Present:**

Rep. Robert M. Spendlove, Chair  
Rep. Tim Quinn, Vice Chair  
Rep. Kyle R. Andersen  
Rep. Stewart E. Barlow  
Rep. Joel K. Briscoe  
Rep. Steve Eliason  
Rep. Stephanie Pitcher  
Rep. Douglas V. Sagers  
Rep. Rex P. Shipp

Rep. Andrew Stoddard  
Rep. Mark A. Strong  
Rep. Norman K. Thurston

**Members Absent:**

Rep. Jefferson Moss

**Staff Present:**

Ryan M. Hunter, Policy Analyst  
Linda Service, 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 Spendlove called the meeting to order at 2:13 p.m.

**1 . H.B. 50 Tax Exemption for Construction or Unoccupied Property (Sagers, D.)**

Rep. Sagers explained the bill.

Commissioner Rebecca Rockwell, Utah State Tax Commission, spoke to the bill.

**MOTION:** Rep. Barlow moved to amend H.B. 50 with Amendment #1. The motion passed with a vote of 11 - 0 - 2.

Amendment 1  
H.B. 50

1. Page 13, Lines 379 through 380:

379 This bill has retrospective operation { ~~for a taxable year beginning on or after~~ } to January 1,  
380 2020.

Yeas-11

Rep. S. Barlow  
Rep. J. Briscoe  
Rep. S. Eliason  
Rep. S. Pitcher  
Rep. T. Quinn  
Rep. D. Sagers  
Rep. R. Shipp  
Rep. R. Spendlove  
Rep. A. Stoddard  
Rep. M. Strong  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays-0

Absent-2

Rep. K. Andersen  
Rep. J. Moss

**MOTION:** Rep. Sagers moved to pass H.B. 50 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 11 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-11

Rep. S. Barlow  
Rep. J. Briscoe  
Rep. S. Eliason  
Rep. S. Pitcher  
Rep. T. Quinn  
Rep. D. Sagers  
Rep. R. Shipp  
Rep. R. Spendlove  
Rep. A. Stoddard  
Rep. M. Strong  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays-0

Absent-2

Rep. K. Andersen  
Rep. J. Moss

**MOTION:** Rep. Eliason moved to place H.B. 50 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 11 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-11

Rep. S. Barlow  
Rep. J. Briscoe  
Rep. S. Eliason  
Rep. S. Pitcher  
Rep. T. Quinn  
Rep. D. Sagers  
Rep. R. Shipp  
Rep. R. Spendlove  
Rep. A. Stoddard  
Rep. M. Strong  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays-0

Absent-2

Rep. K. Andersen  
Rep. J. Moss

**2 . H.B. 53 Tangible Personal Property Tax Revisions (*Lisonbee, K.*)**

Rep. Lisonbee explained the bill assisted by Commissioner John Valentine, Utah State Tax Commission.

**MOTION:** Rep. Thurston moved to pass H.B. 53 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-10

Rep. S. Barlow  
Rep. J. Briscoe  
Rep. S. Eliason  
Rep. S. Pitcher  
Rep. T. Quinn  
Rep. R. Shipp  
Rep. R. Spendlove  
Rep. A. Stoddard  
Rep. M. Strong  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays-0

Absent-3

Rep. K. Andersen  
Rep. J. Moss  
Rep. D. Sagers

**MOTION:** Rep. Thurston moved to place H.B. 53 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-10

Rep. S. Barlow  
Rep. J. Briscoe  
Rep. S. Eliason  
Rep. S. Pitcher  
Rep. T. Quinn  
Rep. R. Shipp  
Rep. R. Spendlove  
Rep. A. Stoddard  
Rep. M. Strong  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays-0

Absent-3

Rep. K. Andersen  
Rep. J. Moss  
Rep. D. Sagers

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

Yeas-10

Rep. S. Barlow  
Rep. J. Briscoe  
Rep. S. Eliason  
Rep. S. Pitcher  
Rep. T. Quinn  
Rep. R. Shipp  
Rep. R. Spendlove  
Rep. A. Stoddard  
Rep. M. Strong  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays-0

Absent-3

Rep. K. Andersen  
Rep. J. Moss  
Rep. D. Sagers

Chair Spendlove adjourned the meeting at 2:31 p.m.