



# MINUTES

## SENATE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE

LEGISLATURE

Friday, January 31, 2020 | 2:00 p.m. | 210 Senate Building

**Members Present:**

Sen. Ronald Winterton, Chair  
President J. Stuart Adams  
Sen. Allen M. Christensen  
Sen. Luz Escamilla  
Sen. Jani Iwamoto  
Sen. Scott D. Sandall

Sen. Evan J. Vickers

**Members Absent:**

Sen. David G. Buxton

**Staff Present:**

Karin M. Rueff, Policy Analyst  
Annette Sion, 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 Winterton called the meeting to order at 2:02P.M.

**1 . S.B. 44 Limited Support Services Waiver Amendments (Hemmert, D.)**

Sen. Hemmert explained the bill.

Angie Pinna, Director, Division of Services for People with Disabilities (DSPD), answered questions from the committee.

Lorraine Dakon Gilbert, resident, spoke to the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Escamilla moved to replace S.B. 44 with 1st Substitute S.B. 44. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

**MOTION:** Sen. Escamilla moved to pass 1st Substitute S.B. 44 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

**2 . S.B. 65 Child Welfare Amendments (Harper, W.)**

Sen. Harper explained the bill with the assistance of Diane Moore, Director, Division of Child and Family Services.



**MOTION:** Sen. Christensen moved to replace S.B. 65 with 1st Substitute S.B. 65. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 3.

Yeas-5

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-3

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton  
Sen. L. Escamilla

**MOTION:** Sen. Christensen moved to pass 1st Substitute S.B. 65 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

**3 . S.B. 67 Disposition of Fetal Remains (*Bramble, C.*)**

Sen. Bramble explained the bill with the assistance of Mary Taylor, President, Pro Life Utah.

**MOTION:** Sen. Sandall moved to replace S.B. 67 with 1st Substitute S.B. 67. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

[Letter of Testimony on SB67](#)

[Fetal Remains Disposition](#)

Liz Miller, resident, spoke against the bill.

Alicia Alba, resident, spoke for the bill.

Dr. Shawn Gurtcheff, Utah Fertility Clinic, spoke against the bill.

Heidi Weyland, resident, spoke on behalf of Mary Kelsch for the bill.

Dr. Dylan Miller, Utah Society for Pathology, spoke against the bill.

Deanna Holland, Vice President, Pro Life Utah, spoke for the bill.

Katie Matheson, Communications Director, Alliance for a Better Utah, spoke against the bill.

Nicoleen Peck, President, World Wide Organization for Women, spoke for the bill.



Dr. Dylan Miller, pathologist, spoke to the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Vickers moved to pass 1st Substitute S.B. 67 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 4 - 2 - 2.

Yeas-4

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-2

Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

Sen. Winterton announced that S.B. 70 will not be heard today.

**4 . 1st Sub. H.B. 24 Health Care Professional Licensing Amendments (Daw, B.)**

Rep. Daw explained the bill.

Diane Forster-Burke, Utah Nurses Association, spoke for the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Christensen moved to pass 1st Substitute H.B. 24 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

**5 . H.B. 25 Controlled Substances Revisions (Ray, P.)**

Rep. Ray explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Christensen moved to pass H.B. 25 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

**MOTION:** Sen. Sandall moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 6 - 0 - 2.

Yeas-6

Sen. A. Christensen  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. S. Sandall  
Sen. E. Vickers  
Sen. R. Winterton

Nays-0

Absent-2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Buxton

Sen. Winterton adjourned the meeting 3:41 P.M.