



# MINUTES

## HOUSE BUSINESS AND LABOR STANDING COMMITTEE

LEGISLATURE

Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 8:00 a.m. | 445 State Capitol

**Members Present:**

Rep. A. Cory Maloy, Chair  
Rep. Stephen L. Whyte, Vice Chair  
Rep. Carl R. Albrecht  
Rep. Brady Brammer  
Rep. Walt Brooks  
Rep. Jefferson S. Burton  
Rep. James A. Dunnigan  
Rep. Jon Hawkins  
Rep. Brian S. King  
Rep. Ashlee Matthews

Rep. Calvin R. Musselman  
Rep. Thomas W. Peterson  
Rep. Jordan D. Teuscher  
Rep. Norman K Thurston

**Members Absent:**

Speaker Mike Schultz  
Rep. Ryan D. Wilcox

**Staff Present:**

Rohnin Randles, Policy Analyst  
An Bradshaw, 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 Maloy called the meeting to order at 8:02 a.m.

**MOTION:** Rep. Burton moved to approve the minutes of February 13, 2024. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 8.

Yeas - 8

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte

Nays - 0

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. N. Thurston  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**1. 2nd Sub. S.B. 25 Financial Institution and Consumer Notification Amendments (*Bramble, C.*)**

Sen. Curtis Bramble presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Rep. Whyte moved to pass 2nd Substitute S.B. 25 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 6.

Yeas - 10

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte

Nays - 0

Absent - 6

Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. N. Thurston  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**MOTION:** Rep. Albrecht moved to place 2nd Substitute S.B. 25 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 6.

Yeas - 10

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte

Nays - 0

Absent - 6

Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. N. Thurston  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**2. H.B. 463 Medicaid Funding Amendments (*Brammer, B.*)**

Rep. Brammer presented the bill.

Jennifer Brinton, pediatrician, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Paul Gibbs, citizen, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Rusty Cannon, President, Utah Taxpayers Association, spoke in support of the bill

Matthew Pearl, Rare Disease Advisory Council, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Jahn Curran, citizen, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Kory Holdaway, representing Utah Public Employees Association and Home Health and Hospice Association, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Stephanie Burdick, citizen, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Cirian Alvarez Valle, Utah Voices for Children, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Carrie Butler, Utah Public Health Association, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Lee Moss, Utah Nurse Practitioners, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Nate Checketts, Deputy Director, Department of Health and Human Services, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Rick Lybbert, CEO, Mountain Land Physical Therapy, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Gabby Sanders, American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology - Utah Chapter, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Lincoln Shurtz, Accountable Care Organizations, spoke in opposition to the bill.

**MOTION:** Rep. Musselman moved to replace H.B. 463 with 2nd Substitute H.B. 463. The motion passed with a vote of 14 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 14

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. N. Thurston  
Rep. S. Whyte

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**MOTION:** Rep. Musselman moved to pass 2nd Substitute H.B. 463 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 4 - 2.

Yeas - 10

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. N. Thurston  
Rep. S. Whyte

Nays - 4

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. A. Matthews

Absent - 2

Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**3. H.B. 483 Construction Trade Amendments (*Albrecht, C.*)**

Rep. Albrecht presented the bill with the assistance of Ron Mortenson, contractor.

David Hill, Utah Plumbing and Heating Contractors Association, spoke in support of the bill.

Taz Biesinger, Utah Homebuilders Association, spoke in support of the bill.

**MOTION:** Rep. Peterson moved to amend H.B. 483 with Amendment #1. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 8.

Amendment 1  
H.B. 483

1. Page 3, Lines 72 through 75:

72 (h) (i) subject to Subsection 58-1-401(2) and Sections 58-55-501 and 58-55-502, a  
73 person engaged in the alteration, repair, remodeling, or addition to or improvement of a  
74 building with a contracted or agreed value of less than [\$3,000,] {~~\$35,000~~} \$9,000, including both labor  
75 and materials, and including all changes or additions to the contracted or agreed upon work;

Yeas - 8

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays - 0

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**MOTION:** Rep. Dunnigan moved to amend H.B. 483 with Amendment #4. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 8.

Amendment 4  
H.B. 483

1. Page 3, Lines 79 through 89:

79 (A) work in the plumbing and electrical trades on a Subsection (1)(h)(i) project within  
80 any six month period of time:  
81 (I) ~~{-must}~~ shall be performed by a licensed electrical or plumbing contractor, if the project  
82 involves an electrical or plumbing system; and  
83 (II) may be performed by a licensed journeyman electrician or plumber or an individual  
84 referred to in Subsection (1)(h)(ii)(A)(I), if the project involves a component of the system  
85 such as a faucet, toilet, fixture, device, outlet, or electrical switch;  
86 (B) installation, repair, or replacement of a residential or commercial gas appliance or a  
87 combustion system on a Subsection (1)(h)(i) project ~~{-must}~~ shall be performed by a person who has  
88 received certification under Subsection 58-55-308(2) except as otherwise provided in  
89 Subsection 58-55-308(2)(d) or 58-55-308(3);

2. Page 4, Lines 117 through 119:

117 (k) (i) a person engaged in minor plumbing work that is incidental, as defined by the  
118 division by rule, to the ~~{-replacement or}~~ repair of a fixture or an appliance in a residential or  
119 small commercial building, or structure used for agricultural use, as defined in Section

Yeas - 8

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays - 0

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**MOTION:** Rep. Peterson moved to pass H.B. 483 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 8.

Yeas - 8

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays - 0

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**4. H.B. 408 Ride-share Amendments (Ballard, M.G.)**

Rep. Melissa Ballard presented the bill with the assistance of Craig Black, Chief of Police, North Salt Lake.

Harry Hartfield, Regional Public Affairs Director, Uber, spoke in opposition to the bill.

**MOTION:** Rep. Thurston moved to replace H.B. 408 with 1st Substitute H.B. 408. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 8.

Yeas - 8

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays - 0

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**MOTION:** Rep. Thurston moved to amend 1st Substitute H.B. 408 with Amendment #1. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 1 - 8.

Amendment 1  
1st Sub. H.B. 408

1. Page 2, Lines 40 through 54:

- 40 (3) For each prearranged ride, a transportation network company shall:  
41 (a) before a passenger enters a transportation network driver's vehicle, display on the  
42 transportation network company's software application a picture of the transportation network  
43 driver; ~~and~~  
44 (b) shortly after the prearranged ride is complete, transmit an electronic receipt to the  
45 passenger that lists:  
46 (i) the prearranged ride's origin and destination;  
47 (ii) the prearranged ride's total time and distance; and  
48 (iii) an itemization of the total fare the passenger paid, if any~~;~~; and  
49 allow a passenger to notify a transportation network driver if a passenger has skis, a  
50 snowboard, ~~or~~ other oversize luggage~~;~~, or child restraint device.  
51 ~~{(d) provide the passenger with a link to current federal and state law relating to child~~  
52 restraint devices; and  
53 ~~(e) notify the passenger that an adult traveling with a child is responsible for providing~~  
54 and installing a child restraint device when needed.}

Yeas - 7

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays - 1

Rep. C. Musselman

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**MOTION:** Rep. Burton moved to pass 1st Substitute H.B. 408 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 1 - 8.

Yeas - 7

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays - 1

Rep. C. Musselman

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte  
Rep. R. Wilcox

**MOTION:** Rep. Peterson moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 8 - 0 - 8.

Yeas - 8

Rep. C. Albrecht  
Rep. J. Burton  
Rep. J. Dunnigan  
Rep. A. Maloy  
Rep. A. Matthews  
Rep. C. Musselman  
Rep. T. Peterson  
Rep. N. Thurston

Nays - 0

Absent - 8

Rep. B. Brammer  
Rep. W. Brooks  
Rep. J. Hawkins  
Rep. B. King  
Rep. M. Schultz  
Rep. J. Teuscher  
Rep. S. Whyte  
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Chair Maloy adjourned the meeting at 10:00 a.m.