MINUTES OF THE BUSINESS/LABOR AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STANDING COMMITTEE TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2002 Room 403, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING

Members Present:	Sen. Dan Eastman, Chair Sen. Parley Hellewell Sen. Curtis Bramble Sen. Gene Davis Sen. Ed Mayne
Member Absent:	Sen. L. Steven Poulton
Staff Present:	Mary Catherine Perry, Research Analyst Jeanne Wride, Committee Secretary
Public Speakers Present: Paul Rogers, Workers Compensation: Fred Fir	

Public Speakers Present: Paul Rogers, Workers Compensation: Fred Finlinson, Water Coalition; Robert Babcock, Attorney; Mike Embley, General Manager Kearns Improvement District; Dave Spatefore, Utah League of Cities and Towns; Rich Thorn, President - General Contractors.

Visitors list on File

Chair Eastman called the meeting to order at 3:50 p.m.

1. <u>S.B. 146 BUSINESS ENTITY AMENDMENTS</u> (Sen. J. Valentine)

Sen. Valentine presented the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Hellewell moved to pass S. B.146 out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Davis absent for the vote.

2. <u>1ST Sub. H.B. 64 CONSUMER PROTECTION AMENDMENTS</u> (*Rep. A. Bradshaw*)

Rep. Bradshaw presented the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Bramble moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 3, Line 57: Bracket "or"

Minutes of the Business/Labor and Economic Development Standing Committee February 5, 2002 Page 2

Page 3, Line 59: Bracket the period and insert "<u>: or</u>" at the end of the line. After Line 59 insert the following: "(d) as required by law for a medical purpose."

The motion to amend passed with Sen. Davis absent for the vote.

Paul Rogers, 1-800-CONTACTS and Francine Gianni, Consumer Protection, spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Bramble moved to pass 1st Sub. H. B. 64, as amended, out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Davis absent for the vote.

3. <u>S.B. 56 AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT</u> (By Sen. E. Mayne)

Sen. Mayne explained that he would like to present this bill at a future meeting.

MOTION: Sen. Mayne moved to proceed to the next item on the agenda.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Davis absent for the vote.

4. <u>S.B. 102 BID REQUIREMENTS ON COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CONSTRUCTION</u> (By Sen. H. Stephenson)

Sen. Stephenson presented the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Hellewell moved to accept 1st Sub. S.B. 102.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Davis absent for the vote.

Fred Finlinson, Water Coalition; Robert Babcock, Attorney, spoke to the bill. Mike Embley, General Manager Kearns Improvement District; Dave Spatefore, Utah League of Cities and Towns; Rich Thorn, President - General Contractors, spoke in opposition to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Hellewell moved to pass 1st Sub. S.B. 102 out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

SUB-MOTION: Sen. Mayne moved to adjourn.

Minutes Business, Labor and Economic Development Standing Committee February 5, 2002 Page 3

The motion passed with Sen. Bramble and Sen. Hellewell voting against.

Chair Eastman adjourned the meeting at 5:10 p.m.

Minutes recorded by Jeanne Wride, Secretary

Sen. Dan Eastman, Chair