

SENATE RULES RESOLUTION - QUORUM IN

SENATE COMMITTEE

2003 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Sponsor: Lyle W. Hillyard

This resolution modifies Senate Rules governing quorums by exempting certain members of majority and minority leadership from being counted in determining a quorum in certain circumstances. This act takes effect immediately.

This resolution affects legislative rules as follows:

AMENDS:

SR-24.11

Be it resolved by the Senate of the state of Utah:

Section 1. **SR-24.11** is amended to read:

SR-24.11. Committee Attendance; Quorum.

(1) A majority of any committee or subcommittee constitutes a quorum for the transaction of business.

(2) The President, Majority Leader, Majority Whip, Assistant Majority Whip, Senate Rules Committee Chair, Senate Appropriations Committee Chair, Minority Leader, Minority Whip, and Assistant Minority Whip, and the fourth member of leadership from the minority party are not counted in determining a quorum for standing committees, except for meetings that the legislator actually attends.

Section 2. **Effective date.**

This resolution takes effect upon approval by a constitutional majority vote of all members of the Senate.