

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE GOV. OPERATIONS & POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS  
STANDING COMMITTEE  
JANUARY 27, 2003, 8:00 A.M.  
ROOM 403, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING**

Members Present: Sen. Carlene M. Walker, Chair

Sen. Beverly Ann Evans Sen. Patrice Arent  
Sen. Dan Eastman  
Sen. Beverly Evans  
Sen. Karen Hale  
Sen. Bill Hickman

Members Excused: Sen. Peter Knudson

Staff Present: Richard North, Policy Analyst  
Nadine Woodhead, Secretary

Visitors List on File:

Acting Committee Chair Sen. Evans called the meeting to order at 8:20 a.m.

**MOTION:** Sen Hickman moved to approve the minutes of January 22, 2003.

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

**1. S. B. 97 County Annexation Amendments (C. Walker)**

Sen. Walker explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Arent moved to pass the bill with a favorable recommendation.

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

Chair Walker assumed the chair.

**2. S. B. 100 Indian Affairs Amendments (B. Evans)**

Sen. Evans explained the bill, assisted by John Harja, Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hickman moved to pass the bill with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

Sen. Evans assumed the chair.

3. **H. B. 30 Public Transit Districts Annexation Amendments** (D. Cox)

Sen. Walker explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hale moved to pass the bill with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

Sen. Walker resumed the chair.

4. **H.C.R. 1 Resolution Urging Reworking of Census Data Collection Procedures**  
(M. Stephens)

Sen. Hickman explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen Evans moved to pass the bill with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

5. **H. B. 25 Extension of Timing for Creating a Local District** (D. Hogue)

Rep. Hogue explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hale moved to pass the bill with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

6. **S. B. 40 Pay Plan - Salary Survey Amendments** (M. Dmitrich)

Sen. Dmitrich explained the bill and proposed the following amendments.

1. Page 1, line 9: After "**effect**" delete "**January 1, 2004**"

Insert "**July 1, 2003**"

2. Page 2, line 34: After "effect on" delete "January 1, 2004"

Insert "July 1, 2003"

**MOTION:** Sen. Hickman moved to adopt the amendments.

The motion passed unanimously.

Superintendent Scott Duncan, Sergeant David Rumfeld and Trooper Todd Royce, Utah Highway Patrol; Rex Black, citizen; Jesse Gallegos, Deputy Director, Utah Department

of Corrections, and Dennis Hammer, Utah Public Employees Association, spoke for the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Arent moved to pass the bill with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed with Sens. Arent, Eastman, Hale and Walker voting for, and Sens. Evans and Hickman voting against.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hale moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

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Sen. Carlene Walker, Committee Chair