

**MINUTES OF THE  
HOUSE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS STANDING COMMITTEE  
ROOM W010, WEST OFFICE BUILDING, STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX  
JANUARY 26, 2005**

MEMBERS PRESENT:      Rep. Douglas C. Aagard, Chair  
                                 Rep. Gregory H. Hughes, Vice Chair  
                                 Rep. DeMar "Bud" Bowman  
                                 Rep. Craig W. Buttars  
                                 Rep. Stephen D. Clark  
                                 Rep. Neil A. Hansen  
                                 Rep. Neal B. Hendrickson  
                                 Rep. Eric K. Hutchings  
                                 Rep. John G. Mathis  
                                 Rep. Aaron Tilton  
                                 Rep. Mark Wheatley

STAFF PRESENT:              John Cannon, Managing Policy Analyst  
                                 Sylvia Newton, Committee Secretary

**Note:**    A list of visitors and copy of handouts are filed with committee minutes.

Rep. Aagard called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

MOTION:      Rep. Hansen moved to approve the minutes of the January 25, 2005 meeting.  
                                 The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Buttars, Rep. Clark, Rep. Mathis, Rep.  
                                 Tilton, and Rep. Hughes absent for the vote.

**H.B. 199      Special Election Dates (*Rep. D. Hogue*)**

Rep. Hogue introduced H.B.199 and explained it to the committee.

MOTION:      Rep. Hutchings moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed  
                                 unanimously with Rep. Clark absent for the vote

**S.B. 11      Initiative Petitions Amendments (*Sen. B. Evans*)**

Sen. Evans introduced S.B.11 and explained it to the committee.

Spoke to the bill:      Wally McCormick, citizen

Spoke in favor of the bill:      Todd Bingham, Utah Farm Bureau

MOTION: Rep. Bowman moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

**S.B. 76 Amendments to Navajo Trust Fund (*Sen. B. Evans*)**

Sen. Evans introduced S.B.76 and explained it to the committee.

MOTION: Rep. Buttars moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Rep. Hendrickson moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously..

Rep. Aagard adjourned the meeting at 8:53 a.m.

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Rep. Douglas C. Aagard, Chair