

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE BUSINESS & LABOR
STANDING COMMITTEE
TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2006, 9:00 A.M.
ROOM W015, WEST OFFICE BUILDING
STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX**

Members Present: Sen. Scott K. Jenkins, Chair
Sen. Gene Davis
Sen. Parley G. Hellewell
Sen. John W. Hickman
Sen. Sheldon L. Killpack

Member Excused: Sen. Ed Mayne

Members Absent: Sen. Thomas V. Hatch
Sen. L. Alma Mansell
Sen. Michael Waddoups

Staff Present: Allison Morgan, Policy Analyst
Karen Allred, Committee Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Bill Starks, Director, Unemployment Insurance, Workforce Services
Lee Ellertson, Commissioner, Labor Commission

A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Jenkins welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

1. S.B. 21 Employment Security Amendments (J. Hickman)

Sen. Hickman introduced the bill and a handout was distributed.

Bill Starks, Dir., Unemployment Insurance, Workforce Services, further explained the bill and answered questions from the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Killpack moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously.

2. S.B. 40 Mine Safety and Certificate Amendments (M. Dmitrich)

Sen. Dmitrich introduced the bill assisted by Lee Ellertson, Commissioner, Labor Commission.

MOTION: Sen. Davis moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Killpack moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Jenkins adjourned the meeting at 9:20 a.m.

Sen. Scott Jenkins, Chair