

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE
TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC UTILITIES & TECHNOLOGY
STANDING COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2007, 1:45 P.M.
ROOM W020, WEST OFFICE BUILDING
STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX**

Members Present: Sen. Carlene Walker, Chair
Sen. Sheldon Killpack
Sen. Kevin VanTassel
Sen. Mike Dmitrich

Members Excused: Sen. Scott Jenkins
Sen. Ed Mayne

Staff Present: Mark Steinagel, Policy Analyst
Emily Brown, Attorney, L.R.G.C.
Karen Allred, Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Dennis Astill, Attorney, Anderson/Geneva
Michael Emery, Attorney, United States Steel

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

Committee Chair Walker called the meeting to order at 1:49 p.m.

Approval of Minutes

MOTION: Sen. VanTassell moved to approve the 8:00 a.m. minutes of February 21, 2007.

The motion passed unanimously.

1. S.B. 271 Solid and Hazardous Waste Act Amendments (S. Killpack)

MOTION: Sen. Killpack moved to delete in title and body S.B. 271, and adopt 1st. Sub. S.B. 271.

The motion passed unanimously.

Sen. Killpack explained the bill assisted by Emily Brown, Attorney, L.R.G.C.

Dennis Astill, Attorney, Anderson/Geneva, spoke in support of the bill.

Michael Emery, Attorney, United States Steel, spoke in opposition to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Dmitrich moved to pass out 1st Sub. S.B. 271 favorably.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Killpack moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously at 2:26 p.m.

Sen. Carlene Walker, Committee Chair