

**MINUTES OF THE HOUSE
WORKFORCE SERVICES AND COMMUNITY
AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STANDING COMMITTEE
Room W025, West Office Building, State Capitol Complex**

February 3, 2009

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Steven Mascaro, Chair
Rep. Christopher Herrod, Vice Chair
Rep. David Litvack
Rep. Kay McIff
Rep. F. Jay Seegmiller
Rep. Kenneth Sumsion
Rep. Christine Watkins

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Rep. Rebecca Lockhart

STAFF PRESENT: Arthur L. Hunsaker, Policy Analyst
Karen Mitchell, Committee Secretary

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

Rep. Herrod called the meeting to order at 3:35 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Mascaro moved to approve the minutes of the January 29, 2009 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

S.C.R. 1 **Concurrent Resolution Requesting a Federal Waiver to Establish an Employer-sponsored Work Program** (*Sen. S. Jenkins*) (**Rep. B. Dee**)

Sen. Jenkins explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Wesley Smith, Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce

Spoke against the bill: Ronald Mortensen, Utah Coalition on Illegal Immigration
Gaylan Stewart, UFIRE
Maryann Christensen, Utah Eagle Forum

Committee discussion followed.

MOTION: Rep. Litvack moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed with Rep. Herrod, Rep. Seegmiller and Rep. Sumsion voting in opposition.

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

Rep. Herrod adjourned the meeting at 4:45 p.m.

Steven R. Mascaro, Chair