

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE
TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC UTILITIES & TECHNOLOGY
STANDING COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 8:00 A.M.
ROOM 215, SENATE BUILDING, STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX**

Members Present: Sen. Steve Urquhart, Chair
 Sen. David Hinkins
 Sen. Sheldon Killpack
 Sen. Peter Knudson
 Sen. Kevin Van Tassell
 Sen. Brent Goodfellow
 Sen. Karen Mayne

Staff Present: Leif Elder, Policy Analyst
 Cami Deavila, Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Jerry Fenn, President, Qwest
 Lincoln Shurtz, Utah League of Cities and Towns
 Todd Bingham, Utah Farm Bureau
 Michelle Beck, Utah Committee of Consumer Services
 Betsy Wolf, Salt Lake Community Action Program

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

Committee Chair Urquhart called the meeting to order at 8:15 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to approve the minutes of the January 30 and February 3, 2009 meetings.

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

1. SB0052, New Motor Vehicle Franchise Amendments (*S. Killpack*)

S.B. 52 was not considered.

Sen. Knudson assumed the chair.

2. SB0134, Transportation Funding Amendments (*S. Urquhart*)

Sen. Urquhart introduced the bill.

Mr. Shurtz spoke for the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Van Tassell moved to pass S.B. 134, Transportation Funding Amendments, out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

Sen. Urquhart resumed the chair.

3. SB0136, Diesel-powered Motor Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program Amendments
(*G. Bell*)

Sen. Bell introduced the bill.

Mr. Bingham spoke for the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Knudson moved to pass S.B. 136, Diesel-powered Motor Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program Amendments, out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Killpack moved to place S.B. 136, Diesel-powered Motor Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program Amendments, on the consent calendar.

The motion passed unanimously.

4. HB0216, Telecommunication Pricing Flexibility Amendments (*F. Hunsaker*)

Rep. Hunsaker introduced the bill.

Mr. Fenn spoke for the bill.

Ms. Beck spoke to the bill.

Ms. Wolf spoke against the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Mayne moved to pass H.B. 216, Telecommunication Pricing Flexibility Amendments, out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Knudson moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

Sen Urquhart adjourned the meeting at 9:15 a.m.

Sen. Steve Urquhart, Committee Chair