

**MINUTES OF THE HOUSE  
NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURE, & ENVIRONMENT  
STANDING COMMITTEE**

**Room C445, State Capitol**

February 10, 2012

**Members Present:** Rep. Roger E. Barrus, Chair  
Rep. Joel Briscoe  
Rep. Brad Dee  
Rep. Jack Draxler  
Rep. Brad Galvez  
Rep. Neal Hendrickson  
Rep. Patrick Painter  
Rep. Doug Sagers  
Rep. Christine Watkins  
Rep. Ryan Wilcox

**Members Excused:** Rep. Mel Brown  
Rep. Mike Noel

**Members Absent:** Rep. Stephen Sandstrom  
Rep. John Mathis

**Staff Present:** Mr. J Brian Allred, Policy Analyst  
Ms. An Bradshaw, Committee Secretary

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

Chair Barrus called the meeting to order at 2:12 p.m.

**MOTION:** Rep. Wilcox moved to approve the minutes of Feb. 8, 2012. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Dee and Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

**S.B. 132 Reauthorization of Radiation Control Act (*Sen. P. Knudson*) (**Rep. R. Menlove**)**

Sen. Knudson introduced the bill to the committee.

**MOTION:** Rep. Hendrickson moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Dee and Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

**MOTION:** Rep. Painter moved to place SB132 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Dee and Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

**S.B. 133      Reauthorization of Mercury Switch Removal Act (Sen. P. Knudson) (Rep. R. Menlove)**

Sen. Knudson introduced the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill:            Ms. Candace Daly, Nucor Steel

**MOTION:**    Rep. Painter moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Dee and Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

**MOTION:**    Rep. Draxler moved to place SB133 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Dee and Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

**H.B. 153      Diversion of Water (Rep. J. Briscoe)**

Rep. Briscoe introduced the bill to the committee with the assistance of Mr. Kent Jones, Utah Division of Water Rights.

**MOTION:**    Rep. Wilcox moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Dee absent.

**H.B. 198      Growing of Food (Rep. C. Herrod)**

Rep. Herrod introduced the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill:            Ms. Aleta Taylor, Truth Works

Spoke to the bill:            Mr. Kyle Stephen, Utah Department of Agriculture and Food

**MOTION:**    Rep. Galvez moved to amend HB198 as follows:

1.    *Page 1 and 2, Lines 9, 11, 17, 22, and 38:*
  - 9            by an individual for {~~use~~} consumption
  - 11          by an individual for {~~use~~} consumption
  - 17          for {~~use~~} consumption
  - 22          by an individual for {~~use~~} consumption
  - 38          intended for the individual's {~~use~~} consumption, or for {~~use~~} consumption by the individual's immediate family

The motion to amend passed favorably with Rep. Watkins and Rep. Wilcox voting in opposition.

**MOTION:** Rep. Draxler moved to pass the bill out favorably as amended. The motion passed with Rep. Briscoe and Rep. Watkins voting in opposition.

**H.B. 348 Hazardous Waste Amendments (*Rep. R. Menlove*)**

Rep. Menlove introduced the bill to the committee with the assistance of Ms. Amanda Smith, Utah Department of Environmental Quality, Mr. Dan Shrum, Energy Solutions, and Mr. Scott Anderson, Utah Department of Environmental Quality.

Spoke against the bill: Mr. Phillip Retallich, Clean Harbors  
Mr. Michael Marlowe, Clean Harbors

**MOTION:** Rep. Draxler moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Dee, Rep. Hendrickson, and Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

**MOTION:** Rep. Painter moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Briscoe, Rep. Dee, Rep. Hendrickson, and Rep. Watkins absent for the vote.

Chair Barrus adjourned the meeting at 3:33 p.m.

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Rep. Roger E. Barrus, Chair