

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS &
POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS STANDING COMMITTEE**
ROOM 415 STATE CAPITOL
FEBRUARY 16, 2012

Members Present: Sen. Peter C. Knudson, Chair
 Sen. Casey Anderson
 Sen. Scott K. Jenkins
 Sen. Luz Robles

Members Excused: Sen. Margaret Dayton

Members Absent: Sen. Daniel Thatcher

Staff Present: Ms. Lorna Wells, Committee Secretary

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

Chair Knudson called the meeting to order at 8:40 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

MOTION: Sen. Jenkins moved to approve the minutes of the February 10, 2012 and February 14, 2012 meetings. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles absent for the vote.

S.B. 197 Attorney General Amendments (*Sen. J. Stevenson*)

Sen. Stevenson presented and explained the bill.

Spoke to the bill: Mr. Wade Faraway, Utah Attorney General's Office

MOTION: Sen. Anderson moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Jenkins moved to place the bill on the consent calendar. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Anderson moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously. Sen. Knudson adjourned the meeting at 8:44 a.m.

Minutes reported by Lorna Wells, Secretary.

Sen. Peter C. Knudson, Committee Chair