

NEVADA LEGISLATURE - SPECIAL SESSION

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MEETING OF SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

February 16, 1968

The meeting of the Senate Education Committee was called to order by Chairman, Proctor Hug, on Friday, February 16, 1968, at 9:20 a.m. in Room 50 of the State Capitol Building.

All members of the Education Committee were present.

Also present: Senator Fransway
Senator Fisher
Donald Perry, Representative of Nevada State
Education Association
Lincoln Liston, Assistant Superintendent of
the Department of Education
Burnell Larson, State Superintendent of
Public Instruction
Howard Barrett, Budget Director
Cy Ryan, Newsman

Chairman Hug stated that some action was needed with respect to Assembly Bill No. 5, authorization of the formation of a nonprofit corporation by the University of Nevada as a landbank for the Washoe County Campus at no cost to the state. This was discussed at a joint meeting and university officials were present. There was a similar measure last year with regard to the southern campus which has had much success.

Senator Farr moved that we do pass.

Senator Harris seconded the motion.

The do pass motion was carried by all.

Senator Hug mentioned that although they had gone through Senate Bill 18 yesterday, there was one question remaining regarding Section 3 under Paragraph (f). Mr. Larson expressed concern because in the past, they have always worked from an allocated budget, and appropriations were made in accordance therewith. He questioned how they could act in accordance with the requirements of Subsection 3 if they could not recognize an identifiable amount of money.

Senator Farr stated that if the Education Committee passed Senate Bill 18, it could at least be assumed that the money would be there.

Mr. Larson stated that they would like at least the intent of what the consideration would be, inasmuch as they do face an emergency requirement in Lyon County and money is needed this year and next.

Discussion followed between Mr. Larson and Mr. Howard Barrett.

Chairman Hug stated that there should be enough money at least for this biennium, and Mr. Larson said that he hadn't understood that he had this assurance yesterday.

Mr. Barrett concurred that a problem did exist, and suggested that perhaps the Bill could be reworded.

Senator Bunker stated that this problem should be worked out by the bill drafters for the Education Committee and the Finance Committee.

Senator Hecht stated that it was a problem for the Finance Committee.

Senator Harris felt that it was improper for the Education Committee to vote on this Bill until it was discussed by the Finance Committee.

Senator Hecht concurred.

Chairman Hug suggested that no action be taken at this time, and recommended that the Superintendent and the Budget Director work out the wording to the satisfaction of the Finance Committee and the Education Committee.

So moved by Senator Harris.

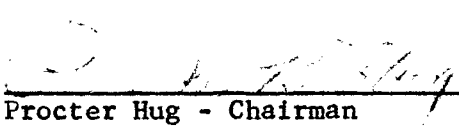
Seconded by Senator Christensen.

All members in favor.

Senator Hug adjourned the meeting at 9:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Annette Esposito - Secretary



Procter Hug - Chairman