SENATE PUBLIC RESOURCES AND ECOLOGY COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1973

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m.

Senator Wilson in the chair.

PRESENT: Senator Bryan Senator Young Senator Dodge Senator Echols

A. B. 860 - Prohibits charging fee for use of public toilet

J. F. "Jack" Ewald, of the Nik-O-Lok Company of Los Angeles appeared and spoke in opposition to this legislation. He stated that the money from the pay toilets helped maintain them. They also, he said, had problems of people walking in off the street to use the facility.

He further stated that pay toilets help to keep the place clean, that undesirables would not come and spend a dime. They reduce vandalism and shop lifting in stores. He further stated that in his opinion, people who use the facilities should help to to maintain them.

Senator Young suggested an amendment to the bill so that it would require 50% pay and 50% free toilets.

The committee would contact the author of the bill to see if this could not be worked out.

<u>B. 461</u> - Makes certain changes in fish and game licenses, tags and fees.

Frank Groves, Director of Fish and Game, appeared before the committee and spoke in support of this measure.

Motion, Senator Bryan, Do Pass, seconded Senator Echols, carried.

<u>A. B. 749</u> - Authorizes the issuance of special fishing permits to children in public and charitable institutions.

Frank Groves, Director of Fish and Game, appeared to speak in support of this measure.

It was noted that Spring Mountain had not received any buttons.

Mr. Groves stated that all the institutions had to do was to write him a letter, explaining that they were existant on public funds, with their proper name and address. They could then receive the buttons by remitting \$1 per button.

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Motion Senator Bryan, Do Pass, seconded by Senator Echols, carried.

<u>A. B. 388</u> - Removes requirement that director of agricultural extension department approve butter rules and regulations.

Mr. Wilson read a note from Frank Gallaway, stating the this is merely a house keeping bill, it was good legislation and it was his desire that the bill pass.

Motion, Senator Young, Do Pass, seconded by Senator Bryan, carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Thomas R. C. Wilson, Chairman