

Senate

PUBLIC RESOURCES AND ECOLOGY

April 19, 1973

Minutes of Meeting

Committee members present: Chairman Thomas R.C. Wilson
Senator Young
Senator Bryan
Senator Dodge

Senator Wilson called the meeting to order at 12:25 p.m.
See Exhibit "A" for list of attendees.

A.B. 472: Enacts Nevada Water Pollution Control Law.

Mr. Larry Bettis, D. Michael Clasen and Ernie Gregory were present to testify on this bill. They were in agreement that amendment number 5607 is acceptable.

Senator Young moved "Do Pass", as amended, Seconded by Seantor Dodge, carried unanimously.

Senator Wilson asked what provisions were mandated. Mr. Clasen stated that he would give Senator Wilson a copy of annotation to federal act and a copy of digest.

S.B. 644: Provides for retention by retiring state employee of state group insurance and requires state to pay premium.

Senator Young commented that various groups in Reno area complained about zoning and planning. They cannot find out what is going to be on the agenda. This has become very frustrating as they would like some advance notice.

Senator Young moved "Do Pass", as amended, seconded by Senator Bryan, carried unanimously.

A.B. 951: Reorganizes structure of state and county fish and game administration.

Although this bill was previously killed, comments were heard. Senator Wilson stated that we did not have the votes to go to the 5 man board. Senator Young commented that it would create

A. B. 951 - Reorganizes structure of state and county fish and game administration.

L. E. Jacobsen, Assemblyman, appeared before the committee to speak in support of this legislation.

It was suggested that there be two recommendations for members of the five or nine man board from each county to give the governor a better choice.

A. B. 680 - Provides for dust-control measures in mining and related industries.

Paul Gemmill appeared before the committee regarding this bill. He stated that he already has regulating authority. He further stated that the Mining Inspector will not meet with the federal mining people and this causes dual inspections.

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Senator Bryan stated that the fine in this legislation is illegal because of the absence of a corresponding jail sentence.

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

Respectfully submitted,


Mae Loftholme, Chairman

APPROVED:

Thomas R. C. Wilson, Chairman