MINUTES

ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC RESOURCES COMMITTEE April 1, 1977

Members Present: Chairman Moody

Mr. Coulter
Mr. Jeffrey
Mr. Kissam
Mr. Rhoads
Mr. Serpa
Mr. Ross

Members Absent: Mr. Chaney

Mr. Polish

The special meeting was called to order by Chairman Moody, who announced that action was to be taken on A.J.R. 34, A.B. 497 and A.B. 514.

Mr. Rhoads explained that the committee going to Washington, D.C., to argue for the Humboldt River Project would like an indication of support for the continued study of this project. Mr. Serpa opposed this passage of A.J.R. 34, and he does not believe that more money should be spent. He also doesn't like the possibility of federal control of the project.

Mr. Rhoads moved that the committee give a do pass recommendation to A.J.R. 34, was seconded by Mr. Jeffrey, and the motion was passed with Mr. Serpa casting a dissenting ballot.

With regard to A.B. 497, having to do with designating Indian Ricegrass as Nevada's State Grass, following a brief discussion, Mr. Coulter moved that the committee give a do pass recommendation for A.B. 497, was seconded by Mr. Rhoads, and the motion was passed with Mr. Ross casting a dissenting ballot.

With regard to $\underline{A.B.}$ 514, having to do with the establishment of a special deer season for hunting with muzzle-loading weapons, following a general discussion, and there being no dissention, Mr. Ross moved that the committee give a do pass recommendation to $\underline{A.B.}$ 514, was seconded by Mr. Jeffrey, and the motion was passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned by Chairman Moody.

Respectfully submitted,

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Assembly Attache