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Members Present:

Chairman Hayes Vice Chairman Stewart Mr. Brady Mr. Coulter Mr. Fielding Mr. Horn Mr. Malone Mr. Polish Mr. Prengaman Mr. Sena

Members Absent:

Mr. Banner

Guests Present:

No guests were present at this meeting.

ASSEMBLY BILL 829

Designates county park rangers as peace officers when performing duties prescribed by the county commissioners.

Mr. Sena moved to Indefinitely Postpone <u>A.B. 829</u>; Mr. Brady seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Horn, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Brady, Sena - 9

Nay - None

Absent - Banner, Coulter - 2

ASSEMBLY BILL 783

Authorizes two justices of the peace for Carson City.

Mr. Brady moved to Do Pass <u>A.B. 783;</u> Mr. Sena seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Horn, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Brady, Sena - 9

Nay - None

Absent - Banner, Coulter - 2

ASSEMBLY BILL 757

Revises fees for court reporters. (Committee Minutes)

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Nick Horn outlined the amendments to the bill. Instead of \$80. per day, he made the figure to be \$65. per day. He stated that all other increases would be scratched out and that this was the compromise that was agreed upon the county and the court reporters.

Mr. Horn moved to Do Pass <u>A.B. 757</u> as amended; Mr. Polish seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Horn, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 10

Nay - None

Absent - Banner - 1

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 21

Urges abolition of statute of limitations for Nazi war crimes.

Mr. Sena moved to Do Pass <u>S.J.R. 21</u>; Mr. Brady seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Polish, Prengaman, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 8

Nay - Horn, Fielding - 2

Absent - Banner - 1

ASSEMBLY BILL 822

Revises method of determining attorneys' fees respecting estates of decedents.

Mr. Malone moved to Do Pass <u>A.B. 822</u>; Mr. Prengaman seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Horn, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 10

Nay - None

Absent - Banner - 1

SENATE BILL 438

Limits duration of and expands permitted reasons for temporary furloughs of prison inmates.

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Mr. Prengaman moved to Do Pass <u>S.B. 438;</u> Mr. Coulter seconded the motion. The motion failed under Committee Rule 3 on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Prengaman, Coulter - 3

Nay - Fielding, Horn, Malone, Polish, Stewart - 5

Not Voting - Brady, Sena - 2

Absent - Banner - 1

ASSEMBLY BILL 524

Limits dissemination of certain criminal records and provides for their examination and challenge.

Discussion was heard on the bill in reference to the term "CHRI" which stands for Criminal History Records Information. Frank Daykin felt that this term was inadequate because it was not proper English.

Larry Ketzenberger, Las Vegas Metro Police Department, testified on the bill also. He felt that the term "CHRI" should be left the way it is because it is familiar throughout the 50 states.

It was decided by the committee to put a disclaimer in the bill, wording it the way Frank Daykin said but referencing it to the name of "CHRI".

SENATE BILL 343

Provides for hearing of lis pendens and for expunging recorded notice upon posting of bond in certain circumstances.

Paul Prengaman moved to Do Pass <u>S.B. 343</u>; Mr. Polish seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Horn, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 10

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Nay - None

Absent - Banner - 1

ASSEMBLY BILL 694

Increases scope of certain prohibitions aginst improperly influencing, interfering with, or intimidating certain persons acting in official capacity, and provides penalties.

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Mike Malone moved to Indefinitely Postpone A.B. 694; Mr. Sena seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 8

Nay - Horn, Polish - 2

Absent - Banner - 1

ASSEMBLY BILL 697

Prohibits contact with the department of parole and probation for purpose of influencing any report or action of the department concerning sentencing in a criminal action.

Mr. Sena moved to Indefinitely Postpone <u>A.B. 697</u>; Mr. Brady seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 8

Nay - Horn, Polish - 2

Absent - Banner - 1

ASSEMBLY BILL 747

Resolves conflict on attorneys' fees for representation of indigent defendants in municipal courts.

Bill Brady moved to Indefinitely Postpone A.B. 747; Mr. Fielding seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 9

Nay - Horn - 1

Absent - Banner - 1

SENATE BILL 354

Limits certain actions against estates for which no letters of administration have been issued.

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Mike Malone moved to Do Pass <u>S.B. 354</u>; Mr. Sena seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

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> Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Horn, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 10

Nay - None

Absent - Banner - 1

SENATE BILL 295

Requires certain justices of the peace to serve full time.

Nick Horn moved to Do Pass <u>S.B. 295</u> as amended and re-refer to Government Affairs; Nash Sena seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Stewart, Malone, Horn, Polish, Prengaman, Fielding, Coulter, Brady, Sena - 10

Nay - None

Absent - Banner - 1

Chairman Hayes adjourned the meeting at 10:05 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Judy E. Williams Secretary