

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Bremner
 Vice Chairman Hickey
 Mr. Bergevin
 Mr. Brady
 Mr. Coulter
 Mr. Glover
 Mrs. Hayes
 Mr. Horn
 Mr. Marvel
 Mr. Rhoads
 Mr. Robinson
 Mr. Vergiels
 Mrs. Westall

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Bill Bible, Fiscal Analyst; Judy Matteucci,
 Deputy Fiscal Analyst; Mike Alastuey, Deputy
 Budget Director (SEE ATTACHED GUEST LIST)

Chairman Bremner called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

Administrative Office of the Courts

Mr. Charles Springer, Associate Supreme Court Justice, addressed the committee and handed out a completely new budget for the committee. Mr. Springer introduced Mr. Mike Brown, Director of the Administrative Office of the Court.

Justice Springer stated that the newly proposed budget reflects a decrease of between 20 and 25 percent. He pointed out that \$1 million has been cut from the budget during each year of the biennium.

Mr. Robinson questioned the transfer of the new positions from Judicial Planning to the Administrative Office. Mr. Brown stated that the purpose was that Judicial Planning was funded 100 percent by LEAA and in the original request it was asked that both the positions be picked up as state funded positions. He pointed out that one of the positions has been picked up and maintained and a half position has been dropped.

Mr. Robinson stated that the hearing on this budget should be rescheduled until such time as the committee has had an opportunity to look over the new budgets.

Chairman Bremner stated that the hearings will be postponed and the agency will be notified of the reappearance date.

Mr. Robinson moved that the minutes of January 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30, and February 2, 3, 4, 5 be approved. The motion was seconded by Mr. Vergiels and unanimously carried by the committee that the minutes be approved.

Chairman Bremner addressed some bills presented for committee introduction. He stated the first bill* is to make certain administrative changes in state purchasing and increase amounts which may be paid for automobiles. He said the second† one is to increase the salaries of certain employees, and the third bill‡ makes an appropriation for working capital for Nevada Magazine. The fourth bill# makes an appropriation to the reserve of the statutory contingency fund.

Mr. Hickey moved that the bills be introduced as Ways and Means bills with referral back to the Ways and Means Committee. Mr. Glover seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously by the committee.

Mr. Glover questioned the procedure for getting a memorial resolution drafted. Mr. Hickey addressed the question and moved that all memorial resolutions be introduced as committee

* A.B. 274

◇ A.B. 272

* BDR 27-707

◇ BDR S-1083

† A.B. 273

A.B. 271

† BDR 23-1260

BDR S-1082

requests. Mr. Glover seconded the motion and it was unanimously carried by the committee.

Chairman Bremner addressed an additional bill, the State of Nevada Employee's Pay Package. Mr. Vergiels moved that the bill be introduced and referred back to the committee. Mr. Hickey seconded the motion and the committee unanimously carried the motion.

Mrs. Westall pointed out that the minutes of January 28, 1981 have her listed as being absent. She indicated that she was present and requested that the minutes be corrected. Mrs. Westall moved that the minutes be corrected. The motion was seconded by Mr. Vergiels and unanimously carried.

Mr. Robinson and Mr. Vergiels addressed the committee with comments on their subcommittee hearings in Las Vegas. Mr. Glover commented on the capital improvements subcommittee progress; and Mr. Horn reviewed the results of his subcommittee tour of the Department of Prisons.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

DATE: 3/4/81

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GUEST LIST

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