

MINUTES OF THE
MEETING OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE
ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

SIXTY-FIRST SESSION
NEVADA STATE LEGISLATURE
January 19, 1981

The Senate Committee on Government Affairs was called to order by Chairman James I. Gibson, at 3:34 p.m., Monday, January 19, 1981, in Room 243 of the Legislative Building, Carson City, Nevada. Exhibit A is the Meeting Agenda.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Senator James I. Gibson, Chairman
Senator Keith Ashworth
Senator James N. Kosinski
Senator Gene Echols
Senator Virgil Getto
Senator Sue Wagner

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

Senator Jean Ford, Vice Chairman (Excused)

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Andrew P. Grose, Research Director
Anne L. Lage, Committee Secretary

Chairman Gibson asked members to consider the Committee Rules for adoption. Each rule was explained by Chairman Gibson. See Exhibit B.

Motion to adopt the Committee Rules thus presented for the Sixty-First Session was made by Senator Kosinski, seconded by Senator Wagner. Motion carried unanimously.

Chairman Gibson then informed the members that the Government Affairs Committee would be meeting on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2:00 p.m. unless otherwise informed. Fridays will be adjusted to an earlier time as often as possible to better accommodate the members.

Copies of the bill log were viewed by the Senators and it was brought to their attention by Chairman Gibson that they would each receive an up-dated copy on a weekly basis. Copies can be obtained upon request at any time. See Exhibit C.

The next order of business was the introduction of bills by Chairman Gibson for approval by the committee.

BILL DRAFT REQUEST NO. 17-562 (S.B. 56)

This act relates to the Public Employees' Retirement System. After considering this bill, it was referred to Senator Echols for introduction into the Legislative Affairs Committee.

BILL DRAFT REQUEST NO. 19-583 (S.B. 3)

This act was presented by Senator Keith Ashworth for committee introduction. It creates an Interim Committee of legislators to oversee data processing.

BILL DRAFT REQUEST NO. 655 (S.C.R. 1)

Senator Keith Ashworth also presented the following bill: This bill adds to the Joint Rule limiting research, bill drafting and introduction of bills on reapportionment to certain committees charged with that responsibility.

BILL DRAFT REQUEST NO. 20-384 (S.B. 4)

This act, which was presented by Chairman Gibson for committee introduction, establishes the procedure for purchase and sale of real property by counties, cities and school districts for industrial development and housing.

BILL DRAFT REQUEST NO. 18-283 (S.B. 2)

Senator Gibson presented this bill for committee introduction. It states that no regulation may require residents of this State to contract with or purchase goods or services from any specified person or cause the resident to be discriminated against for failure to do so.

All above mentioned bills, with the exception of BILL DRAFT REQUEST 17-562, were approved unanimously for committee introduction.

With no further business, Chairman Gibson adjourned the meeting at 3:51 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

Anne L. Lage
Anne L. Lage, Secretary

APPROVED BY:

James I. Gibson
Senator James I. Gibson, Chairman

DATE: 1/20/81

SENATE AGENDA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Committee on Government Affairs, Room 243.

Day Monday, Date January 19, Time by call of the
Chairman

Discussion of Committee Rules.

Adoption of Committee Rules.

Committee Schedule (Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2:00 p.m.).

Consider Bill Introduction.

Business from Committee.

SENATE
COMMITTEE RULES - 61ST SESSION
GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

1. Four members constitute a quorum of the committee.
2. Motions will be moved, seconded, and passed by a simple majority of those present, except that disposable action ("DO PASS" or "HOLD") on a bill will require a majority of the entire committee.
3. In order to reconsider previous action taken, an affirmative vote of five members of the committee will be required. However, a majority of those present may allow the hearing of new evidence or information which would be pertinent to the determination of whether or not a matter or an action should be reconsidered.
4. Mason's Manual will be followed as to parliamentary procedure.
5. Any member of the committee may request an item on the agenda by contacting the committee chairman four days ahead of the committee meeting.
6. Committee bill introduction will be only by approval of five committee members. Committee introduction does not imply in any way a commitment on the part of any committee member to support the bill introduced.
7. Motions for disposable action by the committee will be taken only at the call of the chairman or in accordance with Rule 5 above. Such votes will be recorded in the minutes of the meeting.

