

SENATE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

Minutes of the Meeting
April 7, 1965

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m., April 7, 1965, by Chairman Sanborn. All members were present except Senators Van Sickle, Saar and Arthur.

The following House bills were assigned to subcommittees: House Bill 1090 to Senators Van Sickle and Woodard; House Bill 1094 to Senator Liebert; and House Bill 1095 to Senator Liebert.

House Bill 625, referred to the Committee, was discussed in detail. It was pointed out the Director of Revenue understood the cigarette tax increase also applied to retailers as well as wholesalers. This bill would allow a refund of these taxes to certain retailers who were assessed. \$81,112 in general revenue funds would be refunded if the bill was passed. After discussion, Senators Woodard and Liebert were appointed as a subcommittee to research the bill.

The Chairman reported that the House amended Senate Bill 320 by adding about \$12,000 (total of \$25,000) to the Forestry, Fish and Game emergency fund for repair of state lakes. Also, \$53 was added by the House for the Board of Cosmetology to cover retirement and social security benefits for the salary increase which was approved originally by this committee. Senator Ward moved that the Committee concur in the House amendments to Senate Bill 320. Senator Bell seconded the motion. Motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, it was adjourned.

THEO. A. SANBORN, Chairman