

CONTINUATION SHEET

Minutes of the Senate Committee on Judiciary February 16, 19 78.

SB 845 continued

Mark Bennett appeared in opposition to the bill. He urged that the bill be amended to provide only authority for one spouse to sue another when there was a deliberate act by the offending spouse. Committee discussion with him followed.

Bud Cornish appeared in opposition to the bill. He stated the concept of spouse suing spouse is not in the public interest. Committee discussion with him followed.

Mr. Palmer appeared in rebuttal of some of the points advanced by Mr. Bennett and Mr. Cornish. He stated that inter-spousal immunity had been done away in Oklahoma by judicial decision.

Senate Bill 911 - Establishing district attorney in the seventh Judicial district. Senator Berman introduced the Douglas County Attorney, Mike Malone, who spoke in support of the bill. He related difficulties with compensation. He also stated that the duties of prosecutor in Douglas County require the full time of the prosecutor, and the compensation should be in accordance with the duties.

The meeting adjourned.

These minutes were read and approved
by the committee on 4-6-78.

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