

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANSThe meeting was called to order by Senator Paul Hess at
Chairperson11:00 a.m./p.m. on January 11, 1984, 19 in room 123-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Committee staff present:

Research Department: Ed Ahrens, Mary Galligan, Lynne Holt
Revisor's Office: Norman Furse
Committee Office: Mark Skinner, Berniece Myers, Tom Fritzlen, Doris Fager

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Lynn Muchmore, Director, State Budget Division

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Motion was made by Senator Doyen and seconded by Senator Talkington to introduce a bill sponsored by the Legislative Coordinating Council concerning lease of computers, and to request that it be referred to this committee for consideration. The motion carried by voice vote.

Motion was made by Senator Warren and seconded by Senator Doyen to introduce a bill concerning the health care provider insurance availability act. The motion carried by voice vote.

Motion was made by Senator Doyen and seconded by Senator Talkington to introduce a bill recommended by the Governor concerning time for payment of taxes by insurance companies. The motion carried by voice vote.

Motion was made by Senator Doyen and seconded by Senator Talkington to introduce a bill concerning the distribution of state financial aid to public schools (Part of the Governor's proposal). The motion carried by roll call vote.

SB 495 and SB 496 - Reconsideration

Senator Talkington called the committee's attention to the bills considered at the meetings on January 10. He indicated that SB 495 needs no reconsideration by the committee. However, SB 496 amendments were contrary to negotiations made with members of the Legislature. Senator Talkington indicated that he had no difficulty with the bill as amended, but in view of previous negotiations, he would like to see the committee vote to rescind those amendments so the Chairman could explain that to the full Senate, and that the committee amendments should not be adopted on the Senate floor.

Motion was made by Senator Talkington and seconded by Senator Doyen to rescind the amendments made to SB 496 at the meeting of January 10. The motion carried by voice vote.

Mr. Muchmore presented charts for the committee to view as he gave an overview of the Governor's budget proposal for FY 1985. The committee members were given opportunity to question him concerning the various proposals.

The meeting was adjourned by the Chairman.