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Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE

The meeting was called to order by SENATOR ROY M. EHRLICH at  
Chairperson

10:00 a.m./p.m. on January 22, 1988 in room 526-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Committee staff present:

Emalene Correll, Legislative Research  
Norman Furse, Revisors Office  
Clarene Wilms, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee was called to order by Senator Ehrlich.

The chairman requested the wishes of the committee concerning SB-461. Senator Morris made the motion that SB-461 be passed out favorable for passage and placed on the consent calendar. Senator Bond seconded the motion. Discussion followed with Senator Morris, upon approval of Senator Bond, removed "and placed on the consent calendar" from his original motion. The motion carried.

Senate Bill 469 was placed before the committee for consideration. Senator Anderson made the motion to strike Section 1, line 26-27 "or in a not-for-profit corporation" and Section 2, line 80-81, "or in a not-for-profit corporation" inserting "medical care facilities and psychiatric hospitals that are licensed by the state." Senator Kerr seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Senator Salisbury made the motion to add a new Section 5 "The confidential relations and communications between a registered masters level psychologist and his or her client are placed on the same basis as provided by law for those between an attorney and an attorney's client. "Old Section 5 would become Section 6. Senator Kerr seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Senator Bond made the motion to delete Section 3, h, on page 4. Senator Salisbury seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Senator Bond made the motion to pass SB-469 out favorable as amended. Senator Kerr seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Senator Francisco requested the committee to introduce a pool risk insurance bill at such a time the bill draft was completed. After discussion, Senator Morris moved that the committee accept the proposal for a conceptual bill for pool risk insurance as a committee bill. Senator Hayden seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Senator Hayden stated he wished to request a committee bill on liver transplants. He also requested a briefing on the status of the catastrophic insurance bill in Congress. Emalene Correll stated that the bills were still before Congress. It appears a push will be made to pass the bill. However, it appears that the bill will only deal with liver transplants for medicare beneficiaries.

Senate Bill 460 was placed before the committee. Senator Hayden made a motion to table SB-460 until February 14. Senator Reilly seconded the motion and the motion carried.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE,  
room 526-S, Statehouse, at 10:00 a.m./~~p.m.~~ on January 22, 1988

The meeting was adjourned at 10:27 a.m. and will meet Tuesday,  
January 26, 1988.

