

Approved: February 22, 1999
Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Senator Lana Oleen at 3:25 p.m. on Wednesday February 10, 1999 at the rail on the third floor of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator Becker, Excused
 Senator Gooch, Excused
 Senator Harrington, Excused

Committee staff present: Mary Galligan, Legislative Research Department
 Judy Glasgow, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: None

Others attending:

The committee met for introduction of bills. Senator Vratil offered a substitute motion to introduce a bill to allow parent taught drivers education. Senator Bleeker seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Senator Biggs requested the introduction of a bill that would required housing units receiving state aid or financial incentive to be handicapped assessable. Senator Jones moved to introduce the bill. Senator Biggs seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Senator Vratil introduced a bill that would exempt public schools, public universities and community collages from utility franchise fees. Senator Jones second the motion. The motion passed.

The meeting adjourned at 3:35 p.m. The next meeting of the committee will be February 11, 1999.