

MINUTES OF THE SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Robert Tyson at 9:00 a.m. on March 27, 2001 in Room 423-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator Janis Lee - excused  
Senator Lana Oleen - excused  
Senator Dwayne Umbarger - excused

Committee staff present: Raney Gilliland, Legislative Research Department  
Jill Wolters, Office of Revisor of Statutes  
Judy Krase, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Others attending: See attached list

Senator Tyson called this meeting in order to work **House Concurrent Resolution 5009**, urging Congress to address the conservation and preservation of the High Plains Aquifer. Staff of Legislative Research reviewed the bill and discussion followed.

Senator Huelskamp moved that the words "portions of" be added after the word "WHEREAS" on line 16 of page 1, and that the word "portion" be stricken and replaced with the word "region" on line 17 of page 1. Senator Downey seconded the motion. The amendment passed.

Senator Huelskamp moved that the words "transition the economy as well as" on page 1, lines 31 and 32 be stricken, seconded by Senator Taddiken. The amendment passed.

Senator Oleen submitted an amendment to the Resolution which added addresses of the Chairmen of the United States Senate Committee on Environment and the United States House Committee on Resources (Attachment 1).

Senator Huelskamp moved that the Committee accept Senator Oleen's proposed amendment, seconded by Senator Downey. The amendment passed.

Senator Huelskamp moved that **HCR 5009** be passed as amended, seconded by Senator Taddiken. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25 a.m.