

Present: Smith, Hilbrecht, Branch, Lingenfelter, Dini, Getto, Bryan Hafen, Mello, Wood

Chairman Smith opened the meeting and presented BDR 25-1529 for consideration. This proposed bill would allow housing authority members to be compensated when attending meetings.

Dini moved that BDR 25-1529 be introduced by the committee. Motion seconded.

Motion unanimously passed.

Assemblyman Hilbrecht brought out the fact that many duplicate or similar bills were being introduced causing unnecessary work and consideration of all the legislators.

Hilbrecht moved that a resolution be drawn to direct the legislative counsel when they are confronted with multiple or identical bills on the same subject matter to advise the introducers without divulging names. The committee agreed that such a resolution should be submitted to the legislative counsel.

AB 417 which would require the approval of public employees before the retirement fund moneys could be invested in municipal bonds.was commented on by Assemblyman Branch. He said that he thought it would be a good interim measure. However, the committee developed that such approval would entail a complicated process which would not be practicable.

Branch moved that AB 417 be indefinitely postponed. Lingenfelter seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

Assemblyman Hilbrecht said that he was not going to pursue passage of the ombudsman bill but that he strongly urged consideration of creating a legislative investigator to assist in the gathering of facts pertinent to pending legislation.

Hilbrecht moved AB 1 be indefinitely postponed and a new bill drawn creating the legislative investigator. Lingenfelter seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

ACR 16 which directs the Legislative Commission to study municipal governments was commented upon by Mr. Curt Blyth of the Nevada Municipal Association. He said that the State of Nevada vitally needed a Municipal Code that would provide minimal common forms of city government and eradicate the wide variances that presently exist throughout the state.

Lingenfelter moved Do Pass ACR 16. Getto seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

SB 73 which authorizes the City of Boulder City to acquire within a specified project area a telephone project. Mr. Curt Blyth said

that lots had been sold and the buyers had been assured that underground cables would be installed. This bill would enable Boulder City to carry out the terms of sale.

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Bryan Hafen moved Do Pass <u>SB 73</u>. Branch seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

Assemblyman Hilbrecht commented on SB 28 which provides for judicial confirmation processes. He said it merely authorizes what is being done on a state level already and that the process enables political subdivisions to meet the demands of bonding counsel and federal requirements.

Bryan Hafen moved Do Pass <u>\$B 28</u>. Lingenfelter seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

SB 29 authorizes cities to acquire, improve and equip certain facilities and to contract with the Federal Government. It was developed that this bill was aimed to assist Boulder City and the committee agreed that it should be amended to bracket in Boulder City specifically.

Lingenfelter moved to amend <u>SB 29</u> to bracket Boulder City and Do Pass <u>SB 29</u> as amended. Hafen seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

Chairman Smith advised the committee to study SB 210 and that it would be added to the Monday meeting agenda.

SJR 27 of the 54th Session proposes a constitutional amendment concerning compensation, and expenses of legislators.

Lingenfelter moved Do Pass SJR 27 of the 54th Session. Bryan Hafen seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

AB 368 would authorize county commissioners to provide for cleanup of weeds and debris. The bill is widely supported in the Clark County area. Assemblyman Lingenfelter felt that it would impose difficulties in some other areas.

Branch moved Do Pass AB 368. Hilbrecht seconded. Motion passed over the objection of Lingenfelter.

AB 513 increases compensation of Churchill County officers.

Hilbrecht moved Do Pass AB 513. Branch seconded. Motion unanimously passed.

Chairman Smith said that the abortion bills were to be heard on Wednesday, March 5th and for that reason the March 5th agenda would be moved up to Tuesday's meet ing on March 4th. This change in the agenda would increase the committee's workload for Tuesday but will leave the members free on Wednesday for the hearing.

Meeting adjourned.