

MINUTES OF FIRST MEETING HELD OF ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT
AFFAIRS, APRIL 18, 1969

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

Absent: Branch

The meeting was convened by Chairman Smith and brought back to the committee by action on the floor was SB 479 which had been considered by the Ways and Means Committee and was referred to this committee for further consideration. This bill provides restirement allowances and beneficiary protection for public employees who terminate public employment after 15 or 20 years of service prior to reaching retirement age.

It was agreed that this bill had received the concurrence of of the Public Employees' Retirement Board and Mr. Keith Hendricks read into the record the actuary reports to the effect that the bill was worthy of consideration inasmuch as the plan will have to be liberalized and that with the bill's requirement for employee contribution it would not endanger the funds at this time.

Lingenfelter moved Do Pass SB 479.

Motion seconded.

Motion unanimously passed.

SB 411 provides for election, terms of office of mayor and councilment of third-class cities, provides number of councilmen for second-class cities. It also resolves a conflict with AB 673.

Hilbrecht moved Do Pass SB 411.

Mello seconded.

Motion unanimously passed.

SB 143 clarifies powers of State Board of Examiners with respect to refunds and other claims against State. Mr. Frank Daykin advised the committee that the bill resolves a conflict with SB 384.

SB 522 which provides for certain counties to appoint county officer to perform duties of county auditor.

Hilbrecht moved Do Pass SB 522.

Motion seconded.

Motion unanimously passed.

SB 531 establishes the Churchill-Lyon county boundary line.

Senatory Dodge appeared before the committee to affirm that this bill had been requested by the county commissioners as a result of their mutual consent to the bill. The bill is necessary to satisfy a ratification of the agreed upon action.

Dini moved Do Pass SB 531.

Getto seconded.

Motion unanimously passed.

Chairman Smith said that he had received a communication of request from Gene Milligan, Secretary, Public Service Commission for the committee to reconsider their action on SB 285.

Mr. Frank Daykin explained the intent to the committee and it was agreed that the Commission send a representative to the committee to further the consideration of the bill later this date.

After considering SB 143 further:

Hilbrecht moved Do Pass SB 143.
Eingenfelter seconded.
Motion unanimously passed.

SCR 29 which encourages local solutions to rezoning problems was moved to be indefinitely postponed. Motion failed a majority. It was then given a Do Pass motion which also failed a majority.

The committee agreed to meet later in the day for further consideration of SB 285 and SB 146.

Meeting adjourned.

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