

Approved: 2/17/93
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MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Dave Kerr at 1:30 p.m. on February 16, 1993 in Room 123-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator Tim Emert (Excused)

Committee staff present: Ben Barrett, Legislative Research Department
Avis Swartzman, Revisor of Statutes
LaVonne Mumert, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: None

Others attending: See attached list

Senator Tiahrt made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 15, 1993 meeting. Senator Walker seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

SB 100 - School district, entitlements from school district capital improvements fund; bonds issued upon voter approval by election

Staff explained that SB 100 is basically a clean-up bill which would specify that state assistance for bonded interest payments applies to those bond issues which were subject to voter approval. Instances when districts can issue bonds without being subject to protest petition are: for asbestos projects, bonds less than \$20,000 and when bonds are issued against levy authority in the capital outlay fund.

SB 101 - School districts, fees and charges, disposition of revenues

Staff explained that SB 101 contains provisions directing that any tuition payments received by a school district be deposited in the fund appropriate for the charge and any such revenues would be a part of the school district's local effort for purposes of the school finance law. The bill also contains clean-up language.

Senator Langworthy made a motion that SB 100 be recommended favorably for passage. Senator Jones seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

SB 102 - School districts, local option budgets, certain resolutions and elections invalidated

There was further discussion on the amendment presented to the Committee at the February 15 meeting. Senator Walker made a motion to amend SB 102 to provide that in the event of a protest petition and election, the local option budget shall not be less than the prior year's budget. Senator Langworthy seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Senator Frahm made a motion to further amend SB 102 by removing reference to a 3 percent increase in local option budget authority. Senator Jones seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Senator Langworthy made a motion to further amend SB 102 by adding a provision that establishes a 10% cap on increases in spending by school districts for the 1993-94 school year. Senator Walker seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Senator Walker made a motion to further amend SB 102 on page 4, line 39 by changing "30" to "45". Senator Hensley seconded the motion. Upon a vote, the motion failed.

Senator Frahm made a motion that SB 102, as amended, be recommended favorably for passage. Senator Langworthy seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, Room 123-S Statehouse, at 1:30 p.m. on February 16, 1993.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:30 p.m. The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for Wednesday, February 17, 1993.

SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

TIME: 1:30 PLACE: 123-5 DATE: 2/16/93

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