

IN THE SENATE

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 101

BY JUDICIARY AND RULES COMMITTEE

A SENATE RESOLUTION

1 STATING FINDINGS OF THE SENATE AND AMENDING RULES 19 AND 29 OF THE RULES OF
2 THE SENATE RELATING TO THE PRINTING COMMITTEE AND TO THE DIVISION OF A
3 QUESTION.
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5 Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Idaho:

6 WHEREAS, the Senate deems it necessary and desirable that Rules 19 and
7 29 of the Rules of the Senate be amended.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Senate, assembled
9 in the First Regular Session of the Sixty-first Idaho Legislature, that
10 Rules 19 and 29 of the Rules of the Senate shall be amended to read as follows:

11 RULE 19

12 Committee Assignments.--(A) The following standing committees shall
13 be appointed by the leadership under the direction of the President Pro Tem-
14 pore, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate; the number of members
15 on each committee shall be fixed in the order of appointment, and such order
16 shall be read into the Journal; provided that the President Pro Tempore shall
17 appoint a majority of each committee and the chairman of each committee from
18 the membership of the political party having a majority in the Senate:

19 Agricultural Affairs
20 Commerce and Human Resources
21 Education
22 Finance
23 Health and Welfare
24 Judiciary and Rules
25 Local Government and Taxation
26 Resources and Environment
27 State Affairs
28 Transportation

29 Printing Committee.--(B) The Judiciary and Rules Committee shall con-
30 stitute and perform all duties of a printing and engrossing and enrolling
31 committee in the Senate, ~~and shall negotiate and execute~~ including the execu-
32 tion of a contracts for printing of journals, bills, resolutions, memori-
33 als, and the session laws to be submitted to the Senate by resolution for ap-
34 proval; and shall perform such other functions of administration of Senate
35 affairs as shall be assigned to it by the President.

36 Absence of Chairman.--(C) At any committee meeting, in the absence of
37 the chairman, the acting chairman shall be the vice-chairman. If both chair-
38 man and vice-chairman be absent, then the other committee members, in the or-
39 der listed on the committee roster, shall have the right to serve as acting
40 chairman.

41 Chairman Voting.--(D) On all standing committees and the Committee of
42 the Whole, the chairman shall be entitled to vote at all times.

RULE 29

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2 Division of a Question.--(A) Any Senator may call for the division of
3 a question if it comprehends propositions so distinct, that one or more be-
4 ing taken away, substantive questions shall remain; but no bill, resolution,
5 memorial, or House amendment to any Senate bill or proposition shall be di-
6 visible. If a question be divided, each portion thereof shall be voted on
7 separately, the same as if it had been offered alone. ~~(See Rule 9(E).)~~

8 Strike Out and Insert.--(B) A motion to strike out and insert shall not
9 be divisible but motions to strike out or to insert shall not preclude a mo-
10 tion to amend or to strike out and insert. A motion to strike out and insert
11 or to strike or to insert shall be considered an amendment of bills and joint
12 resolutions and not permitted other than in the Committee of the Whole except
13 as provided in Rule 9(EF).