

MINUTES
HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE

DATE: Thursday, January 30, 2014
TIME: 1:30 P.M.
PLACE: Room EW40
MEMBERS: Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Shepherd, Representatives Wood(35), Wills, Bateman, Henderson, Denney, Gestrin, Gibbs, Hixon, Kauffman, Packer, Youngblood, McDonald, Ringo, King, Gannon
**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Representatives Palmer, Wills, and Gibbs
GUESTS: Amy Smith, ITD; Barry Takeuchi, ITD, Mark Warbis, Governor's Office
Chairman Shepherd called the meeting to order at 1:33 p.m.
MOTION: **Rep. Hixon** made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 22, 2014, meeting. **Motion carried by voice vote.**
H 389: **Amy Smith**, Vehicle Services Manager, Idaho Transportation Department (ITD), presented **H 389** and stated it will clean up language and alleviate inconsistencies in the Code. She said the changes will benefit vehicle owners who are selling their vehicle, who have lost their title and want to transfer ownership. She stated there are provisions that will allow counties and the department to collect late title filing penalties in-between owners who fail to title or pay required sales tax. Ms. Smith said the bill will clarify many definitions. It will eliminate old language relating to plate reservation and codifies the long standing requirement of replacing plates every seven years.
MOTION: **Rep. Wood(35)** made a motion to send **H 389** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Wood(35)** will sponsor the bill on the floor.
ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:44 p.m.

Representative Palmer
Chair

Linda Mott
Secretary