

MINUTES
HOUSE REVENUE & TAXATION COMMITTEE

DATE: Friday, February 10, 2017

TIME: 9:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room EW42

MEMBERS: Chairman Collins, Vice Chairman Trujillo, Representatives Moyle, Raybould, Anderst, Dayley, Hartgen, Kauffman, Chaney, Nate, Thompson, Gestrin, Stevenson, Troy, Erpelding, Gannon

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Rep. Dayley, Rep. Erpelding

GUESTS: Steve Fiscus, Tom Shaner, Don Williams, Doreen Warren, Idaho state Tax Commission; Jonathan Parker, Holland and Hart; Ryan Armbruster, Elam & Burke; Miguel Legarreta, ATI

Chairman Collins called the meeting to order at 9:00 A.M.

MOTION: **Rep. Trujillo** made a motion to approve the minutes of February 2, 2017. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 24813C1: **Steve Fiscus**, Administrator for Property Tax Division, Idaho State Tax Commission, presented **RS 24813C1** concerning Forest Lands Tax. The proposed legislation extends the current methodology for timber evaluation for five years.

MOTION: **Rep. Moyle** made a motion to introduce **RS 24813C1**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 2562C1: **Rep. Nate** presented **RS 2562C1** concerning Property Tax Notices. The proposed legislation will create a tax notice for the cost of each individual approved bond to each taxpayer according to their property value. In response to concerns about the logistics of implementation, Rep. Nate argued the benefits of transparency for the taxpayer outweigh the potential logistical burdens.

MOTION: **Rep. Anderst** made a motion to introduce **RS 2562C1**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 25166: **Rep. Clow** presented **RS 25166** concerning a revised definition in sales tax. The proposed legislation adds a three part alteration to the definition of a state retailer. The legislation will help in the taxation of outside retailers doing substantial business in Idaho.

MOTION: **Rep. Raybould** made a motion to introduce **RS 25166**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

MOTION: **Rep. Trujillo** made a motion to **HOLD H 116** at the call of the chair. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 9:27 A.M.

Representative Collins
Chair

Fred Swanstrum
Secretary