

MINUTES
HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

DATE: Tuesday, January 10, 2023

TIME: 9:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room EW40

MEMBERS: Chairman Crane(13), Vice Chairman Young, Representatives Palmer, Barbieri, Holtzclaw, Scott, Andrus, Skaug, Alfieri, Allgood, Crane(12), Gannon, Nash

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Rep. Nash

GUESTS: The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

Chairman Crane called the meeting to order at 9:04 AM.

Chairman Crane welcomed the Committee members and introduced the page **Trew Lammers**.

Chairman Crane assigned proofreaders for the committee; **Rep. Allgood and Green**.

Chairman Crane explained the rules of committee and how this would affect various individuals and groups.

RS 29972C1: **Rep. Young** presented **RS 29972C1** and discussed how this proposed legislation clarifies existing Idaho Code. It would ensure all post-election audits would be conducted as a hand count.

MOTION: **Rep. Skaug** made a motion to introduce **RS 29972C1**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 30007: **Rep. Raybould** presented **RS 30007** and discussed how this proposed legislation would make changes to House Rules 6, 8, 10, and 17. Within House Rule 6 it would update how many "personal" bills could be created by an individual legislator. She further explained how the title of "personal" bill would be changed to informational bills and would remain in the Office of the Chief Clerk. This legislation would clarify any references to informational bills within House Rules 8, 10, and 17.

In response to Committee questions, **Rep. Raybould** explained how **RS 30007** would not change the process by which legislators create bills. The change to House Rules would encourage bills to be put through the legislative process. She clarified the proposed changes to House Rule 17 and how informational bills could not be called up from Committee and would remain at the Chief Clerk's desk.

ORIGINAL MOTION: **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to introduce **RS 30007** and recommended it be sent directly to the second reading calendar with changes on page 1 line 26 from two to three.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION: **Rep. Scott** made a substitute motion to introduce **RS 30007** and send to the 2nd reading calendar with changes on page 1 striking lines 26-27.

AMENDED SUBSTITUTE MOTION: **Rep. Gannon** made an amended substitute motion to introduce **RS 30007** and recommended it be sent directly to the second reading calendar with changes on page 2 changing lines 24-25 to read "this provision can only be used one time per bill per session".

**VOTE ON
AMENDED
SUBSTITUTE
MOTION:**

Chairman Crane requested a roll call vote. **Amended substitute motion failed by a vote of 5 AYE, 7 NAY, and 1 Absent/Excused. Voting in favor of the motion: Reps. Young, Scott, Andrus, Skaug, and Gannon. Voting in opposition to the motion: Reps. Crane (13), Palmer, Barbieri, Holtzclaw, Alfieri, Allgood, and Crane (12). Rep. Nash was absent/excused.**

**VOTE ON
SUBSTITUTE
MOTION:**

Chairman Crane called for a vote on the substitute motion. **Substitute motion failed by voice vote.**

**VOTE ON
ORIGINAL
MOTION:**

Chairman Crane called for a vote on the original motion. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

ADJOURN:

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting adjourned at 9:30 AM.

Representative Crane (13)
Chair

Elbia Christensen
Secretary