

MINUTES
SENATE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

DATE: Friday, February 03, 2023

TIME: 8:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room WW55

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Guthrie, Vice Chairman Bernt, Senators Winder, Anthon, Harris, Lee, Toews, Wintrow, and Ruchti

ABSENT/ EXCUSED: None

NOTE: The sign-in sheet, testimonies and other related materials will be retained with the minutes in the committee's office until the end of the session and will then be located on file with the minutes in the Legislative Services Library.

CONVENED: **Chairman Guthrie** called the meeting of the Senate State Affairs Committee (Committee) to order at 8:00 a.m.

RS 29907 **CODIFIER - Technical Corrections to the Idaho Code. Elizabeth Bowen**, Legislative Services Office, advised **RS 29907** cleaned up general typographical errors, misspellings, and grammar in order to make the Legislation more readable.

MOTION: **Senator Harris** moved to send **RS 29907** to print. **Senator Lee** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

GUBERNATORIAL REAPPOINTMENT VOTE: **Committee vote on the Gubernatorial Reappointment of Jeffrey Anderson as Director of the State Liquor Division** for a term commencing January 7, 2022 and to expire January 7, 2025.

MOTION: **Senator Harris** moved to send the Gubernatorial Reappointment of **Jeffrey Anderson** as Director of the State Liquor Division to the floor with the recommendation that he be confirmed by the Senate. **Senator Wintrow** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

GUBERNATORIAL REAPPOINTMENT VOTE: **Committee vote on the Gubernatorial Reappointment of Michael Elliott to the Idaho Energy Resources Authority** to serve a term commencing July 1, 2021 and expiring June 30, 2026.

MOTION: **Senator Lee** moved to send the Gubernatorial Reappointment of **Michael Elliott** to the Idaho Energy Resources Authority to the floor with the recommendation that he be confirmed by the Senate. **Senator Wintrow** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENT VOTE: **Committee vote on the Gubernatorial Appointment of Edward Lodge to the Public Utilities Commission** for a term commencing January 10, 2023 and to expire January 10, 2029.

MOTION: **Senator Bernt** moved to send the Gubernatorial Appointment of **Edward Lodge** to the Public Utilities Commission to the floor with the recommendation that he be confirmed by the Senate. **Senator Toews** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

GUBERNATORIAL REAPPOINTMENT VOTE: **Committee vote on the Gubernatorial Reappointment of Kyle Wills as State Athletic Commissioner** for a term commencing October 1, 2022 and to expire October 1, 2026.

MOTION: **Senator Ruchti** moved to send the Gubernatorial Reappointment of **Kyle Wills** as State Athletic Commissioner to the floor with the recommendation that he be confirmed by the Senate. **Senator Lee** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

MINUTES APPROVAL: **Senator Winder** moved to approve the minutes of January 20, 2023. **Senator Ruchti** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

Senator Bernt moved to approve the minutes of January 25, 2023. **Senator Lee** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

ADJOURNED: There being no further business at this time, **Chairman Guthrie** adjourned the meeting at 8:08 a.m.

Senator Guthrie
Chair

Joyce Brewer
Secretary