

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Tuesday, January 15, 2019**

SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
	Organizational Meeting	
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">24-0801-1801</a>	Rules of the State Board of Morticians	Roger Hales, Bureau of Occupational Licenses
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">01-0101-1801</a>	Idaho Accountancy Rules	Kent A. Absec, Executive Director, Idaho State Board of Accountancy
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">01-0101-1802</a>	Idaho Accountancy Rules	Kent A. Absec
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">10-0101-1801</a>	Rules of Procedure	Keith Simila, P.E., Board of Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">10-0102-1801</a>	Rules of Professional Responsibility	Tom Judge, Board of Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 15, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Robert Hales, Bureau of Occupational Licenses, (IBOL), Kent Absec, Executive Director, Idaho State Board of Accountancy (ISBA), Keith Simila, P.E., Tom Judge, P. E., Tami Helton, State Board of Accountancy, Kelley Packer, Director, IBOL, Craig Geary, Board of Morticians, Lisa Geary, Steve Gordon, Board of Morticians, Laura Lanz, Idaho Society of CPA's (SBA)

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**Chairman Dixon** welcomed the committee. The five new committee members and committee Page, **Kassidy Ross**, introduced themselves.

**Reps. Green (18)** and **Nichols** will proof read the minutes, alternating weekly.

**Chairman Dixon** explained a legislator will be needed to present a Bill, however, anyone may run an RS.

**DOCKET NO. 24-0801-1801:** **Robert Hales** welcomed **Greg Geary** and **Lisa Geary**, of the Mortician's Board. Mr. Hales explained the proposed rule change will establish a licensee's certificate of authority expires when their license goes inactive, and provides it may be reissued when their license is returned to active status.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Smith** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 24-0801-1801. Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Furniss** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**DOCKET NO. 01-0101-1801:** **Kent Absec** requests an update to reflect a firm/licensee advised by a peer reviewer or team captain must notify the Board within 30 days of advisement of a fail grade on their peer review. Firms/licensees will be helped to be in compliance when issuing peer reviewable services and helps the Board take appropriate action to protect the public and give the firm time to fix problems.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 01-0101-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 01-0101-1802:** **Kent Absec** explained the reference to former paper-based exam is no longer applicable, allows the agency to utilize established substantial equivalency standards of other states, and gathers information from the Accountancy Licensing Database electronically. Licensees with a status of CPA-Retired or CPA-Inactive will be allowed to provide volunteer accounting services.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 01-0101-1802. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 10-0101-1801:** **Keith Simila** requested approval to align language consistent with law changes. An option for business entities to discontinue their certificate if services in Idaho will no longer be offered is added. The provision removes the accumulation of late fees, requiring a new application should services be offered in the future.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 10-0101-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 10-0102-1801:** **Tom Judge** explained a requirement for professional land surveyors to notify affected adjacent landowners and the Board prior to setting a monument representing a material discrepancy with another monument for the same property corner and potentially clouding the title of private land.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMorduant** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 10-0102-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:33 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Thursday, January 17, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0130-1801</a>	Individual Disability and Group Supplemental Disability Insurance Minimum Standards Rule	Director Dean Cameron, Idaho Dept. of Insurance
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0170-1801</a>	Rules Governing Small Employer Health Insurance Availability Act Plan Design	Director Dean Cameron
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0106-1801</a>	Rule to Implement Uniform Coverage for Newborn and Newly Adopted Children	Director Dean Cameron
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0123-1801</a>	Rules Pertaining to Idaho Acquisitions of Control and Insurance Holding Company Systems	Director Dean Cameron
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0124-1801</a>	Advertisement of Disability (Accident and Sickness) Insurance	Director Dean Cameron
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0149-1801</a>	Fire Protection Sprinkler Contractors	Director Dean Cameron
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0154-1801</a>	Rule to Implement the NAIC Medicare Supplement Insurance Minimum Standards Model Act	Director Dean Cameron
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">18-0162-1801</a>	Annual Financial Reporting	Director Dean Cameron

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**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Director Dean Cameron, Idaho Dept. of Insurance (IDI), Sen. Patrick McDonald, Gretchen Fors, CDHH, Kari Baker, parent, Ashley Schulthies, parent, Lesa Coleman, Idaho Hands & Voices (IHV), Michelle Wilson, insurance provider, Steven Snow, CDHH, April Nelson, IESDB, Jacob Robison, Wes Trexler, DOI, Elaine Mellon, DOI, Nathan Faragher, DOI, Iris Anson, LCP, Tom Donovan, DOI, Randy Pepan, IIABI, April Ward, ISHA, Susie Jones, Elks Hearing & Balance, Kassie Ross, IHV, Emilie Barasiak, ICDHH, Ray Lockary, IAD, Jess Stick-Hennen, Audiologist, Brenda Foster, Helen Thorsen, April Fagerson, Audiologist, Andrea Amestoy, parent, Stefanie Saltern, deaf advocate, Mary Wylie, school nurse, retired

**Chairman Dixon** Called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**DOCKET NO. 18-0130-1801:** **Director Dean Cameron**, Dept. of Insurance explained hearing loss is the most common sensory birth defect in the U.S., and hearing aids range from \$3000 to \$6000. Maintenance and replacement are required every three to five years. Idaho Rules prohibit health insurers to provide coverage for children with hearing loss. Cochlear implants were covered only if deemed medically necessary. The agreement calls for a hearing device every 3 years, and not less than 45 doctor visits during the first twelve months after the delivery of the covered device.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0130-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 18-0170-1801:** **Director Cameron** explained hearing loss is the most common sensory birth defect in the U.S., and hearing aids range from \$3000 to \$6000. Maintenance and replacement are required every three to five years. Idaho Rules prohibit health insurers to provide coverage for children with hearing loss. Cochlear implants were covered only if deemed medically necessary. The agreement calls for a hearing device every 3 years, and not less than 45 doctor visits during the first twelve months after the delivery of the covered device.

**Sen. Patrick McDonald, Gretchen Fors, CDHH, Kari Baker, parent, Lesa Coleman, Idaho Hands & Voices (IHV) Michelle Wilson, insurance provider, Steven Snow, CDHH, April Nelson, IESDB, Jacob Robison, Iris Anson, LCP, April Ward, ISHA, Susie Jones, Elks Hearing & Balance, Kassie Ross, IHV, Ray Lockary, IAD, Jess Stich-Hennen, Audiologist, Brenda Foster, Andrea Amestoy, parent, testified in support of Docket No. 18-0170-1801.**

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0170-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 18-0106-1801:** **Director Cameron** explained some language refers to premiums which denotes health insurance only and causes confusion for self-funded plans. "Contribution" and not "premium" is the correct term for payment by members covered by self-funded plans regulated by the DOI.

- MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0106-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**
- DOCKET NO. 18-0123-1801:** **Director Cameron** explained language regarding extraordinary dividends of group holding companies to be consistent with changes, using "lesser of" language in determining allowable dividend thresholds, "greater than" and slightly different thresholds.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0123-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**
- DOCKET NO. 18-0124-1801:** **Director Cameron** explained modification of Advertisement of Disability (Accident and Sickness) Insurance, eliminating the reference to 'direct response' advertising in regards to disability, accident and sickness policies. Typically carriers selling limited benefit plans object to filing advertising materials, causing the DOI to send separate requests for materials. This change would streamline communication, process, and be cost effective.
- MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0124-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**
- DOCKET NO. 18-0149-1801:** **Director Cameron** explained language providing for a Fire Protection Sprinkler advisory board that never formed be eliminated. The two dollar sprinkler head fee will be retained.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0149-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**
- DOCKET NO. 18-0154-1801:** **Director Cameron** explained language which updates definitions for 2020 Medicare Supplement Benefit Plans. "Newly eligible" for medicare is anyone 65 on or after Jan. 1, 2020, has disabilities, or end-stage renal disease. Plans C/F with F high-deductible will no longer be available to individuals newly eligible. Those already on Plans C and F can stay with plans for life, and are the only plans that will cover part B deductible. Plans D/G replace C/F for newly eligible individuals with guaranteed issue right. After 2020 those newly eligible will share costs of part B deductible. Coverage under part B deductible under C/F is \$183, all other benefits are the same for plans D/G. There is an addition of the new G high deductible plan option.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0154-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**
- DOCKET NO. 18-0162-1801:** **Director Cameron** explained language requiring a standard best corporate governance practice to assist company management and the board of large insurers by implementing sound business practices to maintain solvency and honor all policyholder obligations.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Smith** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 18-0162-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**
- ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee the meeting adjourned at 2:33 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Monday, January 21, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0101-1801</a>	Rules Governing Electrical Inspection Tags	Warren Wing, Department of Building Safety
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0102-1801</a>	Rules Governing Fees for Electrical Inspections FEE RULE	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0103-1801</a>	Rules of Electrical Licensing and Registration - General	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0103-1802</a>	Rules of Electrical Licensing and Registration - General	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0104-1801</a>	Rules Governing Specialty Licensing	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0105-1801</a>	Rules Governing Examinations	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0106-1801</a>	Rules Governing the Use of National Electrical Code	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0107-1801</a>	Rules Governing Continuing Education Requirements	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0108-1801</a>	Rules Governing Electrical Inspection Tag Appeals	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0111-1801</a>	Rules Governing Civil Penalties	Warren Wing
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0206-1702</a>	Rules Concerning Idaho State Plumbing Code	John Nielsen, DBS
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0701-1703</a>	Rules Governing Installation of Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning Systems, Division of Building Safety	John Nielsen
DOCKET NO. <a href="#">07-0301-1801</a>	Rules of Building Safety	Jeff Egan, DBS

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**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Warren Wing, Department of Building Safety (DBS), John Nielsen, DBS, Jeff Egen, DBS, Seth Machuloos, Intern, Brad Hunt, O.A.R.C.

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:34 p.m.

**DOCKET NO. 07-0101-1801:** **Warren Wing**, Department of Building Safety, explained necessary changes to align rules language with statute language due to new permitting processes for electrical inspections.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0101-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0102-1801:** **Warren Wing** added clarifying language to align statute language for electrical inspections. He also stated funds are paid to "Division of Building Safety" not "Electrical Bureau" and persons are to purchase permits for the type of work their license allows for and purchased prior to work.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0102-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0103-1801:** **Warren Wing** explained journeyman to apprentice ratio. A contractor is presumed to be in violation of the ratio by hiring more apprentices than Journeyman. New language makes it clear they are not in violation unless apprentices are worked out of ratio.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0103-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0103-1802:** **Warren Wing** explained grammar changes and additions such as "incorporation by reference", "office hours/mailing address", and "Public Records Act Compliance" language.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0103-1802. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0104-1801:** **Warren Wing** explained different "categories" of limited electrical licenses, clarifying Journeyman and Master Electricians can make these types of installations.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0104-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0105-1801:** **Warren Wing** explained added "incorporation by reference", "office hours/mailing address" and "Public Records Act Compliance" language. Inspectors are to required to pass the exam with a 75%.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0105-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0106-1801:** **Warren Wing** explained additions "incorporation by reference" language to the National Electrical Code, "office hours/ mailing address", as well as "Public Records Act Compliance". The NEC definition of concealed is changed to allow for installations common in Idaho and allows the common 200psi rated pipe instead of the less common 250psi rated pipe.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0106-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0107-1801:** **Warren Wing** explained added words, "incorporation by reference", "office hours/ mailing address" and "Public Records Act Compliance". License holders are allowed more latitude to choose continuing education classes, and receive continuing education credits for attending board meetings and negotiated rules meetings.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0107-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0108-1801:** **Warren Wing** explained language changes to align with statute, and clarifies codes available online. "Incorporation by reference", "office hours/ mailing address", "Public Records Act Compliance", and NFPA 70 language were added to align with statute. Bureau Chief language was deleted and replaced with Program Manager. Power companies are not to "connect" or energize unsafe installations.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0108-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0111-1801:** **Warren Wing** explained changes replacing "tags" with "permits", recognizes other "persons" besides electrical contractors can purchase permits, make electrical installations, and makes "permits" transferable. Inspections for installations are requested through DBS by permit holders, and shall be purchased prior to performing electrical installations. Outstanding fines, violations, and unpaid permits must be paid or corrected before additional permits are issued. Permits shall be purchased before inspection can be conducted, purchased and verified online by inspectors in the field. Homeowners are allowed to perform electrical installations and directs DBS to notify power provider of passed inspections that need energizing.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0111-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.** Rep. Collins made a motion to abstain.

**DOCKET NO. 07-0206-1702:** **John Nielsen**, Department of Building Safety, explained requirements Reduced Pressure Principle Backflow Prevention Assemblies on potable water supplied to beverage dispensers, carbonated beverage dispensers and coffee machines. This proposed amendment eliminates this requirement on coffee machines and non-carbonated beverage dispenser.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0206-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0701-1703:** **John Nielsen** explained a person enrolled in a 'full-time, one academic year HVAC training course' to receive one year of on-the-job (OJT) work experience. A person who completed the required HVAC schooling may take the written journeyman exam, even if OJT work experience is lacking. The license will not be issued until OJT requirements are met.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No.. 07-0701-1703. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0301-1801:** **Jeff Egan**, Department of Building Safety, explained an issue indicating the maximum piping length allowed in public lavatory faucets for hot water piping is too restrictive, leading to increased cost with little energy savings, and proposed a more workable table.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0301-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee the meeting adjourned at 2:28 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

**AMENDED AGENDA #2**  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Wednesday, January 23, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
Docket No. <a href="#">24-0101-1801</a>	Rules of the Board of Architectural Examiners	Roger Hales, Administrative Attorney
Docket No. <a href="#">24-2501-1801</a>	Rules of the Idaho Driving Businesses Licensure Board	Roger Hales
Docket No. <a href="#">49-0101-1801</a>	Rules of Procedure of the Idaho Certified Shorthand Reporters Board	Roger Hales
Docket No. <a href="#">24-2801-1802</a>	Fee Rules of the Barber and Cosmetology Services Licensing Board	Joan Callahan, Administrative Attorney
Docket No. <a href="#">24-1801-1801</a>	Rules of the Real Estate Appraiser Board	Scott Calhoun, Board Member
Docket No. <a href="#">24-1801-1802</a>	Fee Rules of the Real Estate Appraiser Board	Scott Calhoun
<a href="#">RS26465</a>	State Driving Businesses Licensure Board proposing to reduce apprenticeship training hours	Roger Hales
<a href="#">RS26468</a>	Idaho Certified Shorthand Reporters Board is proposing legislation to add the Certified Realtime Captioner (CRC); Exam to the list of Board-approved exams; allow online exam testing	Roger Hales

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**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Rep. Smith

**GUESTS:** Roger Hales, Administrative Attorney (AA), Joan Callahan, (AA), Scott Calhoun, (MAI), Board Member, Kelley Packer, Director, Idaho Bureau of Occupational Licenses (IBOL), Chelsea Wilson, PPH, Lindy High, Barber & Cosmetology Board, Rob McQuade, IBOL

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**DOCKET NO. 24-0101-1801:** **Roger Hales**, Administrative Attorney, explained changes to eliminate unnecessary language, certain requirements are clarified, a standard for the Board's review of applicants with a criminal record is set forth, and the 30 day application deadline is eliminated. The Board sent a notification to all current licensees reviewing the changes with no opposition to rule changes.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 24-0101-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 24-2501-1801:** **Roger Hales** explained changes allowing applications received less than seven days prior to a board meeting to be considered, provides a waiver for Instructor Apprenticeship Training Program for individuals who complete the State Department of Education's instructor training program, and allows a public driver education instructor licensed within the last five years to qualify for a private driving instructor license. The change eliminates the requirement an instructor have five or more continuous years of driver education experience to teach apprentices in private driving schools and provides a provision for carryover of continuing education hours. These changes reduce regulation, provide flexibility to licensees and applicants, and eliminate barriers to employment.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 24-2501-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 49-0101-1801:** **Roger Hales** explained language pertaining to the executive secretary position no longer being applicable has been removed. A section for the written statement of suitability for licensure to enable the Board to consider certain factors when reviewing an applicant with criminal history is added.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Stevenson** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 49-0101-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 24-2801-1802:** **Joan Callahan**, Administrative Attorney, explained reductions barriers to licensure, such as reducing hours of instruction for cosmetology, barber - stylist, and electrologist, implements a new makeup artistry certificate, allows transfer of instructional hours between professions, and specifies what services may be preformed outside a licensed establishment. Current fees are anticipated to cover costs of administering the law.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 24-2801-1802. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 24-1801-1801:** **Scott Calhoun** explained changes by the AQB and reduces barriers to obtain an Idaho appraisers license by reducing minimum qualifications for certain licenses. An Associates Degree for licensed real estate appraisers is removed and lowers the experience requirement. The experience requirement for certified residential appraisers is lowered, and alternative pathways to complete education requirements are added.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Stevenson** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 24-1801-1801. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 24-1801-1802:** **Scott Calhoun**, Board Member, explained The Real Estate Appraiser Board operates on funds derived from licensing and registration fees. The Board's balance exceeds the required amount of 100-150% of their annual budget, accordingly the fees are lowered.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Stevenson** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 24-1801-1802. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26465:** **Roger Hales** presented **RS 26465**, proposed legislation reducing apprenticeship training hours for a business instructor's license from sixty to thirty hours of classroom instruction, and to reduce the number of behind-the-wheel training hours from one hundred eight to sixteen hours. This Board requests an emergency clause for this legislation to allow early implementation for the benefit of applicants reducing barriers to licensure and employment for driving business instructors.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to introduce **RS 26465.**

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a substitute motion to introduce **RS 26465** with a change on page 2 line 12 from "his" back to "their". **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26468:** **Roger Hales**, introduced **Susan Gambee**, from the Idaho Certified Shorthand Reporters Board. Mr. Hales explained this proposed legislation provides more flexibility to applicants including pathways to licensure for out-of-state applicants, and licensure by endorsement for applicants who passed a national exam and have been working for three of the past five years in another state. Online approval for exams administered electronically would be allowed, and add the Certified Realtime Captioner (CRC) Exam to the list of Board-approved exams. This legislation provides flexibility to applicants and licensees, and enhance portability between Idaho and other states.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to introduce **RS 26468. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee the meeting adjourned at 3:01 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

**AMENDED AGENDA #1  
HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Tuesday, January 29, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">RS26426</a>	Accreditation of the Idaho Department of Insurance by the NAIC	Director Cameron, Dept. of Ins.
<a href="#">RS26492</a>	Remove an inactive committee that duplicates processes in the Budget Development Manual	Alex Adams, Administrator of Idaho Division of Financial Management
<a href="#">RS26493C1</a>	Transitions the Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator to the Division of Financial Management	Alex Adams
<a href="#">07-0501-1801</a>	Public Works Contractors License Board	Patrick Grace, Regional Manager, Division of Building Safety
<a href="#">07-1001-1801</a>	Damage Prevention Board, Division of Building Safety	Patrick Grace
<a href="#">12-0108-1801</a>	Uniform Securities Act	Jim Burns, Security Bureau Chief
<a href="#">12-0109-1801</a>	Idaho Credit Code	Anthony Poladori, Consumer Finance Bureau Chief
<a href="#">12-0110-1801</a>	Idaho Residential Mortgage Practices	Anthony Poladori
<a href="#">12-0111-1801</a>	Idaho Collection Agency Act	Anthony Poladori

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 29, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Rep. Palmer

**GUESTS:** Dean Cameron, Director, Dept. of Ins., Alex Adams, Administrator of Idaho Division of Financial Management,(DFM), Tom Donovan, DOI, David Fuklerson, DFM, Nathan Farngher, DOI, Patrick Grace, Regional Manager, Division of Building Safety, Jim Burns, Security Bureau Chief, Anthony Poladori, Consumer Finance Bureau Chief, Patty Highley, DOF, Dennis Stevenson, Rules Coordinator, Brad Hunt, O.A.R.C., Kent Dy, Liberty

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Green (18)** made a motion to approve the minutes of January 15, 2019, and the minutes of January 17, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26426:** **Dean Cameron**, Director, Dept. of Ins., presented **RS 26426**, legislation relating to model law amendments required for accreditation of the Idaho Department of Insurance by the NAIC. Accreditation maintains consistent and fair regulation of insurers and is necessary to retain carriers domiciled in Idaho thereby benefitting consumers. This legislation provides authority to the director of the Department of Insurance to act as a group-wide supervisor for an internationally active insurance group. It is helpful to insurance companies and their regulator to have one jurisdiction assess the enterprise-wide risks and coordinate group-wide supervision activities for insurance companies or insurance holding company groups. Acquisitions or other changes in a state's domestic insurance industry can occur quickly and change the state's role in overseeing a domestic insurer or their role within the holding company group.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to introduce **RS 26426**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26492:** **Alex Adams**, Administrator of Idaho Division of Financial Management, introduced Brian Mooney, Director, Dept. of Administration, and Dennis Stevenson, Rules Coordinator, then presented **RS 26492**, proposed legislation regarding a committee needlessly established duplicating a processes occurring in the development of the state's Budget Development Manual. The committee has not been active and should be removed from Code.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to introduce **RS 26492**.

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Smith** made a substitute motion to introduce **RS 26492** and recommend it be sent directly to the second reading calendar. **Motion carried by voice vote.**



**RS 26493C1:** **Alex Adams**, presented **RS 26493C1** proposed legislation transitioning the Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator (OARC) to the Division of Financial Management (DFM). DFM analysts review all rules submitted by agencies, and agencies work with OARC on technical aspects of publishing rules in the state's Administrative Bulletin. This transition will streamline executive branch processes, create efficiencies in state government, and promote higher quality rulemaking for all rules subject to legislative review.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to introduce **RS 26493C1**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-0501-1801:** **Patrick Grace**, Regional Manager, Division of Building Safety, explained the proposed rulemaking will define a qualified individual (QI) by examination. QI determine the "reasonable length of time" a contractor's license will remain in force, and clarify notice a contractor's QI has ceased to be connected with the contractor must be provided on forms prescribed by the administrator.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-0501-1801**. **Rep. Monks** invoked Rule 38 stating a possible conflict of interest. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO. 07-1001-1801:** **Patrick Grace**, Regional Manager, Division of Building Safety, explained pending rules of the Damage Prevention Board. This rulemaking requires parties requesting appeals to pay an appeal bond of \$200 to appeal, and will change any reference to "underground utility owners" to "underground facility owners" and will define locators and subject them to civil penalties. An underground facility owner, owner's agent, or locator who fails to locate or mark its underground facilities when responsible to do so in accordance with Idaho Code, or within the prescribed time provided, shall be subject to a civil penalty.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 07-1001-1801**. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Armstrong** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**DOCKET NO. 12-0108-1801:** **Jim Burns**, Security Bureau Chief, explained this rule will eliminate reference to the former paper-based exam which is no longer applicable. The rule will now focus only on the applicable computer-based exam.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 12-0108-1801**. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Monks** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**DOCKET NO. 12-0109-1801:** **Anthony Poladori**, Consumer Finance Bureau Chief, explained the federal Consumer Credit Protection Act and implementing regulations for incorporation into the Idaho Credit Code and the Rules Pursuant to the Idaho Credit Code. This proposed rule incorporates laws and regulations included within the federal Consumer Credit Protection Act, promoting consistency in state and federal consumer financial services laws so Idaho consumer financial service providers are not faced with an untenable requirement of complying with conflicting state and federal laws.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Berch** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 12-0109-1801**. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Barbieri** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**DOCKET NO. 12-0110-1801:** **Anthony Poladori** explained the Idaho Residential Mortgage Practices pending rule promotes consistency in state and federal mortgage-related laws so Idaho mortgage licensees are not faced with an untenable requirement of complying with conflicting state and federal laws. The proposed rule updates references to the NMLS Policy Guidebook, promoting consistency in nationwide licensing standards for mortgage licensees.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 12-0110-1801**. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Monks** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**DOCKET NO. 12-0111-1801:** **Anthony Poladori** explained this proposed rule incorporates the federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act by reference, promoting consistency in state and federal debt collection laws so Idaho collection agency licensees are not faced with an untenable requirement of complying with conflicting state and federal laws.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 12-0111-1801. Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Monks** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee the meeting adjourned at 2:23 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
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AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Thursday, January 31, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">RS26650</a>	Home owners association, solar panels	Rep. Rubel
<a href="#">RS26643</a>	Establishing a flat recording fee for all instruments, regardless of page count.	Phil McGrane, Clerk of the District Court
<a href="#">RS26574</a>	Amendments to the Idaho Business Corporation Act	Sen. Burgoyne

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, January 31, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Sen. Burgoyne, Rep. Rubel, Phil McGrane, Ada County Clerk, Allie Olson, Rialin Flores, CNI

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**RS 26650:** **Rep. Rubel** presented **RS 26650**, legislation proposing homeowners associations not limit or prohibit the installation of solar panels or collectors on structure rooftops unless the restriction reflects a safety requirement consistent with building code or safety standards for protection of persons or property.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Armstrong** made a motion to introduce **RS 26650. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26643:** **Phil McGrane**, Ada County Clerk, presented **RS 26643**, proposed legislation to establish a flat recording fee for all instruments, regardless of page count. Application of changes revealed differences in interpretation as to documents over 30 pages and whether the document was in a predictable fee category. The proposed single flat recording fee, for all documents regardless of type or page count, will remove the need for interpretation and simplify the fee structure. County revenue from recording fees will be affected.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to introduce **RS 26643. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26574:** **Sen. Burgoyne** introduced **David Jensen**, and presented **RS 26574**, proposed legislation to bring the Idaho Business Corporation Act into conformity with the Model Business Corporations Act and modernize our business code. The state would have the ability to access and file documents with the Secretary of State electronically. This would give uniformity across the United States so all states could access operations easier and with more transparency.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Berch** made a motion to introduce **RS 26574. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee the meeting adjourned at 1:56 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
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**AMENDED AGENDA #1**  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Tuesday, February 05, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">RS26715</a>	Petroleum gas container	Rep. Brit Raybould
<a href="#">RS26647</a>	Property, casualty insurance policy	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">RS26648</a>	Motor vehicles, register, insurance	Rep. Furniss
	Office of Performance Evaluations Idaho Legislature	Rakesh Mohan, Director, Office of Performance Evaluation Idaho Legislature

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Tuesday, February 05, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Will Hart, Idaho Consumer Owned Utilities, Tom Downs, DOI, John Mackey, Mike Brassey, State Farm Insurance

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Nichols** made a motion to approve the minutes of January 21, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26715:** **Rep. Raybould** presented **RS 26715**, proposed legislation protecting consumer safety by restricting the filling of propane gas storage tanks or cylinders to its owner or someone having the owner's authorization, provide liability protection and legal recourse in the event of violation. Idahoans safety is at risk when discount propane providers (DPP's) fill propane tanks already leased to customers by legitimate Idaho propane companies. DPP's do not conduct safety inspections, conduct leak tests, and overfill tanks to dangerous levels. Propane tanks owned by the customer can be filled by any company the customer chooses and would not be affected by this legislation.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to introduce **RS 26715**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26647:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **RS 26647**, proposed legislation prohibiting an insurer from cancellation, renewal or denial of property insurance for an unpaid claim inquiry. Three claims makes a client a high risk and is cancelled, and it is difficult for the client to obtain insurance.

**Rep. Furniss** invoked Rule 38 stating a possible conflict of interest and that he would not be voting on legislation.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Barbieri** made a motion to introduce **RS 26647**.

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Raymond** made a substitute motion to change line 26 to "claims" instead of "clams". **Substitute motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26648:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **RS 26648**, proposed legislation saying a vehicle shall not be registered under this section unless the applicant provides proof of current insurance coverage under a current insurance policy, applicable self-insurance policy, or indemnity bond.

**Rep. Furniss** invoked Rule 38 stating a possible conflict of interest and that he would not be voting on the legislation.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to introduce **RS 26648**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**Rakesh Mohan**, Director, Office of Performance Evaluations, discussed with the committee the use of performance measures. An effective performance process provides tools to ensure agencies operate efficiently, effectively, meet legislative intent, and provide opportunities for ongoing dialogue between agencies and committees on the sufficiency and usefulness of performance information recorded.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:17 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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**AMENDED AGENDA #3**  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Thursday, February 07, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 46</a>	Shorthand Court Reports	Rep. Hartgen
<a href="#">H 45</a>	Driving Businesses, apprenticeship	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">RS26754C1</a>	Update Idaho insurance code dealing with investment and reporting	John Mackey, United Heritage Insurance
	Overall Budget Review and Process	Paul Headlee, Division Manager
	Information to Budgets with the Committee's Policy Scope	Keith Bybee, Dept. of Finance, Dept. of Ins.
	Division of Building Safety and the Regulatory Board	Christine Otto, Budget and Policy Analyst

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Rep Crane                                Rep Monks  
Rep Palmer                                Rep Andrus  
Rep Barbieri                              Rep Furniss

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, February 07, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Rep. Monks

**GUESTS:** Dianne Cromwell, Susan Gambee, Shorthand Reporters Board, Woody Richards, American Family, Farm Bureau, Allstate, John Mackey, United Heritage, Nick Gourley, Jeff Neumeyer, United Heritage, Kelley Packer, Rep. Hartgen

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:31 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Nichols** made a motion to approve the minutes of January 23, and January 29, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 46:** **Rep. Hartgen** presented **H 46**, legislation adding the Certified Realtime Captioner (CRC) exam to the list of Idaho Certified Shorthand Reporters Board-approved exams, allowing online exam testing, providing a pathway to licensure by endorsement for applicants who have passed a national exam and have been working for three of the past five years in another state. This legislation will provide more flexibility to applicants and licensees, provide additional pathways to licensure for out-of-state applicants, and enhance portability between Idaho and other states.

**Susan Gambee** of the Shorthand Reporters Board explained the goal is to be up with other states and not in competition.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Clow** made a motion to send **H 46** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Hartgen** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 45:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **H 45**, legislation to reduce apprenticeship training hour requirement to qualify for driving business instructor licensure from sixty (60) to thirty (30) hours of classroom instruction, and to reduce the number of behind-the-wheel training hours from one hundred eight (108) to sixteen (16) hours. An emergency clause for this legislation is requested to allow its early implementation for the benefit of applicants. These changes reduce barriers to licensure and employment for driving business instructors. **Director Packer** confirmed sixteen hours is in line with the State Department of Education Driving teachers.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to send **H 45** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Furniss** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**RS  
26745C1:** **John Mackey** presented **RS 26745C1**, proposed legislation updating Idaho Insurance Code dealing with investment and reporting requirements for domestic insurers, clarifying disclosure requirements regarding an officer or director's investments, and add a limited disclosure exemption for certain investments commonly found in 401k or other retirement accounts. Clarification is provided regarding investment allowances for land and buildings used for home office purposes and adjusts the allowable investment levels for miscellaneous, bringing them in line with most states.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to introduce **RS 26745C1.** **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**Keith Bybee**, Dept. of Finance, presented information regarding the Department of Finance, a regulatory agency charged with the supervision and oversight of state-chartered financial institutions, regulated lenders, securities issuers, broker-dealers and stockbrokers, residential mortgage brokers and lenders, investment advisers and sales personnel, collection agencies, endowed care cemeteries, and others. Through prudent and efficient oversight of financial institutions, investment opportunities, and credit transactions, this is accomplished. Administration of laws enacted by the Idaho Legislature, legitimate financial transactions are encouraged, while fraud, unsafe practices, and unlawful conduct are detected and appropriate enforcement action is taken. The department administers and enforces twenty three regulatory statutes and is funded entirely by fees levied by law on the industries subject to its supervision. Agency budget request for the Executive Branch, which includes twenty executive departments and seven offices for statewide elected officials, the Judicial Branch, and the Legislative Branch. Included is the Governor's recommendation that provides the Legislature with a side-by-side comparison of each agency's budget request and the Governor's budget recommendation. Policy oversight is emphasized by grouping and displaying minor programs at the agency or divisional level, and clearly displaying and comparing the key policy budget decision that need to be made.

**Christine Otto**, Budget and Policy Analyst, explained the Division of Building Safety administers ten programs and houses eight boards. The ten programs include: the Electrical Program, Plumbing Program, Building Program, Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning Program, Underground Damage Prevention Program, Office of School Safety and Security Program, Elevator Program, Industrial Safety Program, Logging Program, and Public Works Contractor Licensing Program. The eight Boards include: the Electrical Board; Plumbing Board; the Idaho Building Code Board; the Public Works Contractor License Board; the Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Board; the Factory Built Structures Advisory Board; the Damage Prevention Board; and the School Safety and the Security Advisory Board.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:04 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

**AMENDED AGENDA #4**  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Monday, February 11, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#"><u>RS26848</u></a>	Military Education Training and Service	Sen. Lakey
<a href="#"><u>RS26776</u></a>	Barber, cosmetology services	Kristina Ellis
<a href="#"><u>RS26683C1</u></a>	Self-service Storage Facilities	Rep. Vander Woude
<a href="#"><u>RS26798</u></a>	Flat Recording Fees	Phil McGrane, Clerk of the District Court
<a href="#"><u>RS26817</u></a>	Under-insured motor vehicle coverage	Kelby Monks
<a href="#"><u>RS26859</u></a>	Automobile minimum liability insurance	Bill Litster
<a href="#"><u>RS26688</u></a>	Self-funded Health plans, surplus	Rep. Rod Furniss
<a href="#"><u>RS26691</u></a>	Life Insurance, notice	Rep. Zollinger

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Monday, February 11, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Vice Chairman DeMordaunt

**GUESTS:** Kris Ellis, IAHC, Senator Todd Lakey, Woody Richards, Tom Daniel, Farm Bureau

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**RS 26848:** **Sen. Lakey** presented **RS 26848**, proposed legislation updating occupational licensing reform, improving access, mobility, and portability to licensed occupations for military families and veterans by recognizing applicable military experience, expediting applications, and endorsement of current licenses held in other states, districts, or territories.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to introduce **RS 26848**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26776:** **Kris Ellis** presented **RS 26776**, proposed legislation exempting those working in facilities licensed by the Department of Health and Welfare, within the Division of Licensing and Certification, from being required to have a cosmetology license. The proposed exemption would include nurses, those delegated by a nurse, aides and volunteers who perform certain cosmetology services. Facilities licensed by the Division of Licensing and Certification include: Nursing Homes, Assisted Living Facilities, Certified Family Homes, Intermediate Care Facilities and Hospitals. The proposed legislation would codify the standard in licensed facilities.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Barbieri** made a motion to introduce **RS 26776**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26683C1:** **Rep. Vander Woude** presented **RS 26683C1** proposed legislation updating and amending sections relating to self-service storage facilities. The referred-to statute has not been amended since 1989, before the active use of internet and e-mail communications for business purposes. Amendments include definition updates, identifying reasonable rates for late charges and clarifying enforcement of lien language for consumers and operators. Verified or certified mail happens if email is not an option for communication.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Andrus** made a motion to introduce **RS 26683C1**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26798:** **Phil McGrane**, Clerk of the District Court, presented **RS 26798**, proposed legislation establishing a flat recording fee for all instruments, regardless of page count. Application of changes revealed differences in interpretation as to documents over 30 pages and whether the document was in a predictable fee category. The proposed single flat recording fee, \$27, for all documents regardless of type or page count, will remove the need for interpretation and simplify the fee structure. County revenue from recording fees will be affected.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Stevenson** made a motion to introduce **RS 26798**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

- RS 26817:** **Kelby Monks** presented **RS 26817**, proposed legislation eliminating phantom insurance and reduced payments for benefits paid by others. The legislation provides that when a citizen purchases motor vehicle underinsurance coverage, the purchaser receives the stated benefit provided on the declarations page. This prevents an insurance company receiving a premium for underinsured coverage from taking credit for benefits paid by other insurance companies. It further limits benefits recoverable to the purchaser's actual losses or the amount of coverage purchased, whichever is less. In response to committee questions Mr. Monks explained stacking is being able to use personal insurance when other insurance is exhausted.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to introduce **RS 26817**. **Reps. Monks, Furniss and Chairman Dixon** invoked rule 38. **Motion carried by voice vote.**
- RS 26688C1:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **RS 26688C1**, proposed legislation requiring all government self-funded plans to register with the director to be amended to exempt the state, allowing the state to enter into a self-funding contract without an additional initial up-front surplus. All other government agencies must register, and counties shall register within a five year period. Reserves and surplus provides alternatives to limit the maximum liability in a registered self-funded plan using proper funding and insurance products. A waiver is given to the director of insurance for plans that are properly funded without insurance.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to introduce **RS 26688C1**. **Rep. Furniss and Chairman Dixon** invoked rule 38. **Motion carried by voice vote.**
- RS 26859:** **Rep. Armstrong** presented **RS 26859**, proposed legislation increasing required automobile minimum liability insurance from \$25,000 to \$50,000 (for one claimant); from \$50,000 to \$100,000 (for two or more claimants in the same accident); and from \$15,000 to \$50,000 for property damage (to one or more vehicles or property damaged by the at-fault driver in the same accident). Automobile liability and property insurance minimum requirements have not increased since 1983. In response to committee questions, **Bill Litster** explained the needed update.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Berch** made a motion to introduce **RS 26859**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**
- RS 26691:** **Rep. Zollinger**, presented **RS 26691**, proposed legislation providing life insurance policy holders the option to pay in advance, at his or her own expense, to receive a final and any subsequent notices by certified mail if their life insurance policies are going to lapse or cancel.
- MOTION:** **Rep. Green (18)** made a motion to introduce **RS 26691**.
- SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Clow** made a substitute motion to return **RS 26691** to the sponsor.
- ROLL CALL VOTE ON SUBSTITUTION:** Roll call vote was requested. **Motion carried by a vote of 9 AYE, 7 NAY, 1 Absent/ Excused. Voting in favor** of the motion: **Reps. Crane, Palmer, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Furniss, Raymond, Chairman Dixon. Voting in opposition** of the motion: **Reps. Collins, Barbieri, Andrus, Nichols, Smith, Berch, Green(18). Rep. DeMordaunt was absent/ excused.**
- ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:33 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Wednesday, February 13, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 73</a>	Administrative Rules Coordinator	Chairman Dixon
<a href="#">H 71</a>	International Insurance groups	Rep. Collins
<a href="#">H 94</a>	Petroleum gas containers	Rep. Raybould
<a href="#">H 112</a>	Insurance, record of investment	Rep. Brent Crane

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Vice Chairman DeMordaunt   Rep Armstrong  
Rep Collins                Rep Clow  
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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, February 13, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt (Call), Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Reps. Monks, Barbieri

**GUESTS:** Tom Donavon, DOI, John Mackey, United Heritage, Jeff Neumeyer, United Heritage, Greg Donaca, Delta Dental, Ron Williams, Nathan Faragher, DOI, Alex Adam, DFM, Chelsea Wilson, PPA, Director Cameron, DOI, Jeff Neumeyer, United Heritage, Will Hart, ICUA, Bryan Case, Fall River RE Co-ops, Robert Boren, Salmon River Propane, JT Hill, Fall River Propane, Tom Clark, Rocky Mountain Propane, Joel Emerson, Clearwater Propane Council, Benjamin Kelly, NW Agricultural Co-op Council, Dennis Stevenson, Rules Coordinator

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Green(18)** made a motion to approve the minutes of January 31, and February 5, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**Chairman Dixon** turned the gavel over to **Rep. Collins**.

**H 73:** **Chairman Dixon** presented **H 73**, legislation transitioning the Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator (OARC) to the Division of Financial Management (DFM). DFM analysts review all rules submitted by agencies, and agencies work with OARC on technical aspects of publishing rules in the state's Administrative Bulletin. This transition will streamline executive branch processes, create efficiencies in state government, and promote higher quality rulemaking for all rules subject to legislative review.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Raymond** made a motion to send **H 73** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Dixon** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**Rep. Collins** turned the gavel over to **Chairman Dixon**.

**H 71:** **Rep. Collins** presented **H 71**, legislation relating to model law amendments required for accreditation of the Idaho Department of Insurance by the NAIC. Accreditation maintains consistent and fair regulation of insurers and is necessary to retain carriers domiciled in Idaho, thereby benefitting consumers. This legislation provides authority to the director of the Department of Insurance to act as a group-wide supervisor for an internationally active insurance group. It helps insurance companies and regulators to have one jurisdiction assess the enterprise-wide risks and coordinate group-wide supervision activities for insurance companies or insurance holding company groups. Acquisitions or other changes in a state's domestic insurance industry can occur quickly and change the state's role in overseeing a domestic insurer or their role within the holding company group.

**Reps. Collins, Call, and Furniss** invoked Rule 38 stating a possible conflict of interest and they would not be voting on the legislation.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Smith** made a motion to send **H 71** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Collins** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 94:** **Rep. Raybould** presented **H 94**, legislation protecting consumer safety by restricting the filling of propane gas storage tanks or cylinders to its owner or someone having the owner's authorization, provide liability protection and legal recourse in the event of violation. Idahoans safety is at risk when discount propane providers (DPP's) fill propane tanks already leased to customers by legitimate Idaho propane companies. DPP's do not conduct safety inspections, conduct leak tests, and overfill tanks to dangerous levels. Propane tanks owned by the customer can be filled by any company the customer chooses and would not be affected by this legislation.

**Will Hart**, Executive Director of Idaho Utilities, **IN SUPPORT** of **H 94**, and answered committee questions. **Benjamin Kelly** spoke **IN SUPPORT** of **H 94**.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Clow** made a motion to send **H 94** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Raybould** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee the meeting adjourned at 2.04 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
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**AMENDED AGENDA #2**  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Tuesday, February 19, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 112</a>	Insurance, record of investment	Rep. Crane
<a href="#">H 146</a>	Recorder's fees	Rep. Andrus
<a href="#">H 158</a>	Homeowner's Association, solar panels	Rep. Rubel

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Tuesday, February 19, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt (Call), Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** none

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained with the minutes in the committee secretary's office until the end of the session. Following the end of the session, the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Services Library.

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Nichols** made a motion to approve the minutes of February 7, and February 11, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 112:** **Rep. Crane** presented **H 112**, legislation updating Idaho Insurance Code dealing with investment and reporting requirements for domestic insurers, clarifying disclosure requirements regarding an officer or director's investments, and add a limited disclosure exemption for certain investments commonly found in 401k or other retirement accounts. Clarification is provided regarding investment allowances for land and buildings used for home office purposes, and adjusts the allowable investment levels for miscellaneous bringing them in line with most states.

**Ron Williams**, Delta Dental, spoke **in support** of **H 112**.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to send **H 112** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Crane** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 146:** **Rep. Andrus** presented **H 146**, legislation establishing a flat recording fee for all instruments, regardless of page count. Application of changes revealed differences in interpretation as to documents over 30 pages and whether the document was in a predictable fee category. The proposed single flat recording fee, \$27, for all documents regardless of type or page count, will remove the need for interpretation and simplify the fee structure. County revenue from recording fees will be affected.

Those speaking **in support** were **Phil McGrane**, Clerk of the District Court, who explained that public documents would be easier to record, and inaccurate fee documents slow closing times, and **Burt Willie**, Idaho Chapter for Community Association.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to send **H 146** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Andrus** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 158:** **Rep. Armstrong** presented **H 158**, legislation addressing homeowners associations not limiting or prohibiting the installation of solar panels or collectors on structure rooftops unless the restriction reflects a safety requirement consistent with building code or safety standards for protection of persons or property. **Rep. Rubel** spoke to the bill, explaining most other states allow solar panels, putting Idaho behind.

Those speaking **in support** were **Lisa Hecht, Brindee Collins**, Vial Fotheringham, LLP, **Emilee Reeves, Joye Joans**, Pres., Idaho CAI, **Burt Willie**, Idaho Chapter for Community Association, **Eric Jackson**, HOA, **Sara Stack, Courtney White**, ICEA, **David Becker, Roberta Damico, Joshua Hill**, Solar Industry Professional, **Jesse Simpson**, Solar Industry, **Micah Hornback**, Solar Industry, **Derek Jackson**, Solar Industry, **Brian Lowley, Cay Marquat, Heather Dermott**, Idaho Business for Outdoors, **Jennifer Ellis, Ed Wardwell**.

**Speaking in opposition, Joe Canning**, President of Hillcrest Lane Home Owners Corporation, stating the panels may be unattractive to other homeowners who's views may be affected.

**Rep. Rubel's** closing remarks explained the difficulty of solar panel installation, and a professional would be needed.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Green(18)** made a motion to send **H 158** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Monks** made a substitute motion to send **H 158** to General Orders.

**ROLL CALL VOTE ON SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** Roll call vote was requested on the substitute motion. **Motion carried by a vote of 12 AYE and 5 NAY. Voting in favor** of the motion: **Reps. DeMordaunt, Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Nichols, Raymond, and Chairman Dixon. Voting in opposition** to the motion: **Reps. Armstrong, Furniss, Smith, Berch, Green(18)**. **Rep. Armstrong** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 3:13 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
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AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Thursday, February 21, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 84</a>	General Business Corporations	Sen. Burgoyne
<a href="#">H 145</a>	Self Storage Facilities	Rep. Vander Woude

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, February 21, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt (Call), Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Reps. Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**GUESTS:** Joe Doherty, Self Storage Association, Rep. Ed Morse, A 22 Storage, Rob Haggett, Self Storage/ Trust Storage, Tim Olsen, Self Storage/ Trust Storage, Trent Wright, Idaho Bankers, Jeremy Pisca, NAI Alliance

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:33 p.m.

**H 84:** **Sen. Burgoyne** presented **H 82**, legislation to bring the Idaho Business Corporation Act into conformity with the Model Business Corporations Act and modernize our business code. The state would have the ability to access and file documents with the Secretary of State electronically. This would give uniformity across the United States so all states could access operations easier and with more transparency.

**Sen. Burgoyne** introduced **David Jensen**, Business Attorney, and **Paul Street**, to assist him. He yielded the floor to **David Jensen**, who explained It is easier to repeal and start a new act than change the legislation. This will not require a business to make any change. **Sen. Burgoyne** followed up answering committee questions regarding facilitation of corporations.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to send **H 84** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried with voice vote.** **Rep. Zollinger** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 145** **Rep. Vander Woude** presented **H 145**, legislation updating and amending sections relating to self-service storage facilities. Amendments include internet and e-mail communication, definition updates, identifying reasonable rates for late charges and clarifying enforcement of lien language for consumers and operators. Verified or certified mail happens if e-mail is not an option for communication. The bill amends and adds to existing law revising provisions regarding rental agreements and liens, to provide for a procedure in the event of default where the property stored in the leased space is a vehicle or trailer, and to provide for when an operator may restrict access to the leased space.

Speaking **in support** of the bill: **Joe Doherty**, Self Storage Association, and former **Rep. Ed Morse**, saying this bill would allow self storage owners to advertise sale of property, specifically to bidders. When the property is sold it reduces the amount owed to the owner of the storage unit. **Rob Haggett**, owner and developer of Trust Storage, uses technology to contact the customer.

**Trent Wright**, Idaho Bankers Associate, **spoke in opposition** of the bill, explaining the buyer of the storage unit takes free and clear all items, even if there is a lean at the bank, leaving a concern about the bank getting a free and clear title on the property, and asked that lines 8,9,10 be removed from the bill. The owner of the storage unit is absolved. **Jeremy Pisca**, Newspaper Association, said only a jury can define what is a commercially reasonable manner. Page 4, line 15, says any website, including the owners own website, without regards to the public, may be used to post notification. Newspapers are independent, uninterested, neutral, and try to reach as many people as possible.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to send **H 145** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**Rep. Nichols** reported an error on page 2, line 20, says "unite" rather than "united".

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a substitute motion to **HOLD H 145** for time certain, Monday, February 25, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
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AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Monday, February 25, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 144</a>	Barber and Cosmetology Services	Rep. Andrus
<a href="#">H 149</a>	Self Funded Health Plans	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">H 145</a>	Self Storage Facilities	Rep. Vander Woude

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Monday, February 25, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** none

**GUESTS:** Jim Dickinson, Ada County, C.W. Hurless, Stor-It, Kenzi Hurless, Ron Osborne, Ken Howell, Ryan Fitzgerald, Idaho Bankers, NW Credit Union Association, Tim Olsen, Self Storage

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**H 144:** **Rep. Andrus** presented **H 144**, legislation exempting those working in facilities licensed by the Department of Health and Welfare, within the Division of Licensing and Certification, from being required to have a cosmetology license. The proposed exemption would include nurses, those delegated by a nurse, aides and volunteers who perform certain cosmetology services. Facilities licensed by the Division of Licensing and Certification include: Nursing Homes, Assisted Living Facilities, Certified Family Homes, Intermediate Care Facilities and Hospitals.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a motion to send **H 144** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** Rep. Andrus will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 149:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **H 149**, legislation requiring all government self-funded plans to register with the director to be amended to exempt the state, allowing the state to enter into a self-funding contract without an additional initial up-front surplus. All other government agencies must register, and counties shall register within a five year period. Reserves and surplus provides alternatives to limit the maximum liability in a registered self-funded plan using proper funding and insurance products. A waiver is given to the director of insurance for plans that are properly funded without insurance. Health care consultant Mercer's recommendations to the Committee are as follows: The State of Idaho should self-fund state employee health benefits. The State of Idaho should exempt itself from Chapter 40 of Title 41, Idaho Code, just as the state exempted all counties of the state in 2001. Mercer has recommended 23 programs that have been shown nationally, if implemented using first in class vendors and properly operated, to provide long term reductions in annual increases of health care costs. Rep. Furniss and **Chairman Dixon** invoked Rule 38, stating a possible conflict of interest.

**Dean Cameron** Director, Department of Insurance, addressed the committee explaining monies are held in a wholly separate trust account. General provisions protect the money and only self-funded plans would be registered.

**Jim Dickinson**, Ada County Prosecutors, testified in **opposition** to **H 149**, being concerned the counties will be back into the auspices of the Department of Insurances.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Berch** made a motion to **HOLD H 149** for time certain, February 27, 2019.



**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a substitute motion to send **H 149** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**AMENDED SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Barbieri** made an amended substitute motion to send **H 149** to General Orders.

**MOTION WITHDRAWN:** **Rep. Collins** withdrew his substitute motion to send **H 149** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**AMENDED SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Armstrong** made an amended substitute motion to send **H 149** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUEST:** **Rep. Green(18)** asked for a unanimous consent to abstain from voting as she was absent for the presentation. There being no objection, the request was granted.

**ROLL CALL VOTE ON AMENDED SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** Roll call vote was requested. **Amended substitute motion carried by a vote of 10 AYE, 6 NAY. Voting in favor** of the motion: **Reps. Collins, Crane, Palmer, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Andrus, Furniss, Raymond, Smith. Voting in opposition** to the motion: **Reps. DeMordaunt, Barbieri, Monks, Nichols, Berch, and Chairman Dixon. Rep. Furniss** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 145:** **Rep. Vander Woude** returned **H 145** to the committee for consideration, which was held for time certain from the meeting of Thursday, February 21, 2019. This legislation updates and amends sections relating to self-service storage facilities. Amendments include internet and e-mail communication, definition updates, identifying reasonable rates for late charges and clarifying enforcement of lien language for consumers and operators. Verified or certified mail happens if e-mail is not an option for communication. The bill amends and adds to existing law revising provisions regarding rental agreements and liens, to provide for a procedure in the event of default where the property stored in the leased space is a vehicle or trailer, and to provide for when an operator may restrict access to the leased space. Changes made are; to advertise once in the newspaper, and lines 7-14 on page 5 will be stricken.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to send **H 145** to General Orders. **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Vander Woude** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Wednesday, February 27, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">S 1008</a>	Electrical, Apprentice Registration	Rep. Nichols
<a href="#">S 1012</a>	Public Works Contractors	Rep. Green(18)
<a href="#">S 1013</a>	Building, Safety, HVAC Board	Sen. Martin

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**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** John Nielsen, DBS, Patrick Grace, DBS, Warren Wing, DBS, John Eaten (AC)

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Green(18)** made a motion to approve the minutes of February 19, 2019.  
**Motion carried by voice vote.**

**S 1008:** **Rep. Nichols** presented **S 1008**, legislation changing the length of apprentice registrations from five years to one year, allowing in-state and out-of-state applicants to take the electrical journeyman's examination after working sixteen thousand hours on the job, requires filing of and online access to employment verification forms for all licensees and registrants, and allows the administrator to revive expired apprentice and limited electrical installer trainee registrations. In-state journeyman electrician applicants must attend four years of school and work eight thousand hours on the job. Out-of-state journeyman electrician applicants must attend four years of school and work eight thousand hours on the job, or work sixteen thousand hours on the job. The Idaho Electrical Board (Board) and the electrical industry in Idaho determined these requirements have been difficult for the Division of Building Safety (Division) to enforce and for many in the trade to achieve, creating barriers to entering and remaining in the trade.

In answer to committee questions, **Warren Wing** explained yearly fees, stating apprentice registration is \$25. The renewal would be every year, rather than every five years, and an increase of \$25.

**Chris Jensen**, Director of Building Safety, said it takes four or five years to become licensed, and if the apprentices don't make it in 5 years they became ineligible to reapply. Under the rule they may sign up every year as an apprentice and extension can be made for 10 years.

**Rep. Nichols** closed stating this bill will allow more journeymen to continue their apprenticeships as they can register yearly instead of trying to complete it in four or five years.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to send **S 1008** on the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Crane and Chairman Dixon** invoked Rule 38. **Rep. Nichols** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 1012:** **Rep. Green (18)** presented **S 1012**, legislation requiring the Public Works Contractors License Board (Board) to "hold not less than four regular meetings each year, on a day not later than the fifteenth day of the month in each of the months of January, April, July and October." Many state boards only require two meetings per year. The Board finds it difficult to coordinate four meetings per year within strict time frames, especially in years the Board must hold additional special meetings for statutorily mandated purposes. Idaho Code requires the Board to be composed of eight members. Idaho Code requires four members for a quorum of the Board. This will change the number of meetings the Board must hold from four per year to two per year and remove the requirement that the Board meet by the fifteenth day of specific months, and changes the quorum requirement from four members of the Board to a majority of the Board. Changing the quorum requirement will ensure the actions of the Board are more representative of the desires of the entire Board and make it less likely the Board's votes will result in a tie.

**Rep. Green(18)** deferred to **Patrick Grace** who explained there would still be an election of officers.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to send **S 1012** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Green(18)** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**S 1013:** **Sen. Martin** presented **S 1013**, legislation currently requiring one Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning Board (Board) member to be a heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) specialty contractor. The Division of Building Safety (Division) and the Board have had difficulty filling this position with a qualified, willing specialty contractor. This proposal will require one Board member to be a representative of the HVAC industry, instead of an HVAC specialty contractor, allowing the Board and Division to adequately fill this position, while ensuring this position represents the interests of the HVAC industry.

**John Nielsen** said there are less than twenty five HVAC contractors in the state.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a motion to send **S 1013** on the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Crane** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:55 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Tuesday, March 05, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 178</a>	Insurance Claims	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">H 195</a>	Barber, Cosmetology Schools	Rep. Clow

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Tuesday, March 05, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Rep. Raymond, Monks

**GUESTS:** Michelle Hamilton, Woody Richards, Allstate, American Family, Farm Bureau, Mike Kane, APCIA, Mike Brassey, State Farm Insurance, Kent Day, Liberty Mutual, Sarah Bettmieser, State Farm Insurance, Alicia Olsen, Master Educators (ME), Amber Salinas, ME, Kim Barton, ME

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Nichols** made a motion to approve the minutes of February 25, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 178:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **H 178**, legislation prohibiting an insurer from cancellation, and renewal or denial of property insurance for an unpaid claim inquiry. Insurance companies can deny a policy if the client calls in with an unpaid claim, or with a claim. If the person can find another company to buy insurance from, the policy will be more expensive. Montana's policy says insurance companies can't cancel because there is an unpaid claim or an inquiry. This bill only says that a company cannot cancel a policy because of an inquiry, or an unpaid claim. An insurance company may cancel if it feels there is a risk involved. Agents stand between the client and the company, and want to keep client. Rep. Furniss invoked Rule 38.

**Michelle Hamilton** spoke in support of the bill, citing a personal experience of this nature.

**Woody Richards**, Allstate, American Family, Farm Bureau, and **Mike Kane**, APCIA, spoke in opposition to **H 178**, explaining the difference between cancellation and nonrenewable. A cancellation happens during a policy, and a non-renewal happens when a company doesn't renew with the client at the end of the renewal term. People with a claims history can be a precursor of future claims, and some claims are not payable due to fraud. Should this bill pass, companies will not be able to refuse to insure the client with a fraudulent claim. Both sides should be free to contract based on their own judgments. Mr. Richards has not been asked to "stand down", nor does he know of a "black list". In response to committee questions, Mr. Richards feels that through negotiation, this bill could be rewritten. Some things are non negotiable. There is a way to check credit rating, and is a small amount of what goes into renewing a policy. The definition of an inquiry needs to be agreed upon. If inquiry is described as what is covered, it would not be cause for cancellation. Renewal depends on the extent of the damage.

**Michael Brassey**, State Farm Insurance, said this company does not have a "three strikes you're out" policy. An insurer should be concerned about the substance of the claim.

In summary, **Rep. Furniss** was concerned about application questions which say, "have you ever been cancelled by a company". Agents were asked to stand down, and are very concerned because policies are cancelled because of an inquiry. Claims that go unpaid are usually under five hundred dollars. The Department of Insurance may not know of the claims, because clients don't go to the Department of Insurance for an exception.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Berch** made a motion to send **H 178** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a substitute motion to **HOLD H 178** for time certain on March 11, 2019.

**Rep. Barbieri, Rep. Green(18), Rep. Stevenson, and Rep. Berch** spoke in **support** of the substitute motion.

**VOTE ON SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 195:** **Rep. Clow** presented **H 195**, legislation amending Idaho Code. In 2018 the Cosmetology and Barber Boards were merged into a new Barber and Cosmetology Services Act. During that process, the new section addressing the Renewal and Reinstatement of License and Registration, did not address the consequences of an inadvertent late payment of a Cosmetology or Barber School. Many of these schools provide training to students who rely on financial aid. The US Department of Education requires these schools to maintain a continuous license. This amendment provides the Barber and Cosmetology Services Licensing Board the authority to approve the reinstatement retroactive to the date of expiration. The school must have paid the renewal fee within 90 days of the failure to renew, there must be no other cause for the school's license to have been cancelled, and all costs and penalties related to the renewal must be paid. This only changes the renewal and reinstatement of Barber and Cosmetology schools and not the many licensed professions covered by the Barbers and Cosmetology Act. The students of these schools would be assured that an inadvertent clerical error would not impact their financial aid or continuity of their education.

**Alicia Olsen**, Master Educators (ME), and **Amber Salinas**, ME, spoke in **support** of the bill.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Smith** made a motion to send **H 195** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Clow** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Thursday, March 07, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">S 1053</a>	Barbers, Barber-Stylists	Sen. Guthrie
<a href="#">S 1048</a>	Credit Union	Rep. Crane
<a href="#">H 248</a>	Occupational Licensing Reform	Rep. DeMordaunt

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Vice Chairman DeMordaunt   Rep Armstrong  
Rep Collins                Rep Clow  
Rep Crane                 Rep Monks  
Rep Palmer                Rep Andrus  
Rep Barbieri              Rep Furniss

Rep Nichols  
Rep Raymond  
Rep Smith  
Rep Berch  
Rep Green(18)

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, March 07, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Reps. Monks, Palmer, Furniss, Smith

**GUESTS:** Rob McQuade, IBOL, Ryan Fitzgerald, NWCUA, Mary Hughes, Idaho Department of Finance, John Watts, ICCU, Susan Odom, Board of Nursing, Marv Hagedorn, IDVS, Kay Haas, Kestral West

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Green(18)** made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 27, 2019 meeting. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**MOTION:** **Rep. Nichols** made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 21, 2019 meeting. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**John Watts** ICCU, and **Ryan Fitzgerald**, NWCUA, spoke in support of **S 1048**. Mr. Fitzgerald said he worked directly with the leadership of the Idaho Department of Finance, and received feedback from the industry stakeholders, including the Idaho Bankers Association, who have expressed no concerns with the update and clarification language proposed.

**S 1053:** **Sen. Guthrie** presented **S 1053**, legislation providing for apprenticeship opportunities for barbering and barber-styling professions. These changes will be consistent with the changes made for cosmetology last session.

**Kay Haas** spoke in support of **S 1053**.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to send **S 1053** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Andrus** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**S 1048:** **Rep. Crane** presented **S 1048**, legislation providing technical corrections and further amends the internal governance provisions of the Idaho Credit Union Act that were amended in 2018. This legislation: amends the requirements for annual credit union membership meetings in order to allow greater access for members to be involved in the governance of their credit union; makes a technical correction to the different options a credit union supervisory committee can utilize in verifying member accounts; adds technical descriptors to further define the Capital, Assets, Management, Earnings, Liquidity, and Sensitivity (CAMELS) rating system; and amends bond requirements to clarify what each credit union must carry in order to insure against risk versus optional coverages that may also be purchased by the credit union.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Green(18)** made a motion to send **S 1048** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Crane** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 248:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** presented **H 248**, legislation relating to occupational licensing reform, improving access, mobility, and portability to licensed occupations for military families and veterans by recognizing applicable military experience, expediting applications, and endorsement of current licenses held in other states, districts, or territories.

**Director Hagedorn** spoke of over two hundred thousand military coming home to the United States and would like to have them come to Idaho. Those who have military standards as well as Idaho standards would add to Idaho's economy.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Clow** made a motion to send **H 248** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. DeMordaunt** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Monday, March 11, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 178</a>	Insurance Claims	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">H 247</a>	Underinsured Motor Vehicle Coverage	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">H 229</a>	Residential, Electrical Code	Rep. Crane
<a href="#">S 1037aa</a>	Surveyors, Private Land Access	Rep. Gestrin

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Rep Palmer	Rep Andrus	Rep Green(18)
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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Monday, March 11, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith (Nye), Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Randy Pipal, IIABI, Woody Richards, Allstate, American Family, Farm Bureau, Jeff Neumeyer, United Heritage, Kent Day, Liberty Mutual, Mike Kane, APCI, Shawn Keough, Association of Loggers Exchange, Dean Cameron, DOI, Thomas Judge, IBPELS, Glenn Bennett, Civil Survey Consultants, Keith Simila, Board of Engineers and Surveyors, Marty Durand, Idaho Building Trades, Jeff Fitzloff, Mark Zaleski, IBEW, Kelly Lamp, Idaho National Electrical Contractors, Bob Scott, Electrical Board, Jeremy Redman, IBEW291, Brody Aston, IDABO, Jason Hudson, Idaho AFL-CIO

**MOTION:** **Rep. Green(18)** made a motion to approve the minutes of March 5, 2019 meeting. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 178:** **Rep. Furniss** returned **H 178** to the committee for consideration, which was held for time certain from the meeting of Thursday, March 7, 2019. After meeting with the Department of Insurance, Rep. Furniss requested to **HOLD H 178** in the committee.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Barbieri** made a motion to **HOLD H 178** in committee. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 247:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **H 247**, legislation eliminating the problem of phantom insurance and reduced payments for benefits paid by others. When a citizen purchases motor vehicle underinsurance coverage, the purchaser receives the stated benefit provided on the declarations page. This prevents an insurance company that receives a premium for underinsured coverage from taking credit for benefits paid by other insurance companies. It further limits the benefits recoverable to the purchaser's actual losses or the amount of coverage purchased, whichever is less. **Reps. Monks** and Furniss invoked rule 38.

**Kelby Monks**, attorney, spoke **in favor** of **H 247**, explaining only one insurance will pay on a claim, even though both parties are covered.

**Randy Pipal, Woody Richards, Chuck Neumeyer, and Mike Kane**, spoke **in opposition** of **H 247**, saying this bill would compel Idahoans to purchase more coverage, and Idahoans currently have the choice to purchase more insurance. Insurance may be priced out of the market for some individuals, and agents would no longer be able to sell their product.

As no motion was made, **H 247** will be held in committee.

**H 229:** **Rep. Crane** presented **H 229**, legislation creating an Idaho Residential Electrical Code, and increasing the journeymen to apprentice ratio to 1:4 for residential electrical contractors. Rep. Crane requested **H 229** be sent to General Orders.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Palmer** made a motion to send **H 229** to General Orders. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**S 1037aa:** **Rep. Gestrin** presented **S 1037aa**, an amendment expanding the existing authorization to access private lands to include private land surveyors. Licensed professional land surveyors are the only persons authorized by Idaho statute to provide legal surveys of private property boundaries. The authorization to access and locate necessary property corners and evidence related to boundaries enables land surveyors to conduct a proper survey. Surveys supported by all of the required evidence protect real property rights.

**Thomas Judge**, Deputy Director **IBPELS**, spoke **in support** of **S 1037aa**. This bill provides a reliable access to private land for Professional Land Surveyors and subordinates when conducting land surveys, putting the property rights of all owners on a level field. Land surveyors must access private property to correctly determine property boundaries. Under current law, only select surveyors working on limited government surveys have a legal right to enter private property. Private surveyors are required to obtain permission from the owner of every property they enter. That permission can be withheld, is revocable at any time without warning, adds significant cost, and even prevents completion of many projects. Refusal to grant access causes turmoil if boundary determinations are made without access to the required evidence. Owners and businesses suffer loss when surveys are cancelled mid-stream or elevated to the courts.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Clow** made a motion to send **S 1037aa** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Gestrin** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:55 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Wednesday, March 13, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">H 229</a>	Residential, Electrical Code	Rep. Crane
<a href="#">SCR 106</a>	Idaho Plumbing Code	Sen. Patrick
<a href="#">S 1006</a>	Securities and Notice Filings	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">S 1007aa</a>	Collection Agencies, Recovery Funds	Rep. Furniss

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Rep Collins	Rep Clow	Rep Smith
Rep Crane	Rep Monks	Rep Berch
Rep Palmer	Rep Andrus	Rep Green(18)
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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, March 13, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** NONE

**GUESTS:** Jeff Fitzloff, electrician, Jackie Koehler, IEC Idaho, Marty Durand, Building Trades, Ronald Lawson, NJATC, Mark Zaleski, IBEW 291, Kelly Lamp, Idaho Chapter, National Electrician Contractors, Bob Scott, NECA, Warren Wing, DBS, Susan Petrazzelli, Petrezzelelli Electric, Glenneda Zuidervela, Freedom Electric, Jason Hudson, Idaho AFL-CIO, Brody Aston, IDABO, Alan Conilouge, Idaho Department of Finance, Anthony Polidari, Idaho Department of Finance, John Watts, Association of Collections

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Nichols** made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 7, 2019, and March 11, 2019 meetings. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 229:** **Rep. Crane** presented **H 229**, legislation creating an Idaho Residential Electrical Code, and increasing the journeymen to apprentice ratio to 1:4 for residential electrical contractors.

**Jeff Fitzloff**, electrician, **Marty Durand**, Building Trades, **Ronald Lawson**, NJATC, **Mark Zalenski**, IBEW 291, **Kelly Lamp**, Idaho Chapter, **Bob Scott**, NECA, **Susan Petrazzelli**, Petrezzelelli Electric, and **Jason Hudson** spoke in opposition to **H 229**. Availability of apprenticeships depends on construction demand, and Idaho has 5000 journeymen and 5000 apprentices signed up. Apprentices need time to learn the trade, tool and work safety, or a disposable labor force is created. The green sticker from an inspector is an approval that all code has been met. The code is to keep people safe, and is not designed for untrained apprentices. The 4:1 ratio may be well in retrofits, but would not be acceptable in full wiring, and could lead to hazardous conditions.

**Brody Aston**, IDABO, said the plumbing and building board will support this bill if the code is available for review every three years, have a collaborative process, and bring the rules to the legislature instead of going through statute to make amendments.

**Rep. Crane** said using the 2017 as the base code, updating the code every three years will allow Idaho to add from the National Code Book and reject what isn't wanted.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Andrus** made a motion to send **H 229** to General Orders.

**SUBSTITUTE  
MOTION:** **Rep. Berch** made a substitute motion to **HOLD H 229** in committee. **Substitute motion failed by voice vote.**

**VOTE ON ORIGINAL MOTION:**

Roll call vote was requested: **Motion carried by a vote of 14 AYE, 1 NAY, 2 Absent/ excused. Voting in favor of the motion: Chairman Dixon, Reps. DeMordaunt, Collins, Crane, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, and Green(18). Voting in opposition to the motion: Rep. Berch. Rep. Monks and Palmer were absent/ excused. Rep. Crane will sponsor the bill on the floor.**

**ADJOURN:**

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 3:06 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
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AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Tuesday, March 19, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">SCR 106</a>	Idaho Plumbing Code	Sen. Lakey
<a href="#">S 1152</a>	Unclaimed Property, Cooperative Utilities	Rep. Kauffman
<a href="#">H 275</a>	Short-term Health Insurance Plans	Rep. Dixon
<a href="#">S 1182</a>	Residential Solar Energy System	Rep. Crane

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Vice Chairman DeMordaunt    Rep Armstrong  
Rep Collins                Rep Clow  
Rep Crane                 Rep Monks  
Rep Palmer                Rep Andrus  
Rep Barbieri              Rep Furniss

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Tuesday, March 19, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Rep. Monks

**GUESTS:** John Nielsen, DBS, Senator Todd Lakey, Ken McClure, ITA, Will Hart, Idaho Consumer-Owned Utilities Association, Jen Visser, Idaho Power, Kevin King, ICEA, Dean Cameron, Director, Department of Insurance (DOI)

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**SCR 106:** **Sen. Lakey** presented **SCR 106**, legislation rejecting certain sections of rule of the Idaho Division of Building Safety related to the Idaho Plumbing Code.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to send **SCR 106** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Monks** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**S 1152:** **Rep. Kauffman** presented **S 1152**, and said cooperatives distribute electric power, provide telecommunications and broadband services to their members in rural Idaho, are member-owned and managed. Cooperatives set service rates, and determine service standards without PUC oversight. In many states cooperatives are specifically exempted from state unclaimed property laws. This legislation would bring Idaho into line with other states that historically exempted patronage capital credits from unclaimed property statutes and allow these cooperatives to decide how to deal with unclaimed capital credits, and either be exempt from or subject to the state's unclaimed property laws as they choose.

**Ken McClure**, ITA, and **Will Hart** spoke in support of **S 1152**, saying because these cooperatives do not earn profits in the sense that other businesses do, any margins or revenues remaining after all expenses have been paid are returned to the members in the form of patronage capital. Idaho's current code governing unclaimed patronage capital requires reporting and maintaining files on members for years which is costly and burdensome for these local, rural, member-owned and managed utilities. **S 1152** would allow rural electric, telecommunications, and broadband cooperatives to continue to report to the state under current code or elect to be exempt from reporting and allow the bylaws or policies adopted by the members or the board of the cooperatives to determine unclaimed capital credit policy. If the owner of the unclaimed capital credit has not been located and funds have not been returned within four years after they have been determined to be unclaimed, the non-profit corporation may use the funds for the benefit of the general membership of the corporation or for the communities it serves, as determined by its board of directors. **S 1152** is supported by Food Producers of Idaho, IACI, Idaho Consumer-Owned Utilities Association, and the Idaho Telecom Alliance.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to send **S 1152** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Kauffman** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**Chairman Dixon** turned the gavel over to **Vice Chairman DeMordaunt**.

**H 275:**

**Rep. Dixon** presented **H 275**, legislation establishing a new section of code to allow the director of the Idaho DOI to adopt rules and standards for enhanced short-term health insurance plans. The government has changed some plans and allows for more affordable opportunities in the state. The U.S. Departments of the Treasury, Labor and Health and Human Services, issued new rules to amend the definition of short-term, limited-duration insurance to lengthen the maximum duration of short-term health insurance. This bill defines enhanced short-term health insurance and brings Idaho in compliance with new federal rules that went into effect on October 2, 2018. Enhanced short-term plans will have an initial period of less than twelve months and allows an individual to renew the policy for up to the number of months established by the Idaho DOI.

**Dean Cameron**, Director, DOI, spoke **in support of H 275**. The current statute doesn't allow for renewable plans. This plan allows for the plan to be renewed every 36 months. Many Idahoans have been priced out of the individual health insurance market, particularly those not qualifying for subsidies under the ACA. Federal law permits enhanced short-term plans to be for up to 12 months and to be renewable up to 3 years. This bill will not eliminate traditional short-term plans intended to help those in-between jobs, and gives the DOI the ability to promulgate rules for enhanced short-term plans. Specific guidelines will be developed through negotiated rulemaking with all stakeholders, and will be good insurance plans including consumer protections and robust benefit designs. If implemented, these plans will represent an Idaho solution to a problem created by the federal government, and will give those priced out of the market by the ACA the opportunity to obtain good coverage for their families at an affordable price. Under provisions of **H 275**, they are convertible back to ACA plans. The price of these plans are not confirmed, but have the potential to be 50% less than the cost of the currently available ACA plans. Short term plans are generally less expensive, broader and have more availability. A carrier may determine the ability to attract the young and healthy back into the market and bring rates down.

**MOTION:**

**Rep. Crane** made a motion to send **H 275** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Dixon** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**Vice Chairman DeMordaunt** turned the gavel back to **Chairman Dixon**.

**S 1182:**

**Rep. Crane** presented **S 1182**, legislation to provide all retailers of solar energy systems sold to residential consumers deliver certain disclosures in writing, thus protecting the consumer, and discouraging over-representation of the performance of the solar energy product, misrepresenting affiliations with utility companies or other energy-related service providers.

**Kevin King**, ICEA, and **Jen Visser**, Director of Government Affairs for Idaho Power, spoke **in support of S 1182**, and said there is an active claim of sixty six instances of people who have been given misinformation. This bill is modeled after Utah code.

**MOTION:**

**Rep. Palmer** made a motion to send **S 1182** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Crane** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:**

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:06 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
1:30 P.M.  
Room EW41  
Thursday, March 21, 2019

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">S 1006</a>	Securities and Notice Filings	Rep. Furniss
<a href="#">S 1007aa</a>	Collections Agencies, Recovery Funds	Rep. Furniss

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, March 21, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Rep. Green(18)

**GUESTS:** Anthony Polidori, Idaho Department of Finance (IDOF), Liam Stokes, Veritas Advisors, Patricia Highley, Department of Finance

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:32 p.m.

**S 1006:** **Rep. Furniss** turned the time over to **Patricia Highley**, Department of Finance, who presented **S 1006**, legislation needed to adapt the statute to changes in federal statute and retain authority for the Department to continue to require certain securities issuer filings and fees affected by federal preemption and rules passed by the U.S. Securities & Exchange Commission. If the Department is unable to effect this statutory change, the Department estimates that approximately 300 issuer filings may be affected resulting in an estimated loss of revenue of up to \$20,000. Failing to make this change may also deny Idahoans of ready access to information regarding these issuers. Rep. Furniss invoked rule 38.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Collins** made a motion to send **S 1006** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Furniss** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**S 1007aa:** **Rep. Furniss** turned the time to **Anthony Palidori**, IDOF, who presented **S 1007aa**, legislation adding a provision to allow collection agencies to collect incidental charges included in the contract between the creditor and debtor. The licensing process for collection agents, debt counselors, credit counselors, and credit repair entities will be similar to other entities licensed by the IDOF by requiring the use of a nationwide system of licensing, and allowing for reinstatement of expired applications. A Collection Agency Recovery Fund is created to allow reimbursement to persons an Idaho court awards actual damages resulting from acts constituting violations by a collection agent, debt counselor, credit counselor, or credit repair organization. To pay for the recovery fund, all licensees will have to pay a fee of two hundred fifty dollars for home office locations and one hundred dollars for each branch office, but to offset the recovery fund fee the bonding requirement for licensees is eliminated.

**Liam Stokes**, Idaho Collectors Association, spoke **in support** of **S 1007aa**, saying stake holders on all sides are in agreement with this legislation. It creates a more efficient, electronic application, and provides transparency.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to send **S 1007aa** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**SUBSTITUTE  
MOTION:** **Rep. Clow** made a substitute motion to **HOLD S 1007aa** for time certain, Monday March 25, 2019.

**VOTE ON  
SUBSTITUTE  
MOTION:**

**Chairman Dixon** called for a vote on the substitute motion to **HOLD S 1007aa** for time certain, Monday March 25, 2019. **Motion failed by voice vote.**

**VOTE ON  
ORIGINAL  
MOTION:**

**Chairman Dixon** called for a vote on the original motion to send **S 1007aa** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Furniss** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:**

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:58 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary

**AMENDED AGENDA #2**  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW41**  
**Wednesday, March 27, 2019**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<a href="#">S 1195</a>	Collection Agency's, Attorney Fees	Senator Burgoyne
<a href="#">H 149aaS</a>	Self Funded Health Plans, Surplus	Rep. Furniss

The minutes of the March 27, 2019 meeting have been read and approved by a majority of the House Business Committee.

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Rep. Sage Dixon, Chairman

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***If you have written testimony, please provide a copy of it along with the name of the person or organization responsible to the committee secretary to ensure accuracy of records.***

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairman Dixon            Rep Stevenson  
Vice Chairman DeMordaunt    Rep Armstrong  
Rep Collins                Rep Clow  
Rep Crane                 Rep Monks  
Rep Palmer                Rep Andrus  
Rep Barbieri              Rep Furniss

Rep Nichols  
Rep Raymond  
Rep Smith  
Rep Berch  
Rep Green(18)

COMMITTEE SECRETARY

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE BUSINESS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, March 27, 2019

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Dixon, Vice Chairman DeMordaunt, Representatives Collins, Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Stevenson, Armstrong, Clow, Monks, Andrus, Furniss, Nichols, Raymond, Smith, Berch, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Anthony Polidori, Idaho Department of Finance

**Chairman Dixon** called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Nichols** made a motion to approve the minutes of March 19, 2019, and March 21, 2019. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**S 1195:** **Senator Burgoyne** presented **S 1195**, legislation to amend Idaho Code to limit attorney fee and litigation cost recoveries from a debtor by a collection agency to those which are in the case of attorney fees reasonable and in the case of litigation costs those prescribed by court rule. Senator Burgoyne turned the time over to **Rep. Furniss**.

**Rep. Furniss** explained that the collection agency recovery fund would be taken out of **S 1007aa**, and security bonding with individual rates and amounts would be left in, and no recovery fund that the department oversees.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Crane** made a motion to send **S 1195** to General Orders. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 149aaS:** **Rep. Furniss** presented **H 149aaS**, legislation requiring all government self-funded plans to register with the director to be amended to exempt the state. This allows the state to enter into a self-funding contract without an additional initial up-front surplus. All other government agencies must register. Counties shall register within a five year period. Reserves and surplus provides alternatives to limit the maximum liability in a registered self-funded plan using proper funding and insurance products. A waiver is given to the director of insurance for plans that are properly funded without insurance.

**MOTION:** **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to send **H 149aaS** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Furniss** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

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Representative Dixon  
Chair

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Jayne Feik  
Secretary