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16th Legislative Day

Thursday, January 20, 2000

Call to Order By the President at 9:00 a.m.

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Prayer By the chaplain, Reverend Arlyn Tolzmann, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Wheat Ridge.

Roll Call Present--Total, 32.

Absent/Excused--Arnold, Lacy, Martinez--Total, 3.

Present later--Arnold, Lacy, Martinez.

Quorum The President announced a quorum present.

Reading of Journal

On motion of Senator Dyer, reading of the Journal of Wednesday, January 19th was dispensed with and the Journal stands approved as corrected by the Secretary.

SENATE SERVICES REPORT

Senate Services Correctly printed: SB 00-127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135; SJM 00-001.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL--FIRST READING

The following bill was read by title and referred to the committee indicated:

SB 00-137

00-137 by Senator Wham; also Representative Lawrence--Concerning the members of the state capitol building advisory committee and, in connection therewith, making changes regarding the appointment of members to the advisory committee and authorizing the reimbursement of expenses of the members.

State, Veterans, & Military Affairs

Appropriations

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORTS

Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy After consideration on the merits, the committee recommends that the following be referred to the Senate for final action:

SJR00-003

Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy After consideration on the merits, the committee recommends that the following be referred to the Senate for final action: SJR00-004

Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy The Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy has had under consideration and has had a hearing on the following appointments and recommends that the appointments be confirmed:

COLORADO WATER RESOURCES AND POWER DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

for term expiring October 1, 2003:

Robert Carlstrom of Walden, Colorado, to serve as a representative from the North Platte Drainage Basin, and as a Republican.

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James W. Hokit of Montrose, Colorado, to serve as a representative from the Gunnison-Uncompandere Drainage Basin and experienced in the planning and development of water projects and as a Republican, appointed.
After consideration on the merits, the committee recommends that the following be

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postponed indefinitely: __

Education

After consideration on the merits, the committee recommends that the following be referred favorably to the Committee of the Whole: ____

On motion of Senator Blickensderfer, and with a majority of those elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the balance of the calendar of Thursday, January 20, was laid over until Friday, January 21, retaining its place on the calendar.

Senate in recess.

Senate reconvened.

SENATE SERVICES REPORT

Senate Services Correctly printed: SB 00-136.

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORTS

Business **Affairs** and Labor The Committee on Business Affairs and Labor has had under consideration and has had a hearing on the following appointments and recommends that the appointments be confirmed:

COLORADO LIMITED GAMING CONTROL COMMISSION

for terms expiring July 1, 2003:

Marilyn L. Wheeler of Boulder, Colorado, to serve as a representative of business management from the Second Congressional District and a Republican, re-appointed;

Robert A. Millman of Colorado Springs, Colorado, to serve as a representative attorney knowledgeable in regulatory law, and as a Democrat, from the Fifth Congressional District, appointed.

Local Government After consideration on the merits, the committee recommends that SB00-005 be amended as follows and, as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

Amend printed bill, page 6, strike lines 22 and 23 and substitute the following:

"(4) "LOCAL GOVERNMENT" MEANS A COUNTY, CITY AND COUNTY, $MUNICIPALITY, OR\ ANY\ SPECIAL\ DISTRICT\ ORGANIZED\ PURSUANT\ TO\ STATE$ LAW, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, A PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT.".

Page 7, line 20, strike "CITIZENS" and substitute "CITIZENS, ONE OF WHOM

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SHALL BE A MEMBER OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMUNITY,";

line 23, after "CULTURAL", insert "AND HISTORICAL".

Page 14, after line 14, insert the following:

"(13) NOTHING IN THIS ARTICLE SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO IMPAIR THE RIGHTS OF A PUBLIC UTILITY WITH RESPECT TO RIGHTS-OF-WAY, EASEMENTS, OR OTHER PROPERTY RIGHTS UPON WHICH FACILITIES, PLANTS, OR SYSTEMS OF SUCH PUBLIC UTILITY ARE LOCATED OR ARE TO BE LOCATED.".

Local Government The Committee on Local Government has had under consideration and has had a hearing on the following appointments and recommends that the appointments be confirmed:

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS

effective July 1, 1999, for terms expiring July 1, 2000:

Karen E. Hart of Kiowa, Colorado, to serve as a public employee experienced in property evaluation and taxation, appointed;

Judy K. Kirkland of Denver, Colorado, to serve as a public employee experienced in property evaluation and taxation, reappointed;

Debra Baumbach of Littleton, Colorado, to serve as a public employee, experienced in residential appraisals, appointed;

Lance M. Biernbaum of Denver, Colorado, to serve as a public employee experienced in residential appraisals, appointed;

effective July 1, 1999, for terms expiring July 1, 2003:

Cherice Kjosness of Westminster, Colorado, to serve as a public employee experienced in property valuation and taxation, actively engaged in agriculture, reappointed;

Harry J. Fuller of Arvada, Colorado, to serve as a public employee experienced in property valuation and taxation, reappointed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were read by title and referred to the committees indicated:

- SB 00-138 by Senator Sullivant; also Representative Dean--Concerning the requirement of an insurer with a managed care arrangement under motor vehicle insurance to have an internal appeal process, and, in connection therewith, notifying the covered person of the right to appeal the internal decision to the personal injury protection examination panel.

 Business Affairs & Labor
- SB 00-139 by Senators Arnold and Evans; also Representative Lawrence--Concerning an increase in the period of time in which medicare health maintenance organizations (HMOs) must give notice to insureds when a medicare HMO carrier is discontinuing medicare HMO services in Colorado.

Health, Environment, Welfare & Institutions

SB 00-140 by Senator Anderson; also Representative Lawrence--Concerning the youthful offender system.

Judiciary Appropriations

On motion of Senator Hernandez, the Senate adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Friday, January 21, 2000.

Approved:

Ray Powers President of the Senate

Attest:

Patricia K. Dicks Secretary of the Senate