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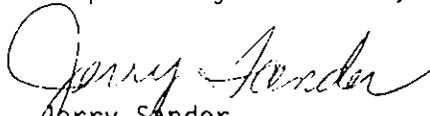
Also present were staff members of the Legislative Budget Board; staff members of the Lieutenant Governor's Office; members of the news media; and others.

The Committee proceeded with its mark-up session of the appropriation bill and worked on the following agencies:

- Texas State Board of Public Accountancy
- Adjutant General's Department
- Texas Aeronautics Commission

The Committee recessed at 10:31 A.M., subject to the call of the Chair, on a motion by Senator Farabee. The Chair set the next meeting time for 2:00 P.M., this afternoon.

Respectfully submitted,


Jerry Sander
Clerk

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Also present were staff members of the Legislative Budget Board; staff members of the Lieutenant Governor's Office; members of the news media; and others.

The Committee proceeded with its mark-up session and worked on the following:

Texas Department on Aging
Texas Air Control Board
State Aircraft Pooling Board

The Committee temporarily interrupted its mark-up session to take up two bills.

Senate Bill 985 by Glasgow which relates to the time periods for filing sales and use taxes, the prepayment discount for paying sales and use taxes, and direct payment permits and Senate Bill 988 by Glasgow which relates to the dates for certain oil and gas related taxes were previously heard by the Committee and at that time was referred to a Special Subcommittee. The Committee was advised that an agreement had been reached by all parties and that a review by a Special Subcommittee was not necessary. The Chair then disbanded the Special Subcommittee.

The Chair laid out Senate Bill 985 and recognized Senator Glasgow. Senator Glasgow sent up a Committee Substitute and explained same.

The Chair recognized Mr. Wade Anderson, General Counsel of the Comptroller's Office, and Mr. Bill Abington of Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association who both testified that all parties were in agreement of all issues.

Senator Glasgow moved adoption of the Committee Substitute. There were no objections and the Committee Substitute was adopted.

Senator Glasgow moved that Senate Bill 985 be reported back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof do pass and be printed. The motion was adopted with Jones, Howard, Blake, Caperton, Farabee, Glasgow, Traeger and Vale voting Aye.

The Chair laid out Senate Bill 988 and recognized Senator Glasgow. Senator Glasgow sent up a Committee Substitute and recognized Mr. Anderson who explained the Substitute to the Committee.

Mr. Abington advised the Committee that all parties were in agreement on the issues.

Senator Glasgow moved adoption of the Committee Substitute. There were no objections and the Committee Substitute was adopted.

Senator Glasgow moved that Senate Bill 988 be reported back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof do pass and be printed. The motion was adopted with Jones, Howard, Blake, Caperton, Farabee, Glasgow, Traeger and Vale voting Aye.

The Committee then continued to work on the budget for the State Aircraft Pooling Board.

At 3:12 P.M., the Committee recessed until 3:45 P.M., due to other Committee meetings.

At 4:05 P.M., due to a lack of quorum, Senator Traeger moved to recess, subject to the call of the Chair. The Chair set the next meeting time for 9:30 A.M. in the morning.

Respectfully submitted,


Jerry Bander
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