## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WATER AND ENVIRONMENT

February 23, 2001 8:30 AM Hearing Room E Tape 29

<b>MEMBERS PRESENT:</b>	Rep. Betsy Close, Chair
	Rep. Laurie Monnes Anderson, Vice-Chair
	Rep. Mark Hass
	Rep. Deborah Kafoury
	Rep. Al King
	Rep. Jeff Kruse
	Rep. Jan Lee
MEMBER EXCUSED:	Rep. Jenson
	Rep. Morgan, Vice-Chair
STAFF PRESENT:	Megan Palau, Administrator
	Shannon Relaford, Committee Assistant
MEASURE/ISSUES HEA	RD: HB 2180 Work Session

MEASURE/ISSUES HEARD: HB 2180 Work Session HB 2795 Work Session HB 2790 Public Hearing

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TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments
<b>TAPE 29, A</b>		
003	Chair Close	Convenes meeting at 8:42 a.m. Opens work session on HB 2180.
HB 2180 WO	ORK SESSION	
006	Megan Palau	Presents overview of HB 2180.
035	Rep. Kruse	Moves the –1 amendment into HB 2180.
Chair	Hearing no objection declares the amendments moved to HB 2180.	
040	Rep. Kruse	MOTION: Move HB 2180 as amended to the Committee on Ways and Means with a do pass recommendation. VOTE: 7-0 AYE: 7 - Hass, Kafoury, King, Kruse, Lee, Monnes Anderson, Close
		EXCUSED: 2 - Jenson, Morgan
060	Chair Close	<b>The motion CARRIES.</b> Closes work session on HB 2180 and opens work session on HB 2795.
HB 2795 WO	ORK SESSION	1
069	Ron Yockim	Attorney for various water districts states he will be glad to answer questions but has no testimony.
073	Rep. Lee	MOTION: Moves HB 2795 to the floor with a DO PASS

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EXHIBIT SUMMARY

A – HB 2790, written testimony, Kristina McNitt, 2 pp.