

WORK SESSION: HJR 85, HB 3511

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CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HJR 85 AND HB 3511

MARCH 20, 1997 5:45 P.M. HEARING ROOM A STATE CAPITOL BUILDING

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Tom Brian, Chair

Rep. Lee Beyer

Rep. Leslie Lewis

Sen. Gene Derfler

Sen. Joan Dukes

Sen. Tom Hartung

STAFF PRESENT: James Scherzinger, Legislative Revenue Officer

Barbara Guardino, Committee Assistant

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007 Chair Brian Called meeting to order at 6:01 p.m.

010 Jim Directed members attention to HJR 85 history packet (EXHIBIT A); HJR 85 -B46
Scherzinger Amendments (EXHIBIT B).

026 Scherzinger Noted changes in HJR 85 B-46:

First significant change -- Page 5, lines 17-20, Divisions of districts. Guarantees limit determined when district divides shall not be greater than the rate that would have produced the same amount of ad valorem tax revenue in the year of division, had the division not occurred. Clarified the year .

HJR 85 B-46: Page 6, lines 27-31: (D) Local government pension and disability plan obligations are now incorporated in Subsection 5, and are subject to M5 limits.

060 Scherzinger Page 7, line 8: (c) (A) Description of local government pension and disability plan obligations.

Lines 12 - 13: "... provision that was in effect on December 5, 1996 ..."

Line 14: (B) Allows adjustment to maximum rate in charter to account for fact that taxes are being imposed on assessed values rather than on market value.

Line 14: (C) Both the adjustments to the rates and the pension system are subject to M5 limitations.

086 Scherzinger

(D) If a proposed charter amendment to a charter permits tax levy to be increased, it must approved by voters under double majority requirement.

Subsection 7: Deals with ratification of levies approved before effective date of M47.

099 Scherzinger

(a) Permits levies that have achieved a double majority to be imposed without 17 % rate reduction. Moves qualification date to Dec. 5, 1996.

127 Scherzinger (b): Deals with levies approved for 1997-987 tax year. Replaces a expired levies. Makes them not subject to double majority, but subject to 17 % cuts. Allows this for serial levies and one-year levies.

142 Scherzinger Forest land value changes in Senate version have been removed.

156 Sen.
Hartung **MOVED THAT THE SENATE RECEDE FROM SENATE AMENDMENTS DATED MARCH 18, 1997, AND THAT HJR 85 A-ENGROSSED JOINT RESOLUTION BE AMENDED BY THE HJR 85 -B46 AMENDMENTS.**

Asked for comments on motion. Thanked Senate for their work and cooperation.

167 Chair Brian Said Senate's timber industry amendments that were taken out are worthy of consideration at a later time.

177 Derfler Noted, the Senate would have preferred including a timber tax break, but will accept this version.

179 Lewis Hopes some of the issues that were left out of HJR 85 will be dealt with at another time. All real property should be treated fairly.

184 Vote **VOTE 6 - 0**

IN A ROLL CALL VOTE, ALL MEMBERS PRESENT VOTED AYE: REPS. LEE BEYER, LEWIS, CHAIR BRIAN; SENS. DERFLER, DUKES, HARTUNG.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE, TO WHOM WAS REFERRED B-ENGROSSED HJR 85, REPORTED IT BACK WITH THE RECOMMENDATION THAT THE SENATE RECEDE FROM THE SENATE AMENDMENTS DATED MARCH 18 AND THAT THE A-ENGROSSED JOINT RESOLUTION BE AMENDED AND REPASSED.

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228 Chair Brian Opened work session on HB 3511.
232 Jim Directed members' attention to packet history of HB 3511 (EXHIBIT C).
Scherzinger
240 Scherzinger Referred to HB 3511-B7 (EXHIBIT D): B-Engrossed bill, page 2, line 3 insert
"This reduction will reflect M47 cuts by basing the lesser of ..."
258 Rep. Beyer **MOTION TO MOVE THE -B7 AMENDMENTS INTO HB 3511.**
ASKED IF ANY OBJECTION TO MOTION TO MOVE -B7
260 Chair Brian **AMENDMENTS INTO HB 3511. HEARING NO OBJECTION, CHAIR SO**
ORDERED.
MOVED THAT HOUSE CONCUR ON SENATE AMENDMENTS OF HB
265 Rep. Beyer **3511 DATED MARCH 18, AND THAT HB 3511 BE PASSED WITH**
AMENDMENTS.
VOTE 6 - 0

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT VOTED AYE: REPS. LEE BEYER, LEWIS,
268 Vote **CHAIR BRIAN; SENS. DERFLER, DUKES, HARTUNG.**

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE APPROVED HB 3511-B7 AMENDMENTS
AND PASSED HB 3511 WITH AMENDMENTS.
276 Chair Brian Adjourned committee at 6:20 p.m.

Submitted by, Reviewed by,

Barbara Guardino Kim James

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EXHIBIT SUMMARY:

A. HJR 85, Scherzinger, HJR 85 history: Status display, HJR 85, HJR 85-A, Staff Measure Summary, Revenue Impact statement, Fiscal Analysis, HJR 85-B, Staff Measure Summary, Revenue Impact statement, Fiscal Analysis, 32 pp.

B. HJR 85, Scherzinger, HJR 85-B46 proposed amendments, 16 pp.

C. HB 3511, Scherzinger, HB 3511 history: Status display, HB 3511, HB 3511-A, Staff Measure Summary, Fiscal Analysis, No Impact statement, 23 pp.

D. HB 3511, Scherzinger, HB 3511-B7 Amendments, 1 p.