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CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HB 2634

March 6, 1995 Hearing Room 454 3:30 p.m. Tape 1

SENATE MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Shirley Gold Sen. Paul Phillips Sen. Greg Walden HOUSE MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Ray Baum, Chair Rep. Lee Beyer Rep. John Watt

MEMBER EXCUSED:

STAFF PRESENT: Cathryn Epley, Administrator Cynthia Charrey, Assistant

WITNESSES:

Ted Reutlinger, Legislative Counsel
Scott Tighe, Elections Manager, Secretary of State's Office

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003 CHAIR BAUM: Calls meeting to order at 3:30 p.m.

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Olo CATHERINE EPLEY, COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR: Offers overview of B-13
Amendments to HB 2634.

023 MOTION: SENATOR WALDEN: Moves HB 2634 - B13 Amendments be ADOPTED.

028 $\,$ CHAIR BAUM: Restates motion and calls for discussion. Hearing no objection, the motion $\,$ CARRIES.

O30 SENATOR WALDEN: Did we resolve the issue of the voter's pamphlet?

032 CATHRYN EPLEY: Yes.

058 MOTION: SENATOR WALDEN: Moves the House concur in Senate amendments dated 3/6/95 and that HB 2634 be further amended and repassed.

O60 CHAIR BAUM: Mr. Reutlinger, is there anything more we need to do to get

this bill ready for the May ballot this year?

063 $\,$ TED REUTLINGER, LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL: It is legally sufficient to get you onto the $\,$ ballot.

081 SCOTT TIGHE: ELECTIONS MANAGER, SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE: The bill as written and amended poses no problems for our office. The deadline for citizens to file statements for against would be the 24th of March, so whenever you can get the bill passed and signed by the Governor will determine the length of time people have to submit arguments for and against.

093 CHAIR BAUM: How soon does this bill need to be moved?

101 $\,$ TIGHE: If we receive this bill by March 14th, that would allow citizens to have a 10 day time $\,$ period to submit arguments for or against.

103 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members vote AYE.

Sen. Walden and Rep. Baum will lead the floor discussion.

120 CHAIR BAUM: Meeting is adjourned.

Submitted by, Reviewed by,

Cynthia Charrey Cathryn Epley Committee Assistant Committee Administrator

EXHIBIT SUMMARY:

A - HB 2634 B-13, staff amendments, 6 pages