

**MINUTES OF THE  
SENATE COMMITTEE ON TAXATION**

**Seventy-third Session  
June 5, 2005**

The Senate Committee on Taxation was called to order by Chair Mike McGinness at 4:01 p.m. on Sunday, June 5, 2005, on the Senate Floor of the Legislative Building, Carson City, Nevada. There was no Agenda. There was no Attendance Roster.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Senator Mike McGinness, Chair  
Senator Sandra J. Tiffany, Vice Chair  
Senator Randolph J. Townsend  
Senator Dean A. Rhoads  
Senator Bob Coffin  
Senator Terry Care  
Senator John Lee

**GUEST LEGISLATORS PRESENT:**

Senator Maggie Carlton, Clark County Senatorial District No. 2  
Senator Dina Titus, Clark County Senatorial District No. 7

**STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Chris Janzen, Deputy Fiscal Analyst  
Mavis Scarff, Committee Secretary

Chair McGinness requested an amendment to Assembly Bill (A.B.) 554 to change the effective date for the National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing (NASCAR) Nextel Cup Series to July 1, 2007, and to change the maximum seating capacity for live entertainment from 300 to 200.

**ASSEMBLY BILL 554 (2nd Reprint):** Makes various changes to provisions governing taxation. (BDR 32-1344)

SENATOR COFFIN MOVED TO REQUEST AN AMENDMENT TO A.B. 554 TO CHANGE THE EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE NASCAR RACE TO JULY 1, 2007, AND TO REDUCE THE MAXIMUM SEATING CAPACITY FOR LIVE ENTERTAINMENT FROM 300 TO 200.

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SENATOR TOWNSEND SECONDED THE MOTION.

Senator Titus indicated there was no longer a need to include a maximum seating capacity, and it could be zeroed out.

Senator Coffin agreed to change his motion to reflect the seating capacity would be zero. Senator Townsend agreed to the change.

SENATOR COFFIN MOVED TO MODIFY THE AMENDMENT REQUEST FOR A.B. 554 TO REFLECT THE MAXIMUM SEATING CAPACITY FOR LIVE ENTERTAINMENT WOULD BE ZERO.

SENATOR TOWNSEND SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

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Chair McGinness adjourned the floor meeting at 4:05 p.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

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Mavis Scarff,  
Committee Secretary

APPROVED BY:

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Senator Mike McGinness, Chair

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