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## MINUTES OF THE HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Wagle at 9:00 a.m. on March 23, 2000, in Room 519-S of the Capitol.

All members were present exce	ept: Representative Jenkins - excused
	Representative Howell - excused
	Representative Johnston - excused
	Representative Kirk - excused
	Representative Ray - excused
	Representative Vickery - excused
	Representative Gatewood - excused
	Representative Tomlinson - excused
	Representative Edmonds - excused
Committee staff present:	Chris Courtwright, Legislative Research Department
	April Holman, Legislative Research Department
	Don Hayward, Revisor of Statutes
	Shirley Sicilian, Department of Revenue
	Ann Deitcher, Committee Secretary
	Edith Beaty, Taxation Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: John R. Stoeffler of the Madison Forum

<u>SCR 1635 - memorializing the Congress of the United States to propose submission to the states an</u> <u>amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America restricting the ability of the federal</u> <u>judiciary to mandate any state or subdivision thereof to levy or increase taxes.</u>

The Chair recognized John Stoeffler who appeared as a proponent of SCR 1635. (Attachments 1 and 2).

Written testimony in support of SCR 1635 was provided by Senator Alicia Salisbury. (Attachment 2).

A motion was made by Representative Osborn and seconded by Representative Wilk to pass **SCR 1635** favorably out of Committee. The motion carried on a voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m. The next meeting will be on the call of the Chair.