Journal of the House

FOURTH DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, TOPEKA, KS, Thursday, January 11, 2001, 11:00 a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment with Speaker Glasscock in the chair.

The roll was called with 120 members present.

Rep. Kline was excused on verified illness.

Reps. Howell, Miller, Spangler and Tomlinson were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rep. Bethell:

Our Heavenly Father,

You have told us through your word that we are to come into your presence with thanksgiving. We at this time come before you thanking you for the many blessings you have bestowed upon us and the opportunities you place before us.

Your word tells us that you knew us before we were formed; and you know what is planned for us. It is with that in mind that we ask today that you impart your wisdom, courage and strength to us that we may act responsibly as your servants in the discharge of the duties of our respective offices. Help us to bring honor and glory to your name as we serve the people of Kansas. Guide our every thought that we may keep in focus the goal that you have placed before us.

Continue to direct our every action that they may be pleasing to you.

For we ask this in your name. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Kuether.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2034, An act concerning emergency telephone systems; relating to financing thereof; amending K.S.A. 12-5303 and K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 12-5301, 12-5302, 12-5304 and 12-5308 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Utilities.

HB 2035, An act enacting the KAN-ED act; providing for establishment and maintenance of a broadband technology-based network for certain schools, libraries and hospitals, by Committee on Utilities.

HB 2036, An act concerning rules and regulations; relating to the rules and regulations filing act; amending K.S.A. 77-416 and K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 77-420a and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Appropriations.

HB 2037, An act relating to state finances; concerning biennial budget estimates for state agencies; amending K.S.A. 75-6701 and K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 75-3717 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Appropriations.

HB 2038, An act concerning the Kansas lottery; concerning the executive director thereof; amending K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 74-8723 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and resolutions were referred to committees as indicated:

Appropriations: HB 2024, HB 2025, HB 2026, HB 2027; HCR 5005.

Health and Human Services: HCR 5003.

Insurance: **HB 2031**, **HB 2032**, **HB 2033**. K-12 Education: **HB 2023**, **HB 2028**.

New Economy: **HCR 5004**. Taxation: **HB 2029**, **HB 2030**.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Speaker Glasscock announced the withdrawal of **HB 2003** from Committee on Appropriations and referral to Committee on Judiciary.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2012** from Committee on Transportation and referral to Committee on Judiciary.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

From E. Dean Carlson, Secretary of Transportation, in compliance with K.S.A. Supp. 68-2315, annual report of the Kansas Department of Transportation's historical highway program accomplishments, January 2001.

The complete report is kept on file and open for inspection in the office of the Chief Clerk

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Your Committee on ${\bf Calendar}$ and ${\bf Printing}$ recommends on requests for resolutions and certificates that

Request No. 1, by Representative Patterson, congratulating Marcia Rinehart, William Basore and the Gold Bank on their induction into the Leawood Hall of Fame;

Request No. 2, by Representative McKinney, congratulating Tim Kuhn on being named 2000-2001 Assistant Principal of the Year by the Kansas Association of Middle School Administrators:

Request No. 3, by Representative Hermes, congratulating Benjamin Bammes and John Rood on being named Washburn Rural High School National Merit Semifinalists, school year 2000-2001; also Rory Petty and Cooper Wood on being named Washburn Rural High School National Merit Commended Students, School Year 2000-2001;

Request No. 4, by Representative Compton, congratulating Gary Meckley on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout;

Request No. 5, by Representative Huebert, congratulating Meg Stauffer for over 30 years of service to the Edna Buschow Memorial Library in Valley Center;

Request No. 6, by Representative Beggs, congratulating Nicholas Adam Pool on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout;

Request No. 7, by Representative Hermes, congratulating Kyle Weaver on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout;

be approved and the Chief Clerk of the House be directed to order the printing of said certificates and order drafting of said resolutions.

On motion of Rep. Weber, the committee report was adopted.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Speaker Glasscock announced the following joint committee assignments:

Administrative Rules and Regulations: Neufeld, Chairperson; Holmes, Light, T. Powell. Pauls, Ranking Minority Member; McClure, Ruff.

Arts and Cultural Resources: Jo Ann Pottorff, Chairperson; Campbell, Gordon.

Gilbert, Ranking Minority Member; Ruff.

Children's Issues: Landwehr, Chairperson; Boston, Tomlinson.

Storm, Toelkes.

Corrections and Juvenile Justice: Campbell, Lloyd, Loyd, J. Peterson.

Ballard, Feuerborn, Pauls.

Economic Development: Mason, Chairperson; Aday, Beggs, Compton, Osborne.

Kuether, Ranking Minority Member; M. Long, Winn.

Health Care Reform Oversight: Boston, Chairperson; Bethell, Mayans.

Showalter, Welshimer, J. Williams.

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Special Claims Against the State: Dahl, Vice-chairperson; Huff, Powers, Swenson, D.

Crow, Ranking Minority Member; Grant, O'Brien.

SRS Transition Oversight: Neufeld, Vice-Chairperson; Bethell, Mayans, Stone. Kirk, Showalter.

State Building Construction: Humerickhouse, Kline, Pottorff.

Grant, Minor.

State-Tribal Relations: Hutchins, Mays, T. Powell.

On motion of Rep. Weber, the House adjourned pro forma until 9:00 a.m., Friday, January 12, 2001.

CHARLENE SWANSON, Journal Clerk.

JANET E. JONES, Chief Clerk.