

Journal of the Senate

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS
Tuesday, March 2, 2004—2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order by Vice President John Vratil.
The roll was called with thirty-six senators present.
Senators Downey, Gilstrap, Taddiken and Tyson were excused.
Invocation by Chaplain Fred S. Hollomon:

Heavenly Father,

Jesus, in His sermon on the mount tells us, "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moth and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Matthew 6:19-21)

Lord, don't let us waste our lives
On things which soon decay.
But help us to invest our lives
In treasures which will stay.

I pray this in Jesus' Name,

AMEN

GUESTS

Senator Adkins introduced guests of the Senate, Cindy Andrews, Assistant Director, and Laura Kliewer, Senior Policy Analyst of the Council of State Governments.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was introduced and read by title:

SB 549, An act concerning salaries and compensation for state officers and employees; making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005; amending K.S.A. 40-102, 46-137a and 46-137b and K.S.A. 2003 Supp. 75-3101, 75-3103, 75-3104, 75-3108, 75-3110 and 75-3111a and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Ways and Means.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill and resolution were referred to Committees as indicated:

Judiciary: **SCR 1619**.

Public Health and Welfare: **SB 548**.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

February 25, 2004

Message to the Senate of the State of Kansas:

Enclosed herewith is Executive Order No. 2004-02 for your information.

KATHLEEN SEBELIUS
Governor

The Vice President announced Executive Order 04-02, offering a reward of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the individual or individuals who committed the homicide of Carol Fleming, is on file in the office of the Secretary of the Senate and available for review at any time.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Announcing passage of **HB 2393, HB 2489, HB 2490, HB 2539, HB 2577; Substitute HB 2583; HB 2585; Substitute HB 2594; HB 2595, HB 2615, HB 2618, HB 2636, HB 2638, HB 2649, HB 2653, HB 2668, HB 2693; Substitute HB 2697; HB 2712; Substitute HB 2713; HB 2714, HB 2727, HB 2735, HB 2742, HB 2758, HB 2760, HB 2764, HB 2774, HB 2805, HB 2813; Substitute HB 2815; HB 2862, HB 2874, HB 2880, HB 2889.**

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HB 2393, HB 2489, HB 2490, HB 2539, HB 2577; Substitute HB 2583; HB 2585; Substitute HB 2594; HB 2595, HB 2615, HB 2618, HB 2636, HB 2638, HB 2649, HB 2653, HB 2668, HB 2693; Substitute HB 2697; HB 2712; Substitute HB 2713; HB 2714, HB 2727, HB 2735, HB 2742, HB 2758, HB 2760, HB 2764, HB 2774, HB 2805, HB 2813; Substitute HB 2815; HB 2862, HB 2874, HB 2880, HB 2889 were thereupon introduced and read by title.

REPORT ON ENGROSSED BILLS

SB 304, SB 314, SB 331, SB 357, SB 387, SB 396, SB 404, SB 431, SB 443, SB 448, SB 449, SB 502 reported correctly engrossed February 27, 2004.

Sub SB 296; SB 326, SB 370, SB 382, SB 384, SB 410, SB 424, SB 436, SB 440, SB 447, SB 478, reported correctly engrossed March 1, 2004.

REPORT ON ENROLLED BILLS

SR 1821 reported correctly enrolled, properly signed and presented to the Secretary of the Senate on March 2, 2004.

On motion of Senator Oleen the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 3, 2004.

HELEN MORELAND, CAROL PARRETT, BRENDA KLING, *Journal Clerks.*

PAT SAVILLE, *Secretary of the Senate.*

