Journal of the Senate

THIRD DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS Wednesday, January 13, 2010—2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order by President Stephen Morris. The roll was called with thirty-nine senators present. Senator Petersen was excused. Invocation by Chaplain Fred S. Hollomon:

Heavenly Father,

Unlike the Federal Government States must balance their budget. Money cannot be printed And we're not allowed to "fudge it".

Again we face the dilemma: Do we arrange for income growth? Or reduce more allocations, Or try hard to do both?

Regardless of what we do There will be opposition. But this will always happen When there is competition.

To eliminate competition There is a sure solution: Elect an omnipotent dictator, And ditch the Constitution.

Since that is so much worse, Lord, We will pray for Your solution, And do the best we can, And retain the Constitution.

I pray in the Name of Jesus Christ,

AMEN

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Stephen Morris.

POINT OF PERSON PRIVILEGE

Senator Barnett rose on a Point of Personal Privilege to introduce Brian Hagen, Rose Hill High School; Nicholas Ediger and Aaron Slater, Hillsboro High School; Dan Rahe, Emporia High School; Mark McCoy; Chelsea Turkin, Lyndon High School; and Carolyn Cole, State Advisor, all representing the Technical Student Association.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

SB 361, An act relating to motor vehicles; providing for the issuance of gold star family license plates; amending K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 8-1,141 and 8-1,147 and repealing the existing sections, by Senator Kelsey.

SB 362, An act concerning school districts; relating to contracts of employment; amending K.S.A. 72-5452 and K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 72-5437 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Ways and Means.

SB 363, An act concerning civil procedure; relating to bankruptcy; exempt property; earned income tax credit, by Committee on Ways and Means.

SB 364, An act concerning the state fair board; authorizing the purchase of workers compensation insurance; amending K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 44-575 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Ways and Means.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Education: SB 354, SB 355, SB 358, SB 359.

Judiciary: SB 360.

Public Health and Welfare: SB 356.

Ways and Means: SB 357.

REPORT ON ENROLLED BILLS

SR 1801, SR 1802 reported correctly enrolled, properly signed and presented to the Secretary of the Senate on January 13, 2010.

On motion of Senator D. Schmidt the Senate adjourned until $2:30\ p.m.$, Thursday, January $14,\ 2010.$

HELEN MORELAND, ROSE MARIE GLATT, SHIRLEY LAMOTT, Journal Clerks. PAT SAVILLE, Secretary of the Senate.