SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE FEBRUARY 27, 1970 ROSM 523

The Senate Judiciary Committee met February 27, 1970 in Room 523 at eleven o'clock A.M. with the chairman, Steadman Ball, presiding. All members were present except Senators Herd and Steineger.

House Bill No. 1809 was taken up and Senator Bennett moved the bill be tabled. Senator Foster seconded and no action was taken.

Senator Ball announced that Wichita's City Attorney, John Decker, wanted to be heard on House Bill No. 1991 and would be notified when to appear.

Senator Woodard reported on Senate Bill No. 443, (Substitute) presenting Alternatives Nos. 1, 2 and 3. These alternatives were explained and extensively discussed. Senator Smith moved to amend as per attached copy. Senator Foster seconded and the motion carried. Senator Smith then moved to report the bill back to the Senate with the recommendation that it be passed as amended. Senator Tillotson seconded and the motion carried.

The committee adjourned to meet Tuesday, March 3, 1970, at 11 A.M. in Room 523.

Martha P. Welch, Recording Sec.

MINUTES APPROVED:

Steadman Ball, Chairman

March ____, 1970

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee on Judiciary

Recommends that Substitute for SENATE BILL No. 443 (As Amended by Senate Committee of the Whole)

"An Act relating to conflict of interests; establishing a general law applicable to state and local public officers and employees; requiring disclosures of substantial interests of certain people; establishing a committee on governmental ethics; providing for the appointment, terms and compensation of members, and prescribing the powers and duties thereof; requiring disclosure of certain information by legislative agents and imposing other requirements and duties thereon; prohibiting certain acts and declaring any violation thereof to be a crime; amending K. S. A. 12-1601, 12-1602, 12-2511, 12-2815, 12-2828, 13-1344, 19-205, 19-614, 46-201, 46-202, 46-203, 46-204, 46-205, 46-206, 46-207, 46-203, 46-209, 46-210, 76-2401 and 80-2104 and K. S. A. 1969 Supp. 12-3402, 19-1804, 27-319, 46-211, 46-212 and 46-213, and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K. S. A. 12-1603, 13-530, 13-531, 13-532, 13-533, 13-1064, 13-2111, 17-2342, 17-4758, 33-107, 33-108, 33-109, 33-110, 34-303, 75-4301, 75-4302, 75-4303, 75-4304, 75-4305, 75-4306, 75-4307 and 76-2405 and K. S. A. 1969 Supp. 68-537 and 68-1130."

Be amended:

On page 1, in line 4, by striking the comma after "individual" and inserting in lieu thereof "or"; by striking all of line 5; in line 6, by striking all before "either";

On page 2, in line 25, by inserting before the period the following: ", nor shall such term include any person who holds an office in any political party and who holds no other public office";

On page 4, by striking all of lines 5 to 9, inclusive; in line 10, by striking "(e)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(d)"; in line 14, by striking "(f)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(e)";

on page 7, in line 9, by inserting after the comma "or concurrently therewith,"; in line 10, by striking "and with the secretary of state"; also in line 10, by striking all after "statement"; by striking all of line 11; in line 12, by striking all before "in" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "that he is employed by, receives compensation or remuneration from or has a substantial interest"; in line 13, by striking "the secretary of state and"; in line 19, by inserting after "law" the following: ", nor shall it apply to any appearance before a public officer or employee for the purpose of filing any return or report required by law or by rule or regulation to be so filed";

On page 22, in line 10, by striking "(a)"; by striking all of lines 21, 22 and 23;

On page 23, in line 10, by inserting after "agent" the following: "whose total compensation therefor in the preceding calendar year was one thousand dollars (\$1,000) or more, or who incurred expenses in the performance of his duties as a legislative agent in the preceding calendar year of at least one thousand dollars (\$1,000),"; in line 11, by striking "total amount of" and inserting in lieu thereof "manner in which"; in line 12, by striking the comma; in line 13, by striking all before "was"; in line 14, by striking all after "(2)"; by striking all of line 15; in line 16, by striking all before "the"; in line 17, by striking "such"; also in line 17, by inserting after "expenses" the following: "incurred in the performance of his duties as a legislative agent in the preceding calendar year";

And the bill be passed as amended.

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