

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE	COMMITTEE ON _	COMMERCIAL .	AND FINANCIAL	INSTITUTIONS
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$3:30$ $\times x_{\text{a.m./p.m. on}}$ on M_{c}	arch 19	, 19	<u>87</u> in room <u>527-5</u>	5 of the Capitol.
All members were present except:				
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Conferees appearing before the committee: Bud Grant, Vice President, Kansas Chamber of Commerce and Industry
Tom Groneman, Kansas Register of Deeds

Chairman Clyde Graeber opened the meeting.

Hearing on SB 104: Dr. Bill Wolff, Legislative Research Department, gave a brief on the bill stating the bill would amend K.S.A. 1986 Supp. 84-9-302 to delete the requirement for filing financing statements for consumer goods with a purchase price of \$1,000 or less. This bill has been here in committee before; it amends one section of the UCC whereby the seller protects his interest for goods; 104 adds the 6th now there is protection for five. There is now no dollar limit and SB 104 has a \$1,000 limit.

Bud Grant, Vice President, Kansas Chamber of Commerce and Industry, testified for SB 104, stating this was requested by the Kansas Retail Council. UCC enacted several years ago opportunity for retailers to file; all but Kansas has reversed that position. This bill is the same as the committee had last year. ($\underline{\text{Attachment I}}$).

Rex Hassler, Montgomery Wards, felt this bill was a good bill and very necessary to stores such as Sears, Penneys, Wards, etc. He felt the \$3.00 fee on each item sold mounts to a huge sum the stores have to pay to the Register of Deeds plus the paperwork that is necessary.

Tom Gronerman, Kansas Register of Deeds, testified against the bill ($\underline{\text{Attach-ment II}}$).

Chairman Graeber closed the hearing on SB 104.

Representative Dillon moved and Representative Johnson seconded to table this bill.

Representative Wilbert stated there must be something to this bill since we are one of the few states that does not have it.

Representative Shallenburger stated it is not a bad bill and will offer a substitute motion that it be passed out favorably. Representative Long seconded.

Representative Sand stated he would not vote either way.

After committee discussion there was a vote by show of hands and 10 voted in favor and 4 voted against the bill. The motion carried to pass SB 104 out of committee favorably.

The meeting adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Date: March 19,1987

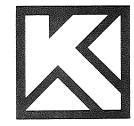
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LEGISLATIVE TESTIMONY



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A consolidation of the Kansas State Chamber of Commerce, Associated Industries of Kansas, Kansas Retail Council

SB 104

March 18, 1987

KANSAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

Testimony Before the

House Committee on Commercial and Financial Institutions

by

Bud Grant Vice President

Mr. Chairman, members of the committee. My name is Bud Grant and I am here on the behalf of the Kansas Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the Kansas Retail Council in support of Senate Bill 104.

The Kansas Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KCCI) is a statewide organization dedicated to the promotion of economic growth and job creation within Kansas, and to the protection and support of the private competitive enterprise system.

KCCI is comprised of more than 3,000 businesses which includes 200 local and regional chambers of commerce and trade organizations which represent over 161,000 business men and women. The organization represents both large and small employers in Kansas, with 55% of KCCI's members having less than 25 employees, and 86% having less than 100 employees. KCCI receives no government funding.

The KCCI Board of Directors establishes policies through the work of hundreds of the organization's members who make up its various committees. These policies are the guiding principles of the organization and translate into views such as those expressed here.

Senate Bill 104 as introduced was identical to the bill which this committee recommended to the full House during the 1986 session of the Kansas Legislature.

The Senate Committee amendments were offered by the Kansas Bankers Association as technical and clarifying in nature.

The purpose of the bill Mr. Chairman, is to allow the retailer to gain some relief from a problem which results because of federal changes in bankruptcy laws. Kansas is the only state which requires that financing statements be filed on the sale of consumer goods. The elimination of this requirement on these lower value, but high volume sales would result in the customer or the retailer saving money, and in the customer saving time now required to complete the necessary paperwork.

Finally, I would point out Mr. Chairman, the Kansas Bankers Association, the Kansas Association of Finance Companies, the Kansas League of Savings Institutions, and the Kansas Credit Union League have all indicated they have no opposition to this proposal.

Thank you Mr. Chairman for the opportunity of visiting with you concerning Senate Bill 104 and request that the committee again recommend this proposal to the full Senate for passage.

KANSAS REGISTER OF DEEDS ASSOCIATION TESTIMONY

ON

SENATE BILL #104

Mr. Chariman, members of the committee, I am Tom Groneman, Register of Deeds from Wyandotte County and Chairman of the Kansas Register of Deeds Association legislative committee. I appear before you today on behalf of our association in opposition to SB#104.

Senate Bill #104 is the reincarnation of Senate Bill #502 which died last year in the house due to a lack of action. If SB#104 passes it will exempt the requirement for filing Uniform Commercial Code financing statements on purchase money security interests in consumer goods with a purchase price of \$1,000.00 or less.

Senate Bill #104 is in direct conflict with one of the purposes of the Uniform Commercial Code which is to provide public notice of existing liens. The general public, including banks and lending institutions, who now rely on this information on a daily basis will find this information unavailable to them if Senate Bill #104 passes.

Individuals who do not own real estate and only have consumer goods to use for collateral will find it extremely difficult to get a needed loan. Lenders will be hesitant to loan money on consumer goods if they cannot find out about existing liens.

In addition to the loss of notification to the public there will be a loss of revenue to the counties. On January 1, 1984, Kansas went to a central filing system with the Secretary of State on all UCC's concerning farm related products. This change greatly reduced the number of UCC filings in many counties across the state. If SB#104 passes it will reduce even more the UCC filings at the county level. The counties will still have the expense of maintaining the UCC records, the indexes ect., but will not have the income.

For these reasons we ask you to vote NO on Senate Bill #104.

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