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Member Attendance Record

Meeting Date	1-14	1-21	1-26	1-28	2-2	2-4	2-9	2-11	2-23	3-3	3-8	3-10	3-15	3-17	3-22	5-3			Number Excused	Number Absent
Dan Johnson, Chairman	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	X			0	0
Larry Powell, Vice Chairman	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	X	X	X	Х	Х	Х	X	Х	Е			1	О
Dan Thimesch, Ranking Minority	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	X	X	Е	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	X			1	0
Mary Compton	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	X	X	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х			0	0
Barbara Craft	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х			0	0
Don Dahl	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Е			1	0
John Faber	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	Е	Х	Х	Х	Х			1	0
Bill Feuerborn	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	Х	Х	Е			1	0
Joann Freeborn	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Х	Х			0	0
Doug Gatewood	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			О	0
William Kassebaum	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			О	О
Bruce Larkin	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Е	X	X	X	X			1	0
Bill Light	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			О	О
James Miller	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			О	0
Melvin Minor	X	X	X	X	Х	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			О	0
Ralph Ostmeyer	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			О	О
Sharon Schwartz	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Е	X	X			1	0
X-Present																				
E - Excused																				
A - Absent																				

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COMMITTEE ACTION INDEX

BILL NUMBER	JMBER SUBJECT DATE OF HEARING/DISCUSSION					
SB 46	Kansas pet animal act, procedures for seizure and impoundment of animals.	3-17-03 3-19-03 3-24-03	No Action			
SB 135	Inspection not required for buffalo or domesticated deer. (Re-referred 3-28-03)	3-10-03	Be Passed Consent Calendar 3-10-03			
SB 238	City-County reorganization; efficiency in Local Government Act. (Re-referred to House Agriculture 3-28-03)	No Hearing	No Action			
Sub. SB 296	Reorganizes department of agriculture.	3-8-04 3-17-04	Be Passed As Amended 3-22-04			
SB 326	Licensure requirements for pesticide businesses. (Tabled 3-22-04)	3-15-04 3-17-04 3-22-04	No Action			
Sub. SB 335	Regulation of liquefied petroleum gas.	3-15-04	Be Passed As Amended 3-22-04			
SB 352	Installation of scales by service company.	3-3-04	Be Passed Consent Calendar 3-3-04			
SB 353	Noxious weeds, sericea lespedeza.	3-3-04	Be Passed As Amended 3-3-04			
SB 524	Updating references in department of agriculture statutes with respect to departmental duties.	3-15-04	Be Passed As Amended 3-17-04			
HB 2072	Eliminating state meat and poultry inspection program.	2-17-03	No Action			
HB 2080	Enacting the competitive livestock markets act.	No Hearing	No Action			
HB 2167	Prohibiting ownership of livestock by packers.	2-24-03	No Action			
HB 2168	Preservation of historic property consistent with farming and ranching operations. (Tabled 2-24-03)	2-10-03 2-24-03	No Action			
HB 2188	Livestock for purposes of meat inspection to not include buffalo or domesticated deer slaughtered for sport or recreational purposes. (Similar to SB 135 passed 3-10-03)	No Action				
HB 2278	Prohibiting ownership of hogs by pork processors.	No Hearing	No Action			
HB 2378	Authorizing counties to impose certain limitations on confined feeding facilities for hogs and providing election and procedures therefor.	No Hearing	No Action			
HB 2460	Appointment of secretary of agriculture by governor.	1-26-04	No Action			
HB 2530	Removal of officers of cooperative agricultural marketing association by board of directors.	1-28-04	Be Passed As Amended 2-9-04			
HB 2531	Historical preservation; consideration of established agricultural use of land required.	1-28-04	Be Passed As Amended 2-11-04			
HB 2576	Application of bond proceeds of public warehouse.	2-2-04	No Action			

HB 2593	Establishing animal identification program. (Subcommittee) (Substitute for HB 2593)	2-4-04 2-9-04	Be Passed As Amended 2-23-04			
HB 2622	Fees collected by department of agriculture.	2-11-04	Be Passed 2-23-04			
HB 2836	Standards for horse pulling.	No Hearing	No Action			
HB 2865	Requirements and penalties for sale of transgenic wheat seed.	No Hearing	No Action			
HB 2881	Certain provisions of seed contracts void and unenforceable.	No Hearing	No Action			
HCR 5009	Concurrent Resolution urging President and Congress to remove trade, financial and travel restrictions to Cuba. (Re-referred 3-30-03)	2-10-03	Be Adopted As Amended 2-12-03			
HR 6020	A resolution approving Executive Reorganization Order No. 32.	2-2-04	Be Adopted 2-2-04			
HR 6034	Testing for BSE	5-3-04	No Action			
ERO 32	Executive Reorganization Order transferring powers, duties and functions of the Department of Health and Environment to the Department of Agriculture.	1-26-04 3-8-04 3-17-04 3-22-04	Resolution Be Adopted 2-2-04			