Approved:	April 26, 2006
	Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Dwayne Umbarger at 4:35 P.M. on March 31, 2006, at the rail, 3rd Floor of the Capitol outside of the Senate Chamber.

All members were present except:

Senator Steve Morris- excused Senator Ruth Teichman- excused Senator David Wysong- excused

Committee staff present:

Jill Wolters, Revisor of Statutes Office
Michael Corrigan, Revisor of Statutes Office
J. G. Scott, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Reagan Cussimanio, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Audrey Dunkel, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Judy Bromich, Chief of Staff
Mary Shaw, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: none

Chairman Umbarger called the meeting to introduce the following bill requested by Senator Anthony Hensley and he provided additional information regarding the differences from <u>SB 587</u>, as amended by the Senate Committee of the Whole (<u>Attachment 1</u>).

Senator Steineger moved, with a second by Senator Betts, to introduce a bill concerning lotteries; enacting the Kansas expanded lottery act (5rs2358). Motion carried on a voice vote.

The meeting adjourned at 4:40 p.m. The next meeting was scheduled for April 19, 2006, the first day of the Omnibus Session.

Sen. Hensley's bill - - differences from SB 587, as am SCoW

- increases moratorium penalty to three times amount of privilege fee (+ interest)
- deletes prohibition against managing both lottery gaming facility and racetrack gaming facility
- dedicates property tax relief fund to only cities and counties
- caps slots statewide at 3,800: 1,000 WY; 800 CR/CK; 1,200 SG; 800 FD
- provides for SG co. vote at Nov. 2006 election on casino & racetrack facilities (one ballot question)
 - if proposition passes, a portion of the casino privilege fee goes to SG Co. to support "fair fares"
- increases casino privilege fee to \$40 million
- changes appointments to lottery gaming facilities review board to provide for appointments by Senate and House minority leaders
- deletes language requiring state to own software programs for games
- amends language regarding communications systems to provide for compatibility with more electronic gaming machines
- transfers administration and enforcement of bingo act to Racing and Gaming Commission on 07/01/07
- extends Sen. Journey's conflict of interest amendment to bingo lessors