

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Susan Wagle at 12:00 p.m. on March 30, 2011, at the Rail of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Ms. Margaret Cianciarulo, Committee Assistant
Mr. Ken Wilke, Office of the Revisor of Statutes
Mr. Reed Holwegner, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Ms. Dorothy Noblitt, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Others attending:

See attached list.

Continued hearing on the Department of Labor's amendment dealing with classified employees to Substitute for HB2135 – an act concerning certain employees; relating to misclassification of employees to avoid tax withholding contributions and reporting requirements.

Upon calling the meeting to order, the Chair stated that the original Committee Report for **Substitute for B2135** had not been filed and this meeting was to reconsider the previous action taken by the Committee regarding the new section proposed by the Department of Labor.

The Chair asked if there was a motion to withdraw the proposed new section and make any corresponding changes required in the bill.

A motion was made by Senator Holland to reconsider the Committee's previous action and to amend to strike the Department of Labor's language making department employees unclassified and make any other necessary technical changes to the bill. It was seconded by Senator Longbine and the motion carried.

Adjournment

As there was no further business, the Chair adjourned the meeting. The time was 12:20 p.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 1, 2011.