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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMERCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Anthony Brown at 1:30 p.m. on January 31, 2012, in Room 785 of Docking State Office Building.

All members were present except:

Representative Louis Ruiz Excused

Committee staff present:

Chuck Reimer, Revisor
Ken Wilke, Revisor
Reed Holwegner, Research
Raney Gilliland, Research
Joyce Bishop, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Martha Neu Smith, Kansas Manufactured Housing Association
Secretary Ray Roberts, Kansas Department of Corrections

Others attending:

See attached list.

Chairperson Brown asked for introduction of bills.

Representative Gene Suellentrop moved, seconded by Representative Virgil Peck, to introduce a committee bill regarding certification and licensing of contractors in Kansas. The motion passed.

Chairperson Brown opened the hearing on **HB 2510—Prison-made goods act; prohibition against production of manufactured or modular homes.**

Revisor Ken Wilke gave the overview on **HB 2510.**

The following conferees appeared as proponents on **HB 2510:**

Martha Neu-Smith, Kansas Manufactured Housing Association (Attachment 1).

The following conferees appeared as opponents on **HB 2510:**

Secretary Ray Roberts, Department of Corrections (Attachment 2).

Chairperson Brown closed the hearing on **HB 2510.**

The meeting adjourned at 2:30 PM.