REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on **Judiciary** recommends **SB 249** be amended on page 1, in line 7, before "There" by inserting "(a)"; in line 10, after "committee." by inserting:

"(b) (1)";

In line 14, after "employees." by inserting:

"(2)";

In line 16, after "employees." by inserting:

"(3)";

In line 20, by striking "The post auditor may require a person to be"; by striking all in lines 21 through 29; in line 30, by striking "person to be employed by the division of post audit." and inserting:

"(c) (1) The post auditor may require employees of the division of post audit to be fingerprinted and submit to a state and national criminal history record check. The fingerprints shall be used to identify the employee and to determine whether the employee has a record of criminal history in this state or another jurisdiction. The post auditor shall submit the fingerprints to the Kansas bureau of investigation and the federal bureau of investigation for a state and national criminal history record check. Local and state law enforcement officers and agencies shall assist the post auditor in the taking and processing of fingerprints of employees. The post auditor may use the information obtained from fingerprinting and the criminal history for purposes of verifying the identification of the employee and in the official determination of the qualifications and fitness of the employee to be employed by the division of post audit.

(2) Any person offered a position of employment in the division of post audit, subject to a

criminal history records check, shall be given a written notice that a criminal history records check is required. The post auditor may require such applicant to be fingerprinted and submit to a state and national criminal history record check. The fingerprints shall be used to identify the applicant and to determine whether the applicant has a record of criminal history in this state or another jurisdiction. The post auditor shall submit the fingerprints to the Kansas bureau of investigation and the federal bureau of investigation for a state and national criminal history record check. Local and state law enforcement officers and agencies shall assist the post auditor in the taking and processing of fingerprints of applicants. The post auditor may use the information obtained from fingerprinting and the criminal history for purposes of verifying the identification of the applicant and in the official determination of the eligibility of the applicant to perform tasks within the division of post audit. If the criminal history record information is used to disqualify an applicant, the applicant shall be informed in writing of that decision.";

Also on page 1, in line 30, after the period, by inserting:

"(d)";

And the bill be passed as amended.

_Chairperson