

Journal of the House

NINETEENTH DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TOPEKA, KS, Friday, February 6, 2015, 8:00 a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment with Speaker pro tem Mast in the chair.

The roll was called with 102 members present.

Reps. Bridges and Dannebohm were excused on verified illness.

Reps. Jennings, Johnson, Merrick and Peck were excused on legislative business.

Reps. Ballard, Bollier, Bruchman, Campbell, Edmonds, Goico, Hedke, Hildabrand, Kelley, Ousley, Powell, Rhoades, Ruiz, Sawyer, Schwab, Thompson and Whitmer were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by Chaplain Brubaker:

Faithful God,
Thank You for this week and all that has been accomplished.
Some of it we like; some of it we don't.
But when it is all said and done,
hopefully we can all say we did our best.
As the leaders continue to wrap up business for this week,
help them to claim the promise that You have given them:
to not fear nor be dismayed,
for You will strengthen them,
You will help them,
You will uphold them with Your righteous right hand,
and keep them in perfect peace
as their minds are steadfast and trusting in You.
In Your Name I pray, Amen.
(Isaiah 41:10; 26:3)

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Alford.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2254, AN ACT concerning roofing contractor registration; relating to exemption of certain general contractors; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 50-6,122 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

HB 2255, AN ACT concerning the Kansas department of transportation; relating to

certain revolving funds; transportation projects, communication systems and intermodal transportation; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 75-5067, 75-5068 and 75-5077 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 75-5081, 75-5082, 75-5083, 75-5084, 75-5085, 75-5086 and 75-5087, by Committee on Transportation.

HB 2256, AN ACT concerning the commercial real estate broker lien act; relating to conditions, recording and notice of lien; amending K.S.A. 58-30a03, 58-30a07 and 58-30a09 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

HB 2257, AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to the professional negotiations act; amending K.S.A. 72-5423 and K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-5413 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Education.

HB 2258, AN ACT concerning the Kansas mortgage business act, definitions; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 9-2201 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Financial Institutions.

HB 2259, AN ACT concerning municipality indebtedness reporting; relating to deadlines; amending K.S.A. 10-1007a and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Financial Institutions.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to committees as indicated:

Agriculture and Natural Resources: **HB 2245**.

Commerce, Labor and Economic Development: **HB 2247, HB 2248**.

Elections: **HB 2251**.

Health and Human Services: **HB 2244**.

Insurance: **HB 2241, HB 2249**.

Judiciary: **SB 23**.

Local Government: **HB 2246**.

Pensions and Benefits: **HB 2250, HB 2253**.

Taxation: **HB 2240**.

Transportation: **HB 2242, HB 2252, SB 21**.

Veterans, Military and Homeland Security: **HB 2243**.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The Senate concurs in House amendments to **House Substitute for SB 4**.

The Senate accedes to the request of the House for a conference on **HCR 5002** and has appointed Senators King, Bruce and Hensley as conferees on the part of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS OFFERED ON A PREVIOUS DAY

On motion of Rep. Kuether, **HR 6008**, A RESOLUTION commemorating the 150th Anniversary of Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas, was adopted.

There being no objection, the following remarks of Rep. Kuether are spread upon the Journal:

Today, Washburn University celebrates 150 years of providing an education to all people, regardless of ethnicity, gender or income. Founded on February 6, 1865,

Washburn has a rich history centered on the ideal of providing an education to those who sought to improve themselves and the world around them, a vision which continues to endure today.

When it opened, three days into the new year of 1866, it had 38 students, 22 men-one of them African-American – and 16 women. Washburn now has 6, 722 students and 1,217 students attending Washburn Institute of Technology. Washburn also has 42,537 living Ichabod alumni, of whom 27,228 live in Kansas.

This year, Washburn will have a Grand Graduation in honor of the sesquicentennial celebration, highlighting the Class of 2015 and 150 years of Washburn's success, the success of its students, its faculty, staff, leaders, friends, and 150 years of dedication to community.

Please join Washburn in celebrating their sesquicentennial as they honor the past and recognize those who have helped move the University forward. Washburn will be celebrating the sesquicentennial until Washburn's Grand Homecoming October 24, 2015.

Rep. Kuether introduced the following guests from Washburn University:

Dr. Jerry B. Farley, Washburn University President; Ms. Pam Trusdale, Vice-Chair, Washburn University Board of Regents; Mr. Bill Sneed, Member, Washburn University Board of Regents; Mrs. Blanche Parks, Member, Washburn University Board of Regents; Dr. Juli Ann Mazachek, Washburn University Foundation President; Mr. Dan Hutchins, Chair, Washburn University Foundation Board of Trustees; Ms. Cynthia Heath, Vice-Chair, Washburn University Foundation Board of Trustees; Ms. Julie Olson, Washburn University Foundation; Dr. Denise Ottinger, Vice-President, Student Life, Washburn University; Dr. Cynthia Hornberger, Special Assistant to the President, Washburn University; Ms. Amanda Hughes, Associate Director of University Relations and Co-Chair of 150th Activities, Washburn University; Washburn Student Government President Cassandra White; Washburn Student Government Vice President Randi McAfee; Washburn Student Government Budget Director Blake Porter; Washburn Student Government Marketing Director, Damian Barron; Washburn Student Government Senator Natasha Martinez; Washburn Student Government Senator Malcolm Mikkelsen; Alison Thomas, student; Jamie Dickerson, student; Ernie Webb, photographer; and Peggy Clark, photographer.

CONSENT CALENDAR

No objection was made to **HB 2101** appearing on the Consent Calendar for the first day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on **Judiciary** recommends **HB 2022** be amended on page 2, in line 3, by striking "and"; in line 4, after "(3)" by inserting "has not been convicted of a misdemeanor within five years immediately preceding the date of election or appointment; and

(4) "; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Veterans, Military and Homeland Security** recommends **HB 2006**

be amended on page 2, in line 11, after "facility" by inserting "or public parking lot"; in line 13, after "such" by inserting "public"; also in line 13, after "facility" by inserting "or public parking lot"; in line 17, after "facility" by inserting "or public parking lot";

On page 1, in the title, in line 2, by striking "garages" and inserting "spaces"; and the bill be passed as amended.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Your Committee on **Calendar and Printing** recommends on requests for resolutions and certificates that

Request No. 25, by Representative Ponka-We Victors, congratulating Anita Evans, Sponsor for Royal Valley Native American Singers and Dancers, in recognition for promoting Native American culture and inspiring the youth of the Potawatomi Nation;

Request No. 26, by Representative Annie Kuether, congratulating Washburn University and President Jerry Farley in recognition of the university's 150th birthday;

Request No. 27, by Speaker Ray Merrick, congratulating Charlie Williams in recognition for achievement of Eagle Scout;

Request No. 28, by Representative Virgil Peck, Jr, congratulating the Carey Valley High School Girls Golf Team in recognition of winning the 2014 Kansas State Championship, Class 3A-2A-1A;

be approved and the Chief Clerk of the House be directed to order the printing of said certificates and order drafting of said resolutions.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the committee report was adopted.

Upon unanimous consent, the House referred back to the regular business, Introduction of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2260, AN ACT concerning municipal finance; relating to temporary notes for improvements; amending K.S.A. 10-123 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Financial Institutions.

HB 2261, AN ACT concerning employment security law; relating to determination of benefits; employer classification and rates; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 44-704, 44-710a and 44-757 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

HB 2262, AN ACT concerning the student data privacy act; concerning compliance and penalties for noncompliance; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6220 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

HB 2263, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to countywide retailers' sales tax; authority for Douglas county; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 12-187, 12-189 and 12-192 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Taxation.

HB 2264, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to valuation and taxation of certain oil and gas equipment and materials; amending K.S.A. 79-329 and repealing

the existing section, by Committee on Taxation.

HB 2265, AN ACT concerning the unemployment security law; relating to unemployment benefits for privately contracted school bus drivers; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 44-706 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House adjourned until 8:00 a.m., Monday, February 9, 2015.

CHARLENE SWANSON, *Journal Clerk*.

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk*.

