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BILL NUMBER	<u>SUBJECT</u>	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	DATE OF FINAL ACTION BY FULL COMMITTEE
SB 7	Enacting the Kansas reinvestment act.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 44	Including volunteer members of regional search and rescue teams within workers compensation coverage under the state workers compensation self-insurance fund.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 64	Providing for fair consideration for employment to persons with records of convictions.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 71	Clarifying how to enforce an order for support against a person's workers compensation benefits.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 90	Workers compensation impairment determination.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 133	Requiring e-verify for certain public contracts, enacting the Kansas employer everify accountability act.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 134	Enhancing the penalty for misclassification of employees for purposes of evading taxes or unemployment insurance contributions.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 176	Kansas buy American act.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 177	Hiring Kansans first.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 185	Authorizing utility franchises for redevelopment districts which encompass a federal enclave.	Hearing on 2/13/18.	BP 2/15/18.
SB 212	Directing the secretary of labor to submit a plan and negotiate an agreement for state enforcement of OSHA standards.	Hearing on 3/15/17. Hearing continued on 3/16/17.	No action.
SB 230	High performance incentive program, moratorium on income tax credits and sales tax exemptions.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 231	Promoting employment across Kansas act; moratorium on the award of benefits.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 252	Enacting the ad astra rural jobs act.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 334	Extending the time that taxpayers may carry forward the high performance incentive program tax credit.	Hearing on 2/7/18.	BPA 2/15/18.
SB 339	Making workers compensation death benefits adequate and equivalent with respect to recent benefit limit changes.	Hearing on 2/8/18.	On 3/15/18, SB 339 as amended was inserted into the shell of HB 2184 and passed as S Sub for HB 2184.
SB 403	Allowing workers with injuries to choose their doctors.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 412	Unemployment benefits for privately contracted school bus drivers.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 430	Extending the high performance incentive program tax credit carry forward period from 16 to 25 years.	No hearing because SB 430 is the same bill as SB 334 which was heard on 2/7/18 and passed as amended on 2/15/18.	BPA 3/20/18.
SB 432	Transparency, project financial viability requirements and other reforms to the STAR bond financing act.	Hearing for proponents on 3/6/18. Hearing for opponents and neutral on 3/7/18.	No action.

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SB 434	Amending STAR bonds by limiting financing to tourist attractions, limiting the state revenue contribution and limiting benefits for certain businesses.	Hearing on 3/7/18 for proponents. Hearing on 3/8/18 for opponents and neutral.	No action.
SB 435	Permitting real estate brokers and salespersons to give clients or customers rebates if disclosed in the purchase contract or listing agreement.	No hearing.	No action.
SB 448	Creating the joint economic development incentive review committee and providing for regular evaluations of Kansas economic incentives and reports to the legislature.	Hearing on 3/21/18.	BPA 3/22/18.
HB 2168	Enacting the ad astra rural jobs act.	Hearing on 2/6/18.	No action.
S Sub for HB 2184	Extending the sunset date of the STAR bond financing act and other agreements.	No hearing.	On 3/15/18, the contents of HB 2184 were removed. SB 339 as amended was placed into the shell and passed as S Sub for HB 2184 .
HB 2482	Expanding the hours of sale of alcoholic liquor by the drink.	Hearing on 2/14/18.	BPA 2/15/18.
Substitute for HB 2572	Requiring the department of commerce to create a database of economic development incentive program information.	No hearing.	No action.
HB 2701	Establishing the statewide broadband expansion task force.	Hearing on 3/9/18. Hearing continued on 3/13/18.	BPA 3/15/18.
SCR 1610	Urging the state corporation commission to take all action to set rates for electric service at regionally competitive rates.	No hearing.	No action.
SCR 1612	Urging the state corporation commission to lower retail electric rates to regionally competitive levels.	Hearing on 3/12/18.Continued on 3/13/18.	RP 3/14/18.

CONFIRMATIONS

Appointments:

Phillip Hayes, Public Member, Employment Security Board of Review, term expires March 15, 2021 (Hearing and action by committee on 3/20/18)