

Approved April 26, 2000  
Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Emert at 11:06 a.m. on April 26, 2000 in Room 245-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator Pugh (excused)  
Senator Harrington (excused)  
Senator Oleen (excused)  
Senator Petty (excused)  
Senator Feleciano (excused)

Committee staff present:

Mike Heim, Research  
Jerry Donaldson, Research  
Mary Blair, Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:  
None

Others attending: see attached list

**HB 2372--retirement system for justices and judges; retirement age**

Senator Vratil reviewed his subcommittee's work on **HB 2372** stating that the subcommittee recommended favorably the passage of this bill which would raise the mandatory retirement age for Kansas Court of Appeals and Supreme Court judges from the current 70 years to 75 years. Following brief discussion Senator Vratil moved to pass the bill out favorably, Senator Goodwin seconded. Carried.

The meeting adjourned at 11:08 a.m. There are no further meetings scheduled.