

# SENATE CALENDAR

No. 17

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Wednesday, January 31, 2024  
SENATE CONVENES at 2:30 PM

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## Order of Business

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ROLL CALL

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INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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### Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

422–

**SB 422**, AN ACT concerning electric public utilities; relating to net metering; increasing the system-wide capacity limit for facilities subject to net metering; requiring such facilities to be appropriately sized based on the customer's expected load; establishing requirements for exporting power to a utility from a facility subject to net metering; amending K.S.A. 66-1264, 66-1265, 66-1266 and 66-1267 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Utilities

(Utilities)

423–

**SB 423**, AN ACT concerning insurance; reducing the number of board members appointed by the commissioner on certain insurance-related governing boards and the frequency of the meetings of the committee on surety bonds and insurance; amending K.S.A. 40-2102, 40-2109, 40-3116, 40-3413, 65-34,126 and 75-4101 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance  
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)

424–

**SB 424**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas plane coordinate system act; providing for geographic positions or locations of points within the state of Kansas; amending K.S.A. 58-20a01, 58-20a02, 58-20a03, 58-20a04, 58-20a05 and 58-20a07 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 58-20a06.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)

**425–**

**SB 425**, AN ACT concerning children and families; relating to orders of child support; providing for child support for unborn children from the date of conception; amending K.S.A. 20-165, 23-2205 and 23-3001 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Judiciary)

**426–**

**SB 426**, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to unlawful passing of stationary authorized emergency vehicle; increasing penalties for certain violations; creating a crime for injuring or causing death of certain authorized emergency vehicle operators and providing a penalty therefor; amending K.S.A. 8-1530, 8-2116 and 8-2118 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Transportation  
(Transportation)

**427–**

**SB 427**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to boards of education; requiring school districts to publicly list the names and email addresses of current board members; authorizing local school board members to add new items to board meeting discussions, ask questions or engage in discussion with members of the public and access school property; authorizing members of the public to address school boards at board meetings; authorizing payment of annual dues to any not-for-profit organization that provides services to member school districts; amending K.S.A. 72-1145 and 72-1416 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-1138 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Education  
(Education)

**428–**

**SB 428**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; boards of education; requiring attendance center needs assessments to be conducted by the board and include input from board members, teachers, school site councils and administrators; requiring that board members receive certain state assessment data; identifying allocations of moneys in the district budget and budget summary; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-1163 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education  
(Education)

**429–**

**SB 429**, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to sales and compensating use tax; reducing the state rate of tax on sales of food and food ingredients; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3603, 79-3603d, 79-3620, 79-3703 and 79-3710 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation  
(Assessment and Taxation)

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**1616–**

**SCR 1616**, A PROPOSITION to amend section 5 of article 3 of the constitution of the state of Kansas; relating to the selection of supreme court justices; allowing the governor to appoint supreme court justices, subject to senate confirmation; changing the membership of the supreme court nominating commission.

Senator Pyle

(Judiciary)

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## Reference of Appointments

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MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

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COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

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MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

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## Consideration of Motions to Concur or Nonconcur

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REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

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## Consideration of Appointments

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### Consent Calendar

(Senate action to be taken on third day or thereafter)

**331–(Third Day)**

**SB 331**, AN ACT concerning health and environment; relating to public water supply systems and hazardous waste; removing the definition of lead-free and an exception for leaded joints from public water supply system laws; updating terminology relating to hazardous waste generated by certain persons; amending K.S.A. 65-171r, 65-3415, 65-3415a and 65-3460 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-3402 and repealing the existing sections.

Senator Kerschen

(Agriculture and Natural Resources)

(Be Passed)

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## Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

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INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

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## CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 11, I move to withdraw **SCR 1615** from the Committee on Ways and Means and the concurrent resolution be placed on the calendar under the heading of General Orders.

Senator Olson

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REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

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**General Orders****ANTICIPATED END OF DEBATE CALENDAR**

**336–**

**SB 336**, AN ACT concerning health and environment; relating to underground storage tanks; removing the requirement for underground storage tank operating permits to be obtained annually; amending K.S.A. 65-34,135 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 65-34,130.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources  
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**Sub 249–**

**Sub SB 249**, AN ACT concerning the offices of the state treasurer, the commissioner of insurance and the lieutenant governor; relating to the filling of a vacancy in such offices; requiring appointment of a person of the same political party as the incumbent; requiring senate confirmation of such appointment; amending K.S.A. 25-101b, 40-106 and 75-127 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)  
(Be Passed)

**303–**

**SB 303**, AN ACT concerning legal tender; establishing the Kansas legal tender act; reaffirmation of gold and silver coin as legal tender; providing an income taxation subtraction modification for gains from the sale of specie; amending

K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)  
(Be Passed)  
(Federal and State Affairs)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**2077–**

**HB 2077**, AN ACT concerning information technology; requiring reporting of significant cybersecurity incidents; changing membership, terms and quorum requirements for the information technology executive council; relating to information technology projects and reporting requirements; information technology security training and cybersecurity reports; duties of the chief information security officer; requiring certain information to be provided to the joint committee on information technology; amending K.S.A. 46-2102, {74-5704,} 75-7201, 75-7202, 75-7205, 75-7206, 75-7208, 75-7209, 75-7210, 75-7211, 75-7237, 75-7238, 75-7239, 75-7240 and 75-7242 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Appropriations  
(Ways and Means)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**2033–**

**HB 2033**, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to children in need of care; juvenile crisis intervention centers; changing the criteria used to refer and admit juveniles; defining behavioral health crisis; amending K.S.A. 38-2202, 38-2231, 38-2243, 38-2302, 38-2330, 65-536 and 75-52,164 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice  
(Public Health and Welfare)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**2034–**

**HB 2034**, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to procedures in investigations of child abuse or neglect; requiring a child abuse review and evaluation referral; creating a program in the department of health and environment for the training and payment for child abuse reviews and exams; defining child abuse review and evaluation providers, networks and examination and child abuse medical resource centers; amending K.S.A. 38-2202 and 38-2226 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care  
(Public Health and Welfare)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**2340–**

**HB 2340**, AN ACT concerning the behavioral sciences; requiring the behavioral sciences regulatory board to process applications within a certain time and establish an expedited application process; relating to licensure and regulation; professional counselors, social workers, marriage and family therapists, addiction counselors, behavior analysts, psychologists and master's level psychologists; decreasing the years of practice required for reciprocity

licensure; providing reduced diagnosis and treatment continuing education requirements; establishing license categories for applicants from social work programs in candidacy for accreditation and for temporary reinstatement; extending the license period of temporary licenses; establishing a community-based license for professional counselors, social workers, marriage and family therapists and psychologists; amending K.S.A. 65-5802, 65-5806, 65-6302, 65-6313, 65-6314, 65-6402, 65-6407, 65-6608, 65-6614, 65-6618, 65-7504, 65-7505, 74-5302, 74-5318, 74-5361, 74-5365, 74-5366, 74-5367 and 74-7501 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 65-5804a, 65-5807, 65-5808, 65-6306, 65-6309, 65-6322, 65-6404, 65-6405, 65-6406, 65-6411, 65-6610, 65-6611, 65-6613, 74-5310, 74-5315, 74-5316, 74-5363 and 74-5375 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 74-5339.

Committee on Health and Human Services  
(Public Health and Welfare)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**308—**

**SB 308**, AN ACT concerning public employees; relating to hiring and promotion preferences for state employment; providing for a preference for persons with a disability; expanding the veterans preference to include remarried spouses of a deceased veteran who died while, and as a result of, serving in the armed forces and to include surviving spouses, whether remarried or not remarried of a prisoner of war; amending K.S.A. 73-201 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Ways and Means  
(Ways and Means)  
(Be Passed)

**104—**

**SB 104**, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; relating to payments made with credit and debit cards; allowing a surcharge for use of such cards; requiring notification to consumers of such surcharge; amending K.S.A. 12-16, 125 and 72-1176 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 19-122 and 75-30, 100 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 16a-2-403.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance  
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)  
(Be Passed as Amended)  
(Ways and Means)

**2293—**

**HB 2293**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to jailhouse witness testimony; requiring prosecutors to disclose their intent to introduce testimony from a jailhouse witness and to forward related information to the Kansas bureau of investigation; providing for confidentiality of such information; amending K.S.A. 45-229 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary  
(Judiciary)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**2338–**

**HB 2338**, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to sickle cell disease; designating sickle cell awareness week.

Committee on Health and Human Services  
(Public Health and Welfare)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**2106–**

**HB 2106**, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to sales and compensating use tax; providing for a sales tax exemption for sales of property and services used in the provision of communications services; providing for a deduction for calculating tax owed when selling a motor vehicle that is purchased within 90 days of the sale of another vehicle; amending K.S.A. 12-199 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**S Sub 2069–**

**S Sub HB 2069**, AN ACT concerning real property; relating to the conveyance thereof; prohibiting the conveyance of certain real property to foreign adversaries; establishing criminal penalties therefor; requiring the attorney general to investigate such conveyances.

Committee on Judiciary  
(Judiciary)  
(Be Passed)

**63–**

**SB 63**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the campaign finance act; expanding the scope of permitted uses of campaign contributions to include family caregiving services; amending K.S.A. 25-4157a and repealing the existing section.

Senators Corson, Blasi, Claeys, O'Shea, Pittman, Straub  
(Transparency and Ethics)  
(Be Passed as Amended)  
(Ways and Means)

**2086–**

**HB 2086**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to election procedures; clarifying duties and qualifications of certain election officials; redefining certain election crimes; amending K.S.A. 10-120, 15-809, 19-303, 19-804, 19-3419, 19-3422, 19-3439, 25-105, 25-203, 25-208a, 25-211, 25-212, 25-213, 25-303, 25-308, 25-321, 25-432, 25-433, 25-604, 25-610, 25-901, 25-1115, 25-1122, 25-1214, 25-1903, 25-2005, 25-2008, 25-2018, 25-2021, 25-21a02, 25-2310, 25-2502, 25-2507, 25-26a03, 25-2702, 25-2704, 25-2705, 25-2706, 25-2805, 25-2812, 25-2905, 25-3002, 25-3005, 25-3104, 25-3107, 25-3201, 25-3301, 25-3303, 25-3304, 25-3801, 25-4004, 25-4005, 25-4148d, 25-4322, 25-4612, 25-4703, 25-4709 and 71-1415 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 19-3424, 25-3009 and 25-4414 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A.

25-222, 25-305b, 25-1709 and 25-1710.

Committee on Elections

(Federal and State Affairs)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**68–**

**SB 68**, AN ACT concerning electric transmission lines; relating to construction and ownership of certain electric transmission lines; providing incumbent electric transmission owners a right of first refusal.

Committee on Utilities

(Utilities)  
(Be Passed as Amended)  
(Ways and Means)

**23–**

**SB 23**, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system; Kansas public employees retirement fund; investment standards; eliminating the statutory 15% alternative investment percentage limit thereto; requiring the board of trustees to set alternative investment percentage limit; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 74-4921 and repealing the existing section.

Joint Committee on Pensions, Investments and Benefits  
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)

(Be Passed)  
(Ways and Means)

**2191–**

**HB 2191**, AN ACT concerning the children's cabinet; authorizing the cabinet to establish a nonprofit corporation to raise funds to benefit the Dolly Parton's imagination library book gifting program.

Committee on Appropriations

(Ways and Means)  
(Be Passed)

**190–**

**SB 190**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; release prior to trial; requiring a waiver of extradition proceedings as a condition of release prior to trial for any person charged with a felony; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 22-2802 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)  
(Be Passed)

**142–**

**SB 142**, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to the duty of drivers approaching stationary vehicles; providing a penalty for unlawful passing thereof; amending K.S.A. 8-2118 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)  
(Be Passed)

**Sub 60–**

**Sub SB 60**, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions;



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providing exemptions for custom meat processing services, purchases for the construction or repair of buildings used for human habitation by the Kansas state school for the blind and the Kansas state school for the deaf, certain purchases and sales by the Johnson county Christmas bureau association and certain purchases by doorstep inc; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)

**41–**

**SB 41**, AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use taxation; relating to the collection and remittance of taxes; providing a credit to retailers.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)

**366–**

**SB 366**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to advance voting ballots; requiring that county election officers receive a request for an application for an advance voting ballot prior to mailing such application to such voter; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 25-1122 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

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## Bills Adversely Reported

## Status of Bills and Resolutions

Senate bills passed in Senate: Nos. 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 37, 39, 40, 42, 44, 49, 53, 55, 59, 66, 73, 75, 83, 85, 91, 96, 98, 106, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 119, 120, 123, 127, 130, 131, 132, 143, 144, 147, 155, 169, 174, 180, 189, 194, 195, 205, 208, 209, 217, 219, 221, 228, 229, 232, 233, 243, 244, 248, 252, 265, 271, 287, 291, 297, 300, 301, 307, 314, 315

Senate bills killed in Senate: Nos. 82, 152, 203, 210, 238, 295, 309

Senate bills passed by the House: Nos. 3, 8, 11, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 39, 42, 44, 49, 66, 73, 75, 83, 85, 106, 113, 114, 115, 116, 119, 120, 123, 131, 132, 144, 169, 174, 180, 189, 205, 208, 209, 217, 221, 228, 229, 243, 244

Senate bills killed in the House: Nos. 13, 194

Senate bills in conference: Nos. 14, 15, 18, 19, 27, 28, 73, 115

Senate bills awaiting the signature of the governor:

Senate bills signed by the Governor: Nos. 3, 11, 17, 24, 25, 39, 42, 44, 49, 66, 75, 85, 106, 113, 114, 116, 119, 120, 123, 131, 132, 144, 174, 180, 189, 205, 208, 217, 221, 228, 229, 243, 244

Senate bills becoming law without Governor's signature:

Senate bills vetoed by Governor: Nos. 8, 26, 169, 180, 209, 228

Senate bills line item vetoed by Governor: Nos. 25, 113

Senate bills becoming law notwithstanding Governor's veto:

Senate resolutions adopted: Nos. 1701, 1702, 1703, 1704, 1705, 1706, 1707, 1708, 1709, 1710, 1711, 1712, 1713, 1714, 1715, 1716, 1717, 1718, 1719, 1720, 1721, 1722, 1723, 1724, 1725, 1726, 1727, 1728, 1729, 1730, 1731, 1732

Senate resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted: Nos. 1601, 1602, 1603, 1611, 1612

Senate concurrent resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted by House: Nos. 1601, 1602, 1603, 1612

Senate concurrent resolutions killed in House:

House bills passed in the Senate: Nos. 2002, 2010, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2027, 2039, 2042, 2053, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2065, 2070, 2080, 2082, 2087, 2089, 2090, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2100, 2114, 2121, 2125, 2127, 2130, 2131, 2138, 2147, 2160, 2170, 2172, 2173, 2184, 2196, 2197, 2214, 2216, 2225, 2226, 2234, 2236, 2238, 2240, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2269, 2279, 2284, 2285, 2288, 2290, 2292, 2298, 2302, 2304, 2313, 2322, 2323, 2325, 2326, 2332, 2335, 2336, 2344, 2346, 2350, 2375, 2390, 2395

House bills killed in the Senate: No. 2141

House bills in conference: Nos. 2070, 2089, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2234, 2375

House concurrent resolutions adopted by the Senate: Nos. 5001, 5002, 5003, 5012, 5015, 5016, 5018, 5019

House concurrent resolutions killed in the Senate:

House concurrent resolutions in conference:

### **Bills in Senate Committees**

#### **Agriculture and Natural Resources—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 71, 105, 347, 389, 417

House Bills: No. 2047

#### **Assessment and Taxation—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 4, 7, 21, 22, 29, 30, 52, 54, 56, 57, 58, 61, 79, 80, 81, 89, 94, 97, 101, 110, 124, 125, 126, 128, 129, 136, 138, 164, 168, 178, 179, 196, 227, 230, 247, 263, 264, 274, 299, 306, 311, 313, 327, 332, 376, 377, 403, 421

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1604, 1613

House Bills: Nos. 2026, 2036, 2201, 2229, 2232, 2254, 2317, 2416, 2421, 2465

#### **Commerce—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 38, 47, 70, 140, 159, 165, 282, 325, 329, 333

House Bills: Nos. 2275, 2331, 2387, 2388, 2400, 2401, 2414

#### **Confirmation Oversight—**

#### **Education—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 31, 32, 48, 84, 102, 109, 122, 145, 167, 184, 185, 207, 226, 231, 255, 304, 316, 348, 351, 360, 386, 387, 401, 407

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1608

House Bills: No. 2132

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5004

Appointments:

*Member, State Board of Regents:*

Jonathan Rolph, term ends June 30, 2027

#### **Federal and State Affairs—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 1, 36, 64, 65, 69, 77, 92, 93, 99, 117, 133, 134, 135, 156, 157, 171, 177, 197, 200, 202, 218, 220, 222, 223, 224, 250, 251, 253, 254, 257, 259, 260, 262, 268, 269, 276, 285, 286, 290, 293, 296, 310, 321, 322, 323, 328, 343, 344, 358, 365, 367, 368, 369, 370, 373, 374, 375, 385, 409, 411

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1605, 1606, 1609, 1614

Senate Resolutions: No. 1733

House Bills: Nos. 2056, 2124, 2291, 2314, 2376, 2378, 2412, 2422, 2436, 2438, 2439, 2446

Appointments:

*Fire Marshal, State Fire Marshal:*

Mark Engholm, at the pleasure of the Governor

**Financial Institutions and Insurance–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 16, 51, 62, 76, 199, 204, 236, 245, 256, 302, 338, 339, 340, 345, 356, 388, 396, 397, 398, 405, 406

House Bills: Nos. 2105, 2133, 2198, 2247

**Interstate Cooperation–****Judiciary–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 2, 9, 50, 72, 74, 87, 95, 100, 107, 108, 137, 141, 146, 149, 158, 160, 170, 182, 183, 186, 187, 188, 192, 193, 201, 211, 216, 237, 239, 240, 241, 242, 258, 261, 266, 267, 270, 279, 280, 283, 288, 289, 292, 298, 317, 318, 341, 361, 364, 372, 379, 380, 381, 392, 393, 394, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 418, 419, 420

House Bills: Nos. 2017, 2018, 2023, 2144, 2392, 2398, 2443

**Local Government–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 86, 150, 162, 212, 273, 312, 346, 362, 383, 384

House Bills: Nos. 2083, 2176

**Organization, Calendar and Rules–**

Senate Resolutions: No. 1730

**Public Health and Welfare–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 12, 20, 43, 45, 103, 111, 118, 121, 139, 148, 161, 173, 175, 176, 181, 191, 206, 213, 225, 234, 235, 246, 277, 281, 294, 305, 319, 320, 352, 353, 354, 355, 363, 371, 390, 391, 404

House Bills: Nos. 2140, 2179, 2194, 2260, 2408

**Transparency and Ethics–****Transportation–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 90, 215, 334, 335, 337, 342, 349, 357, 359, 399, 400, 402, 408, 410

House Bills: No. 2149

**Utilities–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 46, 78, 88, 154, 166, 214, 278, 284

Appointments:

*Member, State Corporation Commission:*

Andrew French, term ends March 15, 2028

**Ways and Means–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 10, 35, 67, 151, 153, 163, 198, 272, 275, 324, 326, 330, 350, 378, 382, 395

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1615  
House Bills: Nos. 2418, 2449, 2452

## Senate Committee Agenda

The following is a tentative schedule of Committees and is subject to change day-to-day. Committees not listed have no meetings scheduled.

New or changed material for the present week will be printed in *italics*.

On-call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda. Sub-Committees will be listed at the time of the Committee's regular meeting.

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**2024**

### SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS SCHEDULE

#### All Committees will meet Daily

| TIME       |                                      | MEETING ROOM |
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| 8:30 a.m.  | Agriculture and Natural Resources    | 144-S        |
|            | Public Health and Welfare            | 142-S        |
|            | Transportation                       | 546-S        |
| 9:30 a.m.  | Assessment and Taxation              | 548-S        |
|            | Financial Institutions and Insurance | 546-S        |
|            | Local Government                     | 142-S        |
|            | Transparency and Ethics              | 142-S        |
| 10:30 a.m. | Commerce                             | 546-S        |
|            | Federal and State Affairs            | 144-S        |
|            | Judiciary                            | 346-S        |
|            | Ways and Means                       | 548-S        |
| 1:30 p.m.  | Education                            | 144-S        |
|            | Utilities                            | 548-S        |

**Note:** Senate committees: Interstate Cooperation, Organization, Calendar and Rules, Confirmation Oversight, and any subcommittees are not listed. These committees are “On-call” and will appear in Daily Calendars.

### Senate Schedule

#### Week of January 31 - February 2, 2024

Wednesday, January 31

2:30 p.m. Session

Thursday, February 1

2:30 p.m. Session

Friday, February 2

9:00 a.m. Session – PRO FORMA

**Agriculture and Natural Resources****8:30 a.m. Patti Mills, Committee Assistant—785-296-7742 144-S**Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Budget hearing on:

*Kansas Water Office**Kansas Department of Health and Environment – Division of Environment*

Possible budget recommendations on:

*Kansas Water Office**Kansas Department of Health and Environment – Division of Environment*Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Budget hearing on:

*Kansas Department of Agriculture*

Possible budget recommendations on:

*Kansas Department of Agriculture*Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

**Public Health and Welfare****8:30 a.m. Donola Fairbanks, Committee Assistant—785-296-5123 142-S**Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 363** — Amending statutes regulating the practice of barbering regarding licensure, examination and fees.Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 103** — Updating certain provisions of the Kansas dental practices act relating to dentist information requested by patients, in-person practice requirements in dental office using licensee's name, unprofessional conduct and patient complaints.Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

**Transportation****8:30 a.m. Florence Deeter, Committee Assistant—785-296-7355 546-S**Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 359** — Providing for the Kansas City Chiefs distinctive license plate.**SB 342** — Providing for the Sedgwick county zoo distinctive license plate.Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Informational briefing:

Motorola Solutions: License Plate Recognition

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

### Assessment and Taxation

**9:30 a.m.**      **John Gauntt, Committee Assistant–785-296-2713**      **548-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 377** — Increasing the extent of property tax exemption for residential property from the statewide school levy, decreasing the normal rate of privilege tax, increasing the household and dependent care expenses income tax credit amount, exempting all social security benefits from Kansas income tax, increasing the Kansas standard deduction, providing for an annual sales tax holiday for certain sales of school supplies, computers and clothing, providing sales tax exemptions for children's diapers and feminine hygiene products and reducing the state rate of tax on sales of food and food ingredients to 0% on April 1, 2024.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 306** — Including losses from investments in technology-enabled fiduciary financial institutions in Kansas adjusted gross income for income tax purposes.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 2

Meeting on call of the chair

### Financial Institutions and Insurance

**9:30 a.m.**      **Suzanne Nelson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7367**      **546-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 356** — Requiring that per diem amounts, expenses and funding for examinations be reasonable and establishing a tiered fee structure for examinations of insurance companies and societies based on gross premiums.

Discussion and action on budgets:

Kansas Public Employees Retirement System

Office of Kansas State Treasurer

Pooled Money Investment Board

Thursday, February 1

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

### Local Government

**9:30 a.m.**      **Jackie Gutierrez, Committee Assistant–785-296-7377**      **142-S**

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 384** — Allowing ambulances in rural communities to operate with only the minimum personnel required by state law.

**HB 2176** — Creating the Arkansas city area public library district act and the Udall



area public library district act, requiring an election for the creation of such district and authorizing unified school districts No. 470 and 463 to levy a tax on behalf of such library district.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

### Transparency and Ethics

**9:30 a.m.**     **Randi Walters, Committee Assistant–785-296-7389**     **142-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Update on:

Kansas Governmental Ethics Commission, Mark Skoglund, Executive Director

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

### Commerce

**10:30 a.m.**     **Connie Burns, Committee Assistant–785-296-7476**     **546-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Commerce 2023 Annual Report

Thursday, February 1 **NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 12:00 P.M. AND ROOM CHANGED TO 346-S**

**Joint Meeting of Senate Commerce and House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development**

Informational hearing on workers' compensation

Friday, February 2

Meeting on call of the chair

### Federal and State Affairs

**10:30 a.m.**     **Sheila Wodtke, Committee Assistant–785-296-4335**     **144-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 253** — Authorizing home delivery by licensed retailers, licensed clubs and drinking establishments and restaurants and third-party delivery services.

*Possible action on bills previously heard*

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 368** — Prohibiting the use of any form of ranked-choice voting method for the conduct of elections.

*Possible action on bills previously heard*

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

**Judiciary****10:30 a.m. Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant–785-296-6817 346-S**Wednesday, January 31

Update on:

Kansas Sentencing Commission, Scott Schultz, Executive Director

Request for bill introductions

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Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

**Ways and Means****10:30 a.m. Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant–785-296-3775 548-S**Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Emergency Medical Services Board

State Fire Marshal

Department of Corrections System

Office of the Governor

Update on:

Docking State Office Building and KDHE Lab, Department of Administration

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 1

Time reserved for subcommittees

Friday, February 2

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Abstracters' Board of Examiners

Kansas Dental Board

Kansas Board of Hearing Aid Examiners

Legislative Coordinating Council

Legislative Research Department

Legislature

Legislative Division of Post Audit

Office of the Revisor of Statutes

Legislative Agencies

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 360** — Allowing a taxpayer to elect the taxable year in which a subtraction modification for contributions to a 529 program account, ABLE account or first-time home buyer savings account would be applied and authorizing the state treasurer to appoint a 529 program advisory council.

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Technical Colleges By the Numbers

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

### Utilities

**1:30 p.m. Susanne Murphy, Committee Assistant–785-296-7678 548-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Robocalls, Fran Oleen, Deputy Attorney General, Public Protection Division  
Transmission Cost Allocation, Bill Dowling, VP of Engineering and Energy Supply,  
Midwest Energy

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on:

Kansas Corporation Commission and Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board agency  
budgets, Luke Drury, Sr. Fiscal Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Presentation on:

Audit of the Kansas 911 System, David Brevitz, Brevitz Consulting Services

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

### Ways and Means Subcommittee on Corrections and Public Safety

**12:00 p.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399 548-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Deliberation on agency budget:

Kansas Bureau of Investigation  
Kansas Highway Patrol

### Ways and Means Subcommittee on Executive

**9:30 a.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399 548-S**

Friday, February 2

Deliberation on agency budget:

Office of the Attorney General

**Ways and Means Subcommittee on  
Human Services**

**10:30 a.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399** **548-S**

Thursday, February 1

Hearing on agency budget:

- State institutions for mental health
- State institutions for intellectual disabilities

**On-Call Committees**

**Joint Committee on  
Administrative Rules and Regulations**

**8:00 a.m. Carol Robertson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7676** **159-S**

Friday, February 2

Hearing on:

- Office of State Fire Marshal
- Kansas Department of Health and Environment
- Kansas Department of Revenue
- Board of Accountancy
- Department for Children and Families
- Department for Aging and Disability Services

**Legislative Post Audit Committee**

**12:00 p.m. Nicole Blanchett, Committee Assistant–785-296-3793** **546-S**

Wednesday, January 31

Presentation on:

- Department of Commerce
- Legislative Post Audit Committee Security Awareness Training

**Robert G. (Bob) Bethell Joint Committee on Home and  
Community Based Services and KanCare Oversight**

**9:00 a.m. David Long, Committee Assistant–785-296-7488** **112-N**

Friday, February 2

Written-only testimony:

- KanCare from individuals, providers, and organizations
- Mental Health Intervention Team, program overview, funding and billing

Overview:

- Medicaid Program Expenditures

Presentation on:

- KanCare Ombudsman
- Office of Medicaid Inspector General
- Health and Environment updates

Update on:

- Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services updates
- Managed Care Organization

Responses:

State agencies on unresolved issues spreadsheet

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**Doctor of the Day**

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Wednesday, January 31

David Smith, MD, FAAFP, Overland Park

Thursday, February 1

Brian Wolfe, MD, Iola

Friday, February 2

No doctor scheduled

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Laurie Varner & Nancy Reddy, *Calendar Clerks*

Corey Carnahan, *Secretary of the Senate*

