MINUTES OF THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Lance Kinzer at 3:30 PM on Tuesday, January 17, 2012 in 346-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:
   Gene Suellentrop
   Annie Tietze
   Jim Ward

Committee staff present:
   Katherine McBride, Office of the Revisor of Statutes
   Jason Thompson, Office of the Revisor of Statutes
   Lauren Douglass, Kansas Legislative Research Department
   Robert Allison-Gallimore, Kansas Legislative Research Department
   Nancy Lister, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the Committee:
   Nancy J. Strouse, Kansas Judicial Council

Others in attendance:
   See attached list.

Chairman Kinzer proposed the Committee adopt the following requests for bill introductions without objection unless a specific request for a motion/vote is made.

Nancy Strouse presented the following requests for bills: (Attachment1)

1. A bill containing clean-up amendments relating to 2011 SB 24, which reorganized and renumbered all of the domestic relations statutes. Representative Brookens moved the request be accepted, seconded by Representative Pauls and the bill was accepted without objection.

2. A bill amending K.S.A. 60-208 and 60-226 to conform to recent changes made to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Representative Brookens moved the request be accepted, seconded by Representative Pauls and the bill was accepted without objection.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:46 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for January 18, 2012.

Unless specifically noted, the individual remarks recorded herein have not been transcribed verbatim. Individual remarks as reported herein have not been submitted to the individuals appearing before the committee for editing or corrections.