

# Journal of the House

## THIRTY-THIRD DAY

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HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
TOPEKA, KS, Wednesday, March 5, 2014, 11:00 a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment with Speaker Merrick in the chair.

The roll was called with 114 members present.

Reps. Cassidy and Johnson were excused on verified illness.

Rep. Sloan was excused on legislative business.

Reps. Goico, Kahrs, Kelley, Petty, Sawyer, Whipple and Wilson were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by guest chaplain, the Rev. John Menkveld, pastor, Oakland Church of the Nazarene, Topeka:

Father, God,  
I come before you today and ask  
for a spirit of cooperation in the eagerness  
to contribute to the needs of the people of Kansas.  
I ask that you bless our leaders  
with integrity, with care, with cooperative teamwork.  
Guide them through this session  
in unity and purpose as they do their part  
in using their talents and skills and passions  
to build a better environment,  
a better community for the state of Kansas.  
In their diversity of philosophy and thought and opinions,  
help them to strive for cooperation and unity,  
for it is through unity, rather than conflict,  
that the greatest successes will come about.  
Remind us of these things today.  
Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Houser.

### REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was referred to committee as indicated:

Pensions and Benefits: **HB 2743**.

**CHANGE OF REFERENCE**

Speaker Merrick announced the withdrawal of **HB 2227** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Elections.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2419, HB 2522, HB 2534, Sub HB 2541** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Local Government.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2435** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Health and Human Services.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2475** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Education.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2479** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2526** from Committee on Taxation and referral to Committee on Health and Human Services.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2527, Sub HB 2681** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Veterans, Military and Homeland Security.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2695** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2717** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Children and Seniors.

Also, the withdrawal of **Sub HB 2721** from Committee on Taxation and rereferral to Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

**MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

Announcing passage of **SB 10, SB 273, SB 274, SB 309, SB 310, SB 311, SB 312, Sub SB 343, SB 348, SB 352, SB 357, SB 359, SB 402, SB 403.**

Also, announcing passage of **HB 2488**, as amended.

Also, announcing adoption of **HCR 5014, HCR 5030.**

**INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

The following Senate bills were thereupon introduced and read by title:

**SB 10, SB 273, SB 274, SB 309, SB 310, SB 311, SB 312, Sub SB 343, SB 348, SB 352, SB 357, SB 359, SB 402, SB 403.**

**COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT CHANGE**

Speaker Merrick announced the appointment of Rep. Henderson to replace Rep. Whipple on Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development on Wednesday, March 5, 2014. Rep. Whipple will resume his position effective Thursday, March 6, 2014.

**BILLS STRICKEN FROM CALENDAR**

In accordance with House Rule 1507, the following bills have been stricken from the Calendar effective February 28, 2014: **HB 2046, HB 2095, HB 2426, HB 2458, HB 2477, HB 2507, HB 2524, HB 2565, HB 2572, HB 2592, HB 2634, HB 2696, HB 2701, HB 2703, HB 2706.**

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House recessed until 1:30 p.m.

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AFTERNOON SESSION

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

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

The following bill was introduced and read by title:

**HB 2744**, AN ACT concerning insurance; providing coverage for autism spectrum disorder; requiring licensure of persons providing applied behavior analysis; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 40-2,103 and 40-19c09 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Taxation.

**REPORT ON ENGROSSED BILLS**

**HB 2509, HB 2538, HB 2555, HB 2588, HB 2597, HB 2609, HB 2613, Sub HB 2633, HB 2648, HB 2673, HB 2693, HB 2715** reported correctly engrossed February 28, 2014.

**REPORT ON ENGROSSED RESOLUTIONS**

**HCR 5029** reported correctly engrossed February 28, 2014.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 6, 2014.

CHARLENE SWANSON, *Journal Clerk*.

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk*.

