Journal of the Senate

FIFTEENTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS Monday, January 31, 2022, 2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order by Vice President Rick Wilborn. The roll was called with 37 senators present. Senators Hawk, Kloos and Steffen were excused. Vice President Wilborn introduced Doug Henkle to deliver the invocation:

Father God, thank You for the weekend at home with friends and family. Thank You for the refreshment it brings to our hearts. Now we have returned to continue to conduct the business of the citizens of our beloved "Home on the Range". We have returned to this chamber, gathered uniquely in all of history, these particular Senators in this singular time and place.

Cause each member of this body to value these days together and the opportunity for relationships developed here, within the caucuses and across the aisle, in spite of differing perspectives regarding the matters at hand. Give these Senators an appreciation for the uniqueness of one another and for the different approaches to the legislation before them. In light of eternity, Father, their time here in this chamber is brief and, therefore, their choices, relationally as well as legislatively, matter.

Father, I thank You that You can be their standard. That You can be the mark toward which they strive. Often times we tend to allow others and our concern for their response to us to cause us to miss Your mark. I pray that Your standard would be the goal.

May Your will in each of us individually and collectively in the Kansas Senate, in these hours, be accomplished. In Jesus' Name, Amen

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice President Wilborn.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was introduced and read by title:

SB 420, AN ACT concerning civil actions; relating to limitations on actions; extending the time to file a claim for damages caused by childhood sexual abuse; reviving claims against any party for such damages that occurred on or after July 1, 1984; amending K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 60-523 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was referred to Committees as indicated: Judiciary: **SB 419**.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Under the authority of the President, the Vice President withdrew SB 417 from the Committee on Public Health and Welfare, and referred the bill to the Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

Enclosed herewith is Executive Directive No. 22-549 for your information. (January 26, 2022)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources recommends SB 346 be amended on page 2, in line 1, by striking "This product contains"; in line 2, by striking all after "milk"; in line 3, by striking all before the quotation mark; also in line 3, after the quotation mark by inserting "or "Unpasteurized"."; in line 7, by striking "and" and inserting "or";

On page 8, in line 19, by striking "\$.01" and inserting "\$.0075"; in line 22, by striking "or" and inserting a comma; also in line 22, after "products" by inserting "or other dairy products";

On page 11, in line 9, by striking "K.S.A. 65-784a" and inserting "section 1"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Judiciary** recommends **SB 300** be amended by substituting with a new bill to be designated as "Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 300," as follows:

"Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 300

By Committee on Judiciary

"AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to the Kansas racketeer influenced and corrupt organization act; adding a person who has engaged in identity theft or identity fraud to the definition of covered person; identity theft and identity fraud to the definition of racketeering activity; amending K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 21-6328 and repealing the existing section.";

And the substitute bill be passed.

On motion of Senator Alley, the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 1, 2022.

CHARLENE BAILEY, CINDY SHEPARD, Journal Clerks.

COREY CARNAHAN, Secretary of the Senate.