Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1607

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the United States government to establish a federal energy policy.

WHEREAS, The nation faces a growing shortage of domestic oil and the world may face petroleum shortages in the next fifty years; and

WHEREAS, Natural gas has risen dramatically in price because demand has increased faster than supplies are discovered; and

WHEREAS, Domestic consumers are faced with ever-increasing price spikes and lowered expectations of the market meeting the demand for energy; and

WHEREAS, The American association of petroleum geologists, in concert with other scientific professional learned societies, is convening in Washington, D.C., on April 23, 2001, to address the need for a national energy supply and to look for new sources of energy; and

WHEREAS, The United States does not have a public policy on energy: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas, the House of Representatives concurring therein: That the legislature of the state of Kansas encourages the development of a federal energy policy that considers all possible future sources of energy; and

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send enrolled copies of this resolution to the President of the United States; the Vice-President of the United States; Majority Leader and Minority Leader of the United States Senate; the Speaker, Majority Leader and Minority Leader of the United States House of Representatives; the Secretary of the United States Department of Energy; to each member of the Kansas Congressional Delegation; and to the American Association of Petroleum Geologists, P.O. Box 979, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74101-0979.

I hereby certify that the above Concurrent Resolution originated

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

Adopted by the House

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.