

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1606

By Committee on Utilities

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION requesting all state agencies to lower the temperature setting in all state buildings to 66 degrees.

WHEREAS, The price paid for natural gas has increased substantially; and

WHEREAS, The taxpayers of Kansas not only have to pay their own heating bills, but are also responsible for paying the heating bills for the state of Kansas; and

WHEREAS, One of the suggestions presented to the citizens of Kansas for lowering their heating bills, is to lower the temperature setting on their thermostats; and

WHEREAS, If that suggestion is good for the citizens of Kansas, it makes perfect sense for the stewards of the citizen's tax dollars to follow suit: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas, the House of Representatives concurring therein: That all state agencies are requested to lower the temperature setting in all state buildings to 66 degrees during the time period the cold weather rule of the state corporation commission is in effect; and

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send enrolled copies of this resolution to the chief administrative officer or governing board of each state agency having control or supervision of any state buildings or facilities.