SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1829

A RESOLUTION urging the State Corporation Commission, the Kansas Department of Revenue and State Geological Survey to develop a standardized form for the filings by oil and gas producers.

WHEREAS, The oil and gas industry has been and continues to be an important part of the Kansas economic structure; and

WHEREAS, Kansas oil and gas producers face an increasing requirement in the preparing and filing of oil and gas production forms; and

WHEREAS, The standardization of such reporting forms would simplify the procedure for the oil and gas producers and the state; and

WHEREAS, It is important to develop uniform and standardized forms which allow ease of completion by the oil and gas producers while providing the requesting agencies complete and timely information: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas: That the Senate urges the State Corporation Commission, the Kansas Department of Revenue and the State Geological Survey to work together to develop a standard form for the reports required to be filed by Kansas oil and gas producers; and

 $\it Be\ it\ further\ resolved:$ That Kansas oil and gas producers be allowed to file such reports electronically; and

Be it further resolved: That the State Corporation Commission, Kansas Department of Revenue and State Geological Survey report to the Senate Committee on Utilities at the beginning of the 2005 legislative session; and

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of the Senate provide enrolled copies of this resolution to the State Corporation Commission, the secretary of the Kansas Department of Revenue and the State Geological Survey.

Senate Resolution No. 1829 was sponsored by Committee on Utilities.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE, and was adopted by that body

 President of the Senate.
 Secretary of the Senate