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TENTH DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, TOPEKA, KS, Monday, January 24, 2005, 9:30 a.m.

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

The roll was called with 77 members present.

Rep. M. Miller was excused on verified illness.

Reps. Beamer, Brunk, Carlin, Craft, Crow, Davis, DeCastro, Decker, Edmonds, Faust-Goudeau, Freeborn, George, Goico, Grange, Hawk, Hill, M. Holmes, Horst, Huebert, Huy, D. Johnson, Kelley, Kelsey, Kiegerl, Kilpatrick, Krehbiel, Kuether, Loganbill, Loyd, McLeland, Judy Morrison, Newton, O'Neal, Olson, Peck, Peterson, Pottorff, Powell, Sawyer, Schwab, Shultz, Swenson, Watkins, Weber, Yoder and Yonally were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by Chaplain Chamberlain:

Father in heaven, hallowed be thy name. We praise you as the God of heaven and earth, the author of abundance and grace.

Guide us today in the ways that lead to the coming of your kingdom on earth as it is in heaven; and bless us with the things that we will need to live faithfully as your disciples.

Forgive us, Lord, when we ignore your will and wander away from the path you have placed before us. Open our hearts to forgive others whose wandering harms or offends us, for we know that they, like we, are in need of your grace.

Protect us from the temptations of the day. There will be opportunities to choose between what is right and what is expedient. Shine the bright light of your truth on all of our decisions.

At the end of the day, deliver us from all that is evil, for we seek to know the world and life as you have created them—full of your glory.

We ask these things of you, O God for yours is the kingdom, power, and glory now and evermore. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Siegfreid.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2140, An act concerning the procedure for redevelopment districts to finance investigation and remediation of flood-plain conditions; qualifications; amending K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 12-1770a and 12-1771e and repealing the existing sections, by Representative O'Malley.

HB 2141, An act concerning workers compensation; relating to burden of proof for admission of chemical test result into evidence; amending K.S.A. 44-501 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Commerce and Labor.

HB 2142, An act concerning workers compensation; relating to date of accident; employer's maximum liability for disability compensation; attorney fees; amending K.S.A. 44-510f and 44-536 and K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 44-508 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce and Labor.

 $HB\ 2143,$ An act amending the uniform consumer credit code; relating to finance charges; amending K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 16a-2-201, 16a-2-202 and 16a-2-401 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Financial Institutions.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to committees as indicated: Corrections and Juvenile Justice: **HB 2122**, **HB 2128**, **HB 2130**. Education: **HB 2134**, **HB 2135**.

Financial Institutions: HB 2125.

Governmental Organization and Elections: HB 2139.

Health and Human Services: HB 2137. Insurance: HB 2133, HB 2138. Judiciary: HB 2126, HB 2129. Taxation: HB 2131, HB 2132; SB 23.

Transportation: HB 2123, HB 2124, HB 2127, HB 2136.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Speaker Mays announced the withdrawal of HB 2020 from Committee on Appropriations and referral to Committee on Higher Education.

FINAL ACTION ON BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Speaker Mays announced that order of business, Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions, would be passed over today.

On motion of Rep. Aurand, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 25,

CHARLENE SWANSON, Journal Clerk.

JANET E. JONES, Chief Clerk.