

Journal of the Senate

NINTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS
Friday, January 25, 2008—8:00 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by President Stephen Morris.
The roll was called with thirty senators present.
Senators Barnett, Betts, Bruce, Brungardt, Emler, Gilstrap, Haley, Pyle, Wagle and
Wysong were excused.

Invocation by Chaplain Fred S. Hollomon:

Heavenly Father,

Two weeks have now expired,
Committees have been meeting,
Many hearings have been heard,
Hardly time for eating.

Presentations have been made
Bills were introduced.
Updates have been listened to,
Session preparing to produce.

Several briefings have been held,
And some overviews.
If people thought they've not been working,
I'm glad to break the news.

Important issues await action,
Health care and education.
Disaster aid and abortion,
Energy and Immigration.

Bless each Senator, O God.
May they join me as I pray
For the most productive session
We've seen for many a day!

I pray in the Name of Jesus Christ,

AMEN

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

SB 472. An act concerning the pooled money investment board; pertaining to investment in certain corporate bonds; amending K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 75-4209 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

SB 473. An act concerning school districts; relating to school finance; relating to certain pupils; amending K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 72-6407 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Assessment and Taxation: **SB 471**.

Commerce: **SB 466**.

Education: **SB 470**.

Financial Institutions & Insurance: **SB 463, SB 464, SB 465**.

Judiciary: **SB 467**.

Transportation: **SB 462**.

Utilities: **SB 468, SB 469**.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on **Federal and State Affairs** recommends **SB 410** be amended on page 4, in line 37, by striking "shall ap-"; by striking all in lines 38 through 41; in line 42, by striking all preceding "shall" and inserting "may appoint a superintendent and deputy superintendent at each institution. Superintendents and deputy superintendents"; in line 43, preceding "may" by inserting "or a deputy superintendent";

On page 5, in line 1, preceding "shall" by inserting "and deputy superintendent"; in line 3, by striking "The" and inserting "If a vacancy occurs in the position of superintendent or deputy superintendent, the"; in line 4, preceding "to" by inserting "or deputy superintendent"; in line 6, following the period, by inserting "Acting deputy superintendents shall have the same powers, duties and functions as deputy superintendents.

Nothing in this section shall be construed as prohibiting the appointment of a person to serve as the superintendent or deputy superintendent at more than one institution.";

Also on page 5, in line 8, by striking "(a)"; in line 11, by striking "as provided in subsection (b) and"; by striking all in lines 14 through 18; in line 22, by striking "statute book" and inserting "Kansas register"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Ways and Means** recommends **SB 417** be amended on page 4, in line 36, by striking all after "(a)"; by striking all in lines 37 through 41; in line 42, by striking "(b)"; also in line 42, by striking all after "the"; in line 43, by striking "fund" and inserting "state housing trust fund made for the purposes of sections 4 through 6, and amendments thereto,";

On page 5, by striking all in lines 3 through 13 and inserting:

"(b) On the effective date of this act, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer \$4,000,000 from the state general fund to the state housing trust fund established by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 74-8959, and amendments thereto. On July 1, 2008 and on July 1 of each year thereafter, or as soon thereafter as sufficient moneys are available, \$4,000,000 credited to the expanded lottery act revenues fund shall be transferred and credited to the state housing trust fund.";

Also on page 5, in line 15, by striking "2011" and inserting "2010"; in line 21, by striking "2011" and inserting "2010"; by striking all in lines 30 through 43;

By striking all on page 6;

On page 7, by striking all in lines 1 through 42;

And by renumbering the remaining sections accordingly;

Also on page 7, in line 43, by striking all after "12-5242";

On page 8, by striking "79-4804";

On page 1, in the title, in line 12, by striking ", 79-4803 and 79-4804"; and the bill be passed as amended.

On motion of Senator D. Schmidt the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Monday, January 28, 2008.

HELEN MORELAND, CHARLENE BAILEY, PAT MATZEK, *Journal Clerks*.

PAT SAVILLE, *Secretary of the Senate*.



Following session, the Senate heard a special Kansas Day presentation on Franklin Crane, who was a dentist by profession, a Kansas pioneer, an entrepreneur, a patriot and a free-

stater. He was a member of the Topeka Town Association which donated the 20 acres for the Kansas Capitol Square, and helped Cyrus K. Holliday work to have Topeka designated as the capital of the new state of Kansas. Crane was portrayed by Kansas Performance Artist Don Lambert. Mr. Lambert performed in the Senate 15 years ago as John Steuart Curry who painted the mural of John Brown on the second floor. He recently received the national arts promotion award, having been nominated for that honor by Governor Sebelius.