REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Assessment and Taxation recommends HB 2597 be amended by substituting with a new bill to be designated as "Senate Substitute for HOUSE BILL NO. 2597," as follows:

"Senate Substitute for HOUSE BILL NO. 2597

By Committee on Assessment and Taxation

"AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to tax levy rates; establishing a revenue neutral rate complaint process; authorizing the county clerk to limit the amount of ad valorem taxes to be levied in certain circumstances; establishing a deadline for budgets to be filed with the director of accounts and reports; requiring roll call vote and publication of information; relating to classification and valuation; land devoted to agricultural use; definition; agritourism activity and zoos; classifying such land that is subject to the federal grassland conservation reserve program as grassland; relating to exemptions; establishing a property tax exemption for antique utility trailers; relating to assessment; allowing for the proration of value when certain personal property is acquired or sold prior to September 1 of any tax year; amending K.S.A. 79-1476 and 79-2930 and K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 79-2988 and repealing the existing sections.";

And the substitute bill be passed.

_____Chairperson