# Journal of the Senate

# SEVENTH DAY

Senate Chamber, Topeka, Kansas Wednesday, January 22, 2014, 2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order by President Susan Wagle.

The roll was called with thirty-nine senators present.

Invocation by Father Don Davidson:

One of the more curious inventions of our time, oh Lord, is the cell phone. While it allows us to communicate from almost anywhere, it has changed the way we talk with each other, choosing to make abrupt calls rather than in-depth and personal conversations. Dear Lord, help us to see in the eyes of the other, your eyes looking back. Help us to invest in our relations the intentional listening necessary to build understanding. In your holy name we pray. Amen

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Susan Wagle.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

**SB 284**, AN ACT concerning 911 emergency services; relating to the 911 coordinating council, composition, contracting authority, expenses; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 12-5363, 12-5364, 12-5367, 12-5368, 12-5375 and 12-5377 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Utilities.

**SB 285**, AN ACT concerning payments for providing vision care services; pertaining to limitations imposed by insurance plans and discount plans, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

**SB 286**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas department of agriculture; relating to fees; extending sunset date on certain fees; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 2-2440, 2-2440b, 2-2443a, 2-2445a, 2-3304, 2-3306, 65-778, 65-781, 82a-708a, 82a-708b, 82a-708c, 82a-714 and 82a-727 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Agriculture.

**SB 287**, AN ACT concerning district magistrate judges; jurisdiction; appeals; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 20-302b, 22-3601, 22-3602, 38-2273, 38-2382, 59-2401a, 60-2102 and 61-3902 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 61-3903 and K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 22-3609a and 60-2103a, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 288**, AN ACT concerning courts; relating to restitution or collection of debts owed to the courts; amending K.S.A. 60-2419 and 60-4303 and K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 28-178, 61-3604 and 75-719 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

SB 289, AN ACT concerning courts; relating to time limits for decisions, by Committee on Judiciary.

- **SB 290**, AN ACT concerning criminal procedure; relating to arraignment; amending K.S.A. 22-3205 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.
- **SB 291**, AN ACT concerning legislators; dealing with per calendar day compensation; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 46-137a and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Ethics and Elections.
- **SB 292**, AN ACT concerning the emerging industry investment act; pertaining to the treatment of certain bioscience companies; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 74-99b33 and 74-99b34 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce.
- SB 293, AN ACT concerning certain municipalities; relating to solid waste and recycling restrictions, by Committee on Commerce.
- **SB 294**, AN ACT concerning rural housing incentive districts; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 72-6431 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Commerce.
- **SB 295**, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; community services contributions; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 79-32,195 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Commerce.
- **SB 296**, AN ACT concerning public wholesale water supply districts; authorizing certain districts to issue general obligation bonds; amending K.S.A. 19-3557 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Assessment and Taxation.
- **SB 297**, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; reaching out from within, inc.; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Assessment and Taxation.
- **SCR 1615,** A PROPOSITION to amend section 8 of article 2 of the constitution of the state of Kansas, relating to annual sessions of the legislature, by Committee on Ethics and Elections

# REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Financial Institutions and Insurance: SB 282, SB 283.

Natural Resources: SB 281.

#### CHANGE OF REFERENCE

The President withdrew the following bills from the Calendar under the heading of General Orders and referred them to the Committee on Interstate Cooperation: HB 2014, HB 2067, HB 2114, HB 2118, HB 2125, HB 2125, HB 2151, HB 2153, HB 2179, HB 2209, HB 2255, HB 2272, HB 2343; Sub HB 2166; S Sub HB 2037, S Sub HB 2077, S Sub HB 2141.

The President withdrew the following bills from the Calendar under the heading of General Orders and rereferred to the Committee on Ways and Means: HB 2142, HB 2352, HB 2403; S Sub HB 2145.

# MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

The House adopts the Conference Committee report on **HB 2303**.

### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Agriculture begs leave to submit the following report:

The following appointment was referred to and considered by the committee and

your committee recommends that the Senate approve and consent to such appointment: By the Governor:

Secretary, Kansas Department of Agriculture: K.S.A. 74-560

Jackie McClaskey, serves at the pleasure of the Governor

Committee on **Ethics and Elections** recommends **SB 99** be amended on page 1, in line 17, by striking "1954" and inserting "1986"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Also, recommends HB 2296 be passed.

Committee on **Public Health and Welfare** begs leave to submit the following report: The following appointment was referred to and considered by the committee and your committee recommends that the Senate approve and consent to the following appointments:

By the Governor:

Member, University of Kansas Hospital Authority: K.S.A. 76-3304

Jack Newman, Jr., to fill a term expiring on March 15, 2016

By the Governor:

Member, University of Kansas Hospital Authority: K.S.A. 76-3304 Deryl Wynn, to fill a term expiring on March 15, 2017

# STRICKEN FROM THE CALENDAR

On motion of Senator Bruce, the following bills were stricken from the Calendar: SB 78, SB 79, SB 87, SB 106, SB 189, SB 212, SB 232, SB 234.

On motion of Senator Bruce, the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Thursday, January 23, 2014.

ROSE MARIE GLATT, CHARLENE BAILEY, CINDY SHEPARD, *Journal Clerks*. COREY CARNAHAN, *Secretary of the Senate*.