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MINUTES OF THE SENATE ELECTIONS AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Tim Huelskamp at 1:30 P.M. on February 6, 2008 in Room 423-S of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Martha Dorsey, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Ken Wilke, Revisor of Statutes

Jerry Donaldson, Legislative Assistant

Zoie Kern, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Senator John Vratil,

Carol Williams Governmental Ethics

Others attending:

See attached list.

Senator Jim Barone introduced a bill that would allow anyone to be placed on a list for permanent advanced voting ballot. A written request is to be made to the County Officer by person and to withdraw by the same procedure.

Senator Barone moved to introduce the bill.

Senator Wilson seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

Senator Vratil gave testimony on SB 428 (Attachment 1).

Discussion.

Hearing close on SB428.

Ken Wilke gave summary on SB 505.

Carol Williams of the Governmental Ethics Commission testified as a proponent to SB 505 (Attachment 2).

Discussion.

Hearing closed on SB 505.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Zoie Kern, Committee Assistant