

# Journal of the House

FIFTEENTH DAY

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HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
TOPEKA, KS, Monday, January 30, 2023, 11:00 a.m.

The House met session pro forma pursuant to adjournment with Speaker pro tem Carpenter in the chair.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

**HB 2207**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the crime of corrupt political advertising; expanding the scope of the crime; amending K.S.A. 25-2407 and 25-4156 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**HB 2208**, AN ACT concerning the disposition of certain state real property; authorizing the state historical society to convey certain real property located in Johnson county to the Shawnee Tribe; imposing certain conditions; prescribing costs of conveyance, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**HB 2209**, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; relating to workers compensation; providing that national guard members receive benefits under the workers compensation act. , by Committee on Veterans and Military.

**HB 2210**, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; relating to national guard officers; eliminating the requirement of senate confirmation thereof; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 48-208 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Veterans and Military.

**HB 2211**, AN ACT concerning security; establishing the office of homeland security; prescribing the powers and duties thereof, by Committee on Veterans and Military.

**HB 2212**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas offender registration act; relating to juvenile offenders; eliminating the registration requirements for certain juvenile offenders; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 22-4902, 22-4903, 22-4904, 22-4906, 22-4907, 22-4908 and 22-4909 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2213**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas offender registration act; relating to registration requirements; creating a mechanism to waive fees; registration at a single location; creating a mechanism to seek relief from registration for violent offenders; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 22-4904, 22-4905, 22-4907 and 22-4908 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2214**, AN ACT concerning the department of corrections; relating to facilities; changing the name of the Larned correctional mental health facility to the Larned state correctional facility; removing references to facilities that no longer exist; amending K.S.A. 75-5202 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 75-52,167 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2215**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to crimes involving controlled substances; creating the crime of utilizing a drug-masking product; providing criminal penalties therefor; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 21-5701 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 21-5701b, by Committee on Judiciary.

**HB 2216**, AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to driving with a license that is canceled, suspended or revoked; removing the mandatory imprisonment term for a first offense in certain circumstances; amending K.S.A. 8-262 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**HB 2217**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to sentencing for nondrug crimes; creating a presumption of imprisonment for crimes committed against a person based on such person's actual or perceived race, color, religion, ethnicity, national origin or sexual orientation; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 21-6804 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**HB 2218**, AN ACT concerning education; establishing the sunflower education equity act; providing education savings accounts for students; establishing the sunflower education equity scholarship fund, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

**HB 2219**, AN ACT concerning income taxation; allowing an itemized deduction for certain wagering losses; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-32,120 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Taxation.

**HB 2220**, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to exemptions; establishing a five-year property tax exemption for city, county and township property used for business incubator purposes, by Committee on Taxation.

**HB 2221**, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to rates; expanding the eligible uses for the 0% state rate for sales of certain utilities and providing for the levying of such tax by cities and counties; authorizing cities and counties to exempt sales of such utilities from such city or county taxes; amending K.S.A. 12-189a and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-3603 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Taxation.

**HB 2222**, AN ACT concerning federal rules and regulations; relating to enforcement by state agencies; prohibiting enforcement without approval of the legislature of the state of Kansas, by Representatives Jacobs, Fairchild, Garber, Houser, Murphy and Rhiley.

**HB 2223**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the Kansas school equity and enhancement act; removing the sunset for the high-density at-risk student weighting; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 72-5151 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

**HB 2224**, AN ACT concerning education; increasing the number of school days and hours that must be provided by school districts each school year; amending K.S.A. 72-3115 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

**HB 2225**, AN ACT concerning utilities; relating to electric utilities; including cost recovery of transmission-related costs for transmission facilities constructed as a result of a directive from the regional transmission organization; excluding cost recovery for transmission facilities constructed as a result of internal or local planning; amending K.S.A. 66-1237 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications.

**HB 2226**, AN ACT concerning the state corporation commission; relating to the Kansas underground utility damage prevention act; extending the time period for notice for excavations; permitting virtual whitelining of excavation sites; amending K.S.A. 66-1804 and 66-1810 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 66-1802, 66-1805 and 66-1806 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications.

**HB 2227**, AN ACT concerning energy; relating to electric public utilities; authorizing certain sales of electricity pursuant to power purchase agreements; exempting such sales from the retail electric suppliers act and certain renewable energy suppliers from public utility regulation; requiring utilities to enter into parallel generation contracts with certain customers of the utility; amending K.S.A. 66-1,170, 66-1,184 and 66-1264 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 66-104 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications.

**HB 2228**, AN ACT concerning electric public utilities; relating to net metering; requiring electric cooperative public utilities and municipal public utilities to make net-metering available under the net-metering and easy connection act; increasing the system-wide capacity limit for net metered facilities; removing the load-size limitation of certain net-metered systems; amending K.S.A. 66-1264, 66-1265, 66-1266 and 66-1267 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications.

#### REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was referred to committees as indicated:

Elections: **HB 2206**.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

From: Vicki Schmidt, Commissioner of Insurance, Kansas Insurance Department; Kansas Workers Compensation Fund; pursuant to K.S.A. 44-566a(h); FY 2022 Year End Report.

The complete report is kept on file and open for inspection in the office of the Chief Clerk.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on **Corrections and Juvenile Justice** recommends **HB 2033** be passed.

#### COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT CHANGES

Speaker pro tem Carpenter announced the appointment of Rep. Houglund to replace Rep. Winn on Committee on K-12 Budget for January 30, 2023.

On motion of Rep. Croft, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 31, 2023.

JENNY HAUGH, JULIA WERNER, *Journal Clerks.*

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk.*

