

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Kathe Decker at 9:00 A.M. on February 17, 2005 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Kathie Sparks, Kansas Legislative Research  
Theresa Kiernan, Revisor of Statutes Office  
Art Griggs, Revisor of Statutes Office  
Ann Deitcher, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Mark Tallman, KASB  
Val DeFever, Schools for Quality Education

**HB 2134 - Kansas State High School Activities Assoc.**

The Chair told the Committee that KSHAA is voting in April on this particular thing within their own group, so it was decided to wait to see what happens then. If nothing gets changed or if it's still an issue after that, it can be re-opened next year.

**HB 2135 - Establishing the Kansas school board development program.**

Representative Horst moved and Representative Storm seconded the motion that the Committee accept **HB 2135** for discussion. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Representative Storm moved to amend **HB 2135** by deleting "each year" in section 3 (a), line 22 of page one and inserting "the first year of service as a school board member and five credit hours each year thereafter. A credit hour is sixty minutes of board development time", (Attachment 1). The motion was seconded by Representative Horst and passed on a voice vote.

It was moved by Representative Storm and seconded by Representative Horst that **HB 2135** be passed as amended. The motion failed on a show of hands.

**HB 2247 - Concerning school records of certain pupils.**

Representative Decker made the motion which was seconded by Representative Yonally that **HB 2247** be worked by the Committee.

A motion was made by Representative Flaharty and seconded by Representative Crow to amend **HB 2247** to say that SRS will have 2 years to turn over records that consist of two years of data. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Theresa Kiernan pointed out the deletion of "subsection (b)" on line 34 in sub-section (c) in **HB 2247**.

A motion was made by Representative DeCastro to accept this amendment to **HB 2247**. Representative seconded the motion and it carried on a voice vote.

Representative Horst moved to publish **HB 2247** in the state register. The motion was seconded by Representative Yonally and passed on a voice vote.

Representative Crow made the motion to amend **HB 2247** to change (b) to (c) on page 1, line 38. The motion was seconded by Representative Horst and passed on a voice vote.

Representative Yonally moved that **HB 2247** be passed favorably as amended. Representative Storm seconded the motion and it passed on a voice vote.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE House Education Committee at 9:00 A.M. on February 17, 2005 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

**HB 2333 - Relating to out-of-state students.**

Representative DeCastro spoke to the Committee regarding **HB 2333**. (Attachment 2).

Speaking in opposition of **HB 2333** was Mark Tallman. (Attachment 3).

Val DeFever testified in opposition of **HB 2333**. (Attachment 4).

Written testimony was offered from Robert Loftin, board of education member, Weskin, Kansas. (Attach.5)

The hearing was then closed on **HB 2333**.

**HB 2252 - concerning school districts; relating to the provision of special education and related services.**

A motion was made by Representative Otto and seconded by Representative Horst that **HB 2252** be accepted as a Committee bill. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Representative Storm made the motion to pass **HB 2252** favorably out of Committee. The motion was seconded by Representative Colloton and passed on a voice vote.

**HB 2212 - relating to schools; concerning procedures relating to teacher contracts.**

Representative Miller moved that **HB 2212** be accepted to work as a Committee bill. The motion was seconded by Representative DeCastro and passed on a voice vote.

It was moved by Representative Miller and seconded by Representative Huebert that discussion begin by the Committee on **HB 2212**. The motion passed on a voice vote.

A balloon bill to **HB 2212** was pointed out to the Committee. (Attachment 6).

A motion was made by Representative Miller and seconded by representative Holland to amend **HB 2212** and to also re-amend with the language offered on page 4. The motion to amend passed on a voice vote.

Representative Crow made the motion to amendments to **HB 2212** on page 2 line, 28 and page 4, line 37 to restore "five years" and delete "year" in both. The motion to amend was seconded by Representative Flaharty and passed on a voice vote.

A motion was made by Representative Crow to amend page 1 of **HB 2212** by adding that "all evidence the board bases their decision on be made available to the teacher". The motion was seconded by Representative Storm but failed on a voice vote.

Representative Holland made a motion and seconded by Representative Storm that would reinstate the number "45" and delete the number "15" on both page 2, line 31 and page 4, line 40. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Representative DeCastro called the question.

The motion to pass out of Committee failed on a voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:50. The next meeting of the Select Committee is Friday, February 18, 2005.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE House Education Committee at 9:00 A.M. on February 17, 2005 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.