

Approved: May 2, 2012  
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**MINUTES OF THE HOUSE ENERGY AND UTILITIES COMMITTEE**

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Carl Holmes at 9:00 AM on Wednesday, April 25, 2012 in 785-DSOB.

All members were present except:

Representative Rob Bruchman  
Representative Stan Frownfelter  
Representative Mike Slattery

Committee staff present:

Renae Hansen, Committee Assistant  
Cindy Lash, Kansas Legislative Research  
Brian Turnbull, Kansas Legislative Research  
Matt Sterling, Kansas Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Moti Reber, Kansas Interfaith Power and Light  
Ty Warner, Flint Hills Regional Center

Others in attendance:

Sixteen including the attached list.

Tom Sloan, (Attachment 1), offered a hand out to the committee with illustrations demonstrating cement channeling in the hydraulic fracturing process.

Joe Seiwert presented a special plaque to Chairman Holmes that included a mounted pen from every utility in the state of Kansas, and is framed in barn wood from Representative Seiwert's farm.

Continued Hearing and Action on:

**HR 6018- Opposing United Nations Agenda 21**

Opponents:

Moti Reber, Interfaith Power and Light, (Attachment 2), presented testimony in opposition to **HR 6018**.

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Ty Warner, Flint Hills Regional Center, (Attachment 3), presented testimony in opposition to **HR6018**.

Questions were asked and comments made by Representatives: Forrest Knox, Greg Smith, Annie Kuether, Joe Seiwert, and Gail Finney.

Representative Annie Kuether noted that if this resolution leaves this committee she does not want her name associated with the legislation presented in **HR 6018**.

The hearing and discussion on **HR 6018** was closed.

Action on:

**HR 6018- Opposing United Nations Agenda 21**

Representative Greg Smith shed some light on Agenda 21 quoting from section 7 about the rights of individuals to own property. He noted that he has read the entire Agenda 21 and is fairly informed about the U.N. resolution.

*Representative Annie Kuether moved to table **HR 6018**, seconded by Representative Gail Finney.*

There were prepared amendments to **HR 6018** and committee rules allow those amendments to be heard before a motion to table is to be considered.

*Representative Forrest Knox moved to amend **HR 6018** (Attachment 4), seconded by Representative Reynaldo Mesa.*

Questions were asked and comments made by Representatives: Tom Sloan and Forrest Knox.

*Motion to amend passes 8-7.*

Action on **HR 6018** was suspended.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 27, 2012.

The meeting was adjourned at 9: 55 a.m.

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