REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MR. SPEAKER:

The **Transportation and Public Safety Budget Committee** recommends **HB 2173** be amended on page 1, in line 5, after "1." by inserting " (a)"; in line 6, by striking "fix," and inserting "negotiate and enter into contracts, and"; in line 10, by striking "all or part of"; in line 12, after "patrol." by inserting "The Kansas highway patrol shall determine the amount of traffic patrol services and security necessary at events held by private entities and shall set fees accordingly."; by striking all in lines 14 through 17; and inserting " (b) The Kansas highway patrol shall only fix, charge and collect fees pursuant to this section when, in the opinion of the superintendent, the expenses incurred to the highway patrol for providing such security and traffic patrol services will exceed \$20,000.

(c) There is hereby created the highway patrol private security fund. All moneys deposited into the highway patrol private security fund shall be used only for the purpose of providing for security to private entities pursuant to this section. All expenditures from the highway patrol private security fund shall be made in accordance with appropriation acts upon warrants of the director of accounts and reports issued pursuant to vouchers approved by the superintendent or the designee of the superintendent. All moneys received by the superintendent for such services shall be deposited in the state treasury in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto, and shall be credited to the highway patrol private security fund.", and the bill be passed as amended.