Journal of the House

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

Hall of the House of Representatives, Topeka, KS, Friday, March 11, 2016, 11:00 a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment with Speaker Merrick in the chair.

The roll was called with 118 members present.

Reps. Claeys, Edmonds, Ewy, Henry, Highland and Peck were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Almighty God,

Rep. Suellentrop was absent.

Prayer by Chaplain Brubaker:

Thank You for this day and the blessings it holds for us.

We long for Your wisdom and guidance.

Your Word says that You know each one of these members by name and You have called them by name.

You know them personally, you know them as a collective body.

You know how they interact and relate with one another.

You know the deepest thoughts and concerns they have.

Lord, help them to come to know You,

even as they are known by You.

As they know You, they will know

Your truth, Your will, Your wisdom.

Give them Your eyes to see,
Your ears to hear,
and Your heart to seek the best in one another
and the best for all.
This I pray in Christ's Name, Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Jennings.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2731, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the financing and instruction thereof; making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, for the department of education; relating to the classroom learning assuring student success act; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463, 72-6465, 72-6466, 72-6472, 72-

6474, 72-6481, 72-8801 and 74-4939a and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6476, by Committee on Appropriations.

HB 2732, AN ACT concerning certified nurse-midwives; relating to scope of practice; licensure, by Committee on Appropriations.

HB 2733, AN ACT concerning the state health care benefits program; relating to the powers of the Kansas state employees health care commission; requiring legislative approval before changing coverage options; establishing qualified participants; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 75-6501 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Appropriations.

CORRECTION OF REFERENCE

Speaker Merrick announced **HB 2730** appearing on the Calendar under Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions as being referred to Committee on Education Budget, should be corrected to be referred to Committee on Insurance and Financial Institutions.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to committees as indicated:

Appropriations: **HB 2728**. Education Budget: **HB 2729**

Insurance and Financial Institutions: HB 2730

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Announcing passage of SB 342, SB 379, SB 388, SB 443, SB 459, SB 476; Substitute for SB 428.

Announcing passage of HB 2438.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following Senate bills were thereupon introduced and read by title:

SB 342, SB 379, SB 388, Sub SB 428, SB 443, SB 459, SB 476

CONSENT CALENDAR

Objection was made to **SB 370** appearing on the Consent Calendar; the bill was placed on the Calendar under the heading General Orders.

FINAL ACTION ON BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HB 2573, AN ACT concerning legislative meetings; relating to live audio streaming; concerning the director of legislative administrative services; information network of Kansas; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 74-9302 and repealing the existing section, was considered on final action.

On roll call, the vote was: Yeas 118; Nays 0; Present but not voting: 0; Absent or not voting: 7.

Yeas: Alcala, Alford, Anthimides, Ballard, Barker, Barton, Becker, Billinger, Boldra,

Bollier, Bradford, Bruchman, Burroughs, Campbell, Carlin, Carmichael, B. Carpenter, W. Carpenter, Clark, Clayton, Concannon, Corbet, Curtis, E. Davis, DeGraaf, Dierks, Doll, Dove, Esau, Estes, Finch, Finney, Francis, Frownfelter, Gallagher, Garber, Goico, Gonzalez, Grosserode, Hawkins, Hedke, Helgerson, Hemsley, Henderson, Hibbard, Highberger, Hildabrand, Hill, Hineman, Hoffman, Houser, Houston, Huebert, Hutchins, Hutton, Jennings, Johnson, D. Jones, K. Jones, Kahrs, Kelley, Kelly, Kiegerl, Kleeb, Kuether, Lewis, Lunn, Lusk, Lusker, Macheers, Mason, Mast, McPherson, Merrick, Moxley, O'Brien, Osterman, Ousley, F. Patton, Pauls, Phillips, R. Powell, Proehl, Rahjes, Read, Rhoades, Rooker, Rubin, Ruiz, Ryckman, Ryckman Sr., Sawyer, Scapa, Schroeder, Schwab, Schwartz, Scott, Seiwert, Sloan, C. Smith, Sutton, S. Swanson, Thimesch, Thompson, Tietze, Todd, Trimmer, Vickrey, Victors, Ward, Waymaster, Weber, C., Whipple, Whitmer, K. Williams, Wilson, Winn, Wolfe Moore.

Nays: None.

Present but not voting: None.

Absent or not voting: Claeys, Edmonds, Ewy, Henry, Highland, Peck, Suellentrop. The bill passed, as amended.

EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE

Mr. Speaker: It is with great joy that we vote YES for HB 2573. Today is the culmination of three years of hard work to bring the live-streaming of committee proceedings to the House Floor. We would like to thank Senator Kay Wolf, who championed this issue in the Senate, and the entire Senate Body for supporting this unanimously – twice. We are also in debt to the numerous advocates for this legislation, and the staff for their hours of work. Today, the bipartisan coalition who sponsored the Transparency Act celebrates what we built together, for the People of Kansas. – Stephanie Clayton, Shannon Francis, Barbara Bollier, Nancy Lusk, John Doll, Larry HIBBARD, MELISSA ROOKER, LONNIE CLARK, JOHN WILSON, BRANDON WHIPPLE, PAM CURTIS, DIANA DIERKS, BRETT HILDABRAND, KATHY WOLFE MOORE, ANNIE KUETHER, ANNIE TIETZE, PONKA-WE VICTORS, SUSAN CONCANNON, STEVEN R. BECKER, TOM SLOAN, FRED PATTON, DON HILL, DON HINEMAN, GAIL FINNEY, JOHN R. WHITMER, BLAKE CARPENTER, RON RYCKMAN, DANIEL R. HAWKINS, LES MASON, WILLIE DOVE, JOHN J. RUBIN, KEVIN JONES, BILL SUTTON, TONY BARTON, KEITH ESAU, MIKE HOUSER, CONNIE O'BRIEN, CHUCK WEBER, MARTY READ, MARK KAHRS, STEVEN ANTHIMIDES, DICK JONES, KEN CORBET, RANDY POWELL, JOE SEIWERT, KYLE D. HOFFMAN, DENNIS HEDKE, MARVIN KLEEB, JERRY LUNN, BECKY HUTCHINS, CHARLES Macheers

MR. Speaker: I vote yes on **HB 2573**. This legislation is a good first step towards making the legislative process more transparent. Public faith in the process requires that our business be conducted in the light of day with the ability of the public to view and be informed of our work at each stage of the process. Transparency is more than audio streaming of committee and floor sessions. Transparency includes using a process that is open at each stage of the process. – J. Russell Jennings, Tom Moxley

H Sub for SB 55, AN ACT concerning health care facilities; relating to correction orders; civil penalties; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 39-945 and 39-946 and repealing the existing sections, was considered on final action.

On roll call, the vote was: Yeas 118; Nays 0; Present but not voting: 0; Absent or not

voting: 7.

Yeas: Alcala, Alford, Anthimides, Ballard, Barker, Barton, Becker, Billinger, Boldra, Bollier, Bradford, Bruchman, Burroughs, Campbell, Carlin, Carmichael, B. Carpenter, W. Carpenter, Clark, Clayton, Concannon, Corbet, Curtis, E. Davis, DeGraaf, Dierks, Doll, Dove, Esau, Estes, Finch, Finney, Francis, Frownfelter, Gallagher, Garber, Goico, Gonzalez, Grosserode, Hawkins, Hedke, Helgerson, Hemsley, Henderson, Hibbard, Highberger, Hildabrand, Hill, Hineman, Hoffman, Houser, Houston, Huebert, Hutchins, Hutton, Jennings, Johnson, D. Jones, K. Jones, Kahrs, Kelley, Kelly, Kiegerl, Kleeb, Kuether, Lewis, Lunn, Lusk, Lusker, Macheers, Mason, Mast, McPherson, Merrick, Moxley, O'Brien, Osterman, Ousley, F. Patton, Pauls, Phillips, R. Powell, Proehl, Rahjes, Read, Rhoades, Rooker, Rubin, Ruiz, Ryckman, Ryckman Sr., Sawyer, Scapa, Schroeder, Schwab, Schwartz, Scott, Seiwert, Sloan, C. Smith, Sutton, S. Swanson, Thimesch, Thompson, Tietze, Todd, Trimmer, Vickrey, Victors, Ward, Waymaster, Weber, C., Whipple, Whitmer, K. Williams, Wilson, Winn, Wolfe Moore.

Nays: None.

Present but not voting: None.

Absent or not voting: Claeys, Edmonds, Ewy, Henry, Highland, Peck, Suellentrop. The substitute bill passed.

SB 369, AN ACT concerning the Kansas mortgage business act; relating to the state bank commissioner; amending K.S.A. 9-2206 and K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 9-2201, 9-2202, 9-2203, 9-2205, 9-2208, 9-2209, 9-2211, 9-2212, 9-2216 and 9-2216a and repealing the existing sections, was considered on final action.

On roll call, the vote was: Yeas 118; Nays 0; Present but not voting: 0; Absent or not voting: 7.

Yeas: Alcala, Alford, Anthimides, Ballard, Barker, Barton, Becker, Billinger, Boldra, Bollier, Bradford, Bruchman, Burroughs, Campbell, Carlin, Carmichael, B. Carpenter, W. Carpenter, Clark, Clayton, Concannon, Corbet, Curtis, E. Davis, DeGraaf, Dierks, Doll, Dove, Esau, Estes, Finch, Finney, Francis, Frownfelter, Gallagher, Garber, Goico, Gonzalez, Grosserode, Hawkins, Hedke, Helgerson, Hemsley, Henderson, Hibbard, Highberger, Hildabrand, Hill, Hineman, Hoffman, Houser, Houston, Huebert, Hutchins, Hutton, Jennings, Johnson, D. Jones, K. Jones, Kahrs, Kelley, Kelly, Kiegerl, Kleeb, Kuether, Lewis, Lunn, Lusk, Lusker, Macheers, Mason, Mast, McPherson, Merrick, Moxley, O'Brien, Osterman, Ousley, F. Patton, Pauls, Phillips, R. Powell, Proehl, Rahjes, Read, Rhoades, Rooker, Rubin, Ruiz, Ryckman, Ryckman Sr., Sawyer, Scapa, Schroeder, Schwab, Schwartz, Scott, Seiwert, Sloan, C. Smith, Sutton, S. Swanson, Thimesch, Thompson, Tietze, Todd, Trimmer, Vickrey, Victors, Ward, Waymaster, Weber, C., Whipple, Whitmer, K. Williams, Wilson, Winn, Wolfe Moore.

Nays: None.

Present but not voting: None.

Absent or not voting: Claeys, Edmonds, Ewy, Henry, Highland, Peck, Suellentrop. The bill passed.

SB 390, AN ACT concerning the state banking code; relating to the state bank commissioner; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 9-519, 9-534, 9-701, 9-801, 9-802, 9-803, 9-804, 9-808, 9-809, 9-811, 9-812, 9-814, 9-815, 9-816, 9-901a, 9-902, 9-903, 9-904, 9-906, 9-907, 9-1101, 9-1102, 9-1104, 9-1111, 9-1112, 9-1114, 9-1122, 9-1124, 9-1127c, 9-1130, 9-1137, 9-1213, 9-1304, 9-1401, 9-1402, 9-1405, 9-1408, 9-1504, 9-1506, 9-

1601, 9-1607, 9-1609, 9-1611, 9-1704, 9-1712, 9-1715, 9-1720, 9-1721, 9-1722, 9-1724, 9-1807, 9-1902, 9-1905, 9-1906, 9-1907, 9-1908, 9-1909, 9-1910, 9-1915, 9-2007, 9-2011, 9-2104, 9-2107 and 9-2108 and repealing the existing sections, was considered on final action.

On roll call, the vote was: Yeas 118; Nays 0; Present but not voting: 0; Absent or not voting: 7.

Yeas: Alcala, Alford, Anthimides, Ballard, Barker, Barton, Becker, Billinger, Boldra, Bollier, Bradford, Bruchman, Burroughs, Campbell, Carlin, Carmichael, B. Carpenter, W. Carpenter, Clark, Clayton, Concannon, Corbet, Curtis, E. Davis, DeGraaf, Dierks, Doll, Dove, Esau, Estes, Finch, Finney, Francis, Frownfelter, Gallagher, Garber, Goico, Gonzalez, Grosserode, Hawkins, Hedke, Helgerson, Hemsley, Henderson, Hibbard, Highberger, Hildabrand, Hill, Hineman, Hoffman, Houser, Houston, Huebert, Hutchins, Hutton, Jennings, Johnson, D. Jones, K. Jones, Kahrs, Kelley, Kelly, Kiegerl, Kleeb, Kuether, Lewis, Lunn, Lusk, Lusker, Macheers, Mason, Mast, McPherson, Merrick, Moxley, O'Brien, Osterman, Ousley, F. Patton, Pauls, Phillips, R. Powell, Proehl, Rahjes, Read, Rhoades, Rooker, Rubin, Ruiz, Ryckman, Ryckman Sr., Sawyer, Scapa, Schroeder, Schwab, Schwartz, Scott, Seiwert, Sloan, C. Smith, Sutton, S. Swanson, Thimesch, Thompson, Tietze, Todd, Trimmer, Vickrey, Victors, Ward, Waymaster, Weber, C., Whipple, Whitmer, K. Williams, Wilson, Winn, Wolfe Moore.

Nays: None.

Present but not voting: None.

Absent or not voting: Claeys, Edmonds, Ewy, Henry, Highland, Peck, Suellentrop. The bill passed, as amended.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole, with Rep. Kelly in the chair.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

On motion of Rep. Kelly, Committee of the Whole report, as follows, was adopted:

Recommended that committee report to **SB 325** be adopted; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee reports to **HB 2607** be adopted; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee report to **HB 2662** be adopted; on motion of Rep. Alcala, **HB 2662** be amended, as amended by House Committee, on page 3, following line 2, by inserting:

"Sec. 5. The Kansas highway patrol is hereby authorized and directed to pay the following amount from the Kansas highway patrol operations fund:

Barbara L. Reese

1201 NE Lime St.

And by renumbering sections accordingly

Also, on motion of Rep. Helgerson to amend **HB 2662**, Rep. Todd requested a ruling on the amendment being germane to the bill. The Rules Vice Chair ruled the amendment not germane; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee report to **HB 2617** be adopted; on motion of Rep. Carmichael to amend **HB 2617**, Rep. Hutton requested a ruling on the amendment being germane to the bill. The Rules Chair ruled the amendment was germane.

Roll call was demanded on the motion of Rep. Carmichael to amend **HB 2617**, as amended by House Committee, on page 1, following line 6, by inserting:

- "Section 1. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 44-510d is hereby amended to read as follows: 44-510d. (a) Where disability, partial in character but permanent in quality, results from the injury, the injured employee shall be entitled to the compensation provided in K.S.A. 44-510h and 44-510i, and amendments thereto. The injured employee may be entitled to payment of temporary total disability as defined in K.S.A. 44-510c, and amendments thereto, or temporary partial disability as defined in subsection (a)(1) of K.S.A. 44-510e(a)(1), and amendments thereto, provided that the injured employee shall not be entitled to any other or further compensation for or during the first week following the injury unless such disability exists for three consecutive weeks, in which event compensation shall be paid for the first week. Thereafter compensation shall be paid for temporary total or temporary partial disability as provided in the following schedule, $66^2/_3\%$ of the average weekly wages to be computed as provided in K.S.A. 44-511, and amendments thereto, except that in no case shall the weekly compensation be more than the maximum as provided for in K.S.A. 44-510c, and amendments thereto.
- (b) If there is an award of permanent disability as a result of the injury there shall be a presumption that disability existed immediately after the injury and compensation is to be paid for not to exceed the number of weeks allowed in the following schedule:
 - (1) For loss of a thumb, 60 weeks.
- (2) For the loss of a first finger, commonly called the index finger, 37 weeks.
 - (3) For the loss of a second finger, 30 weeks.
 - (4) For the loss of a third finger, 20 weeks.
- (5) For the loss of a fourth finger, commonly called the little finger, 15 weeks
- (6) Loss of the first phalange of the thumb or of any finger shall be considered to be equal to the loss of $^{1}/_{2}$ of such thumb or finger, and the compensation shall be $^{1}/_{2}$ of the amount specified above. The loss of the first phalange and any part of the second phalange of any finger, which includes the loss of any part of the bone of such second phalange, shall be considered to be equal to the loss of $^{2}/_{3}$ of such finger and the compensation shall be $^{2}/_{3}$ of the amount specified above. The loss of the first phalange and any part of the second phalange of a thumb which includes the loss of any part of the bone of such second phalange, shall be considered to be equal to the loss of the entire thumb. The loss of the first and second phalanges and any part of the third proximal phalange of any finger, shall be considered as the loss of the entire finger. Amputation through the joint shall be considered a loss to the next higher schedule.
 - (7) For the loss of a great toe, 30 weeks.

weeks.

- (8) For the loss of any toe other than the great toe, 10 weeks.
- (9) The loss of the first phalange of any toe shall be considered to be equal to the loss of $^{1}/_{2}$ of such toe and the compensation shall be $^{1}/_{2}$ of the amount above specified.
- (10) The loss of more than one phalange of a toe shall be considered to be equal to the loss of the entire toe.
 - (11) For the loss of a hand, 150 weeks.
 - (12) For the loss of a forearm, 200 weeks.
- (13) For the loss of an arm, excluding the shoulder joint, shoulder girdle, shoulder musculature or any other shoulder structures, 210 weeks, and for the loss of an arm, including the shoulder joint, shoulder girdle, shoulder musculature or any other shoulder structures, 225 weeks.
 - (14) For the loss of a foot, 125 weeks.
 - (15) For the loss of a lower leg, 190 weeks.
 - (16) For the loss of a leg, 200 weeks.
 - (17) For the loss of an eye, or the complete loss of the sight thereof, 120
- (18) Amputation or severance below the wrist shall be considered as the loss of a hand. Amputation at the wrist and below the elbow shall be considered as the loss of the forearm. Amputation at or above the elbow shall be considered loss of the arm. Amputation below the ankle shall be considered loss of the foot. Amputation at the ankle and below the knee shall be considered as loss of the lower leg. Amputation at or above the knee shall be considered as loss of the leg.
 - (19) For the complete loss of hearing of both ears, 110 weeks.
 - (20) For the complete loss of hearing of one ear, 30 weeks.
- (21) Permanent loss of the use of a finger, thumb, hand, shoulder, arm, forearm, toe, foot, leg or lower leg or the permanent loss of the sight of an eye or the hearing of an ear, shall be equivalent to the loss thereof. For the permanent partial loss of the use of a finger, thumb, hand, shoulder, arm, toe, foot or leg, or the sight of an eye or the hearing of an ear, compensation shall be paid as provided for in K.S.A. 44-510c, and amendments thereto, per week during that proportion of the number of weeks in the foregoing schedule provided for the loss of such finger, thumb, hand, shoulder, arm, toe, foot or leg or the sight of an eye or the hearing of an ear, which partial loss thereof bears to the total loss of a finger, thumb, hand, shoulder, arm, toe, foot or leg, or the sight of an eye or the hearing of an ear; but in no event shall the compensation payable hereunder for such partial loss exceed the compensation payable under the schedule for the total loss of such finger, thumb, hand, arm, toe, foot or leg, or the sight of an eye or the hearing of an ear, exclusive of the healing period. As used in this paragraph (21), "shoulder" means the shoulder joint, shoulder girdle, shoulder musculature or any other shoulder structures.
- (22) For traumatic hernia, compensation shall be limited to the compensation under K.S.A. 44-510h and 44-510i, and amendments thereto, compensation for temporary total disability during such period of time as such employee is actually unable to work on account of such hernia, and, in the event such hernia is inoperable, weekly compensation during 12 weeks, except that, in the event that such hernia is operable, the unreasonable refusal of the employee to submit to an operation for surgical repair of such hernia shall deprive such employee of any benefits

under the workers compensation act.

- (23) Loss of or loss of use of a scheduled member shall be based upon permanent impairment of function to the scheduled member as determined using the fourth edition of the American medical association guides to the evaluation of permanent impairment, if the impairment is contained therein, until January 1, 2015, but for injuries occurring on and after January 1, 2015, shall be determined by using the sixth edition of the American medical association guides to the evaluation of permanent impairment, if the impairment is contained therein.
- (24) Where an injury results in the loss of or loss of use of more than one scheduled member within a single extremity, the functional impairment attributable to each scheduled member shall be combined pursuant to the fourth edition of the American medical association guides for evaluation of permanent impairment—until-January 1, 2015, but for injuries occurring on and after January 1, 2015, shall becombined pursuant to the sixth edition of the American medical association guides to the evaluation of permanent impairment, and compensation awarded shall be calculated to the highest scheduled member actually impaired.
- (c) Whenever the employee is entitled to compensation for a specific injury under the foregoing schedule, the same shall be exclusive of all other compensation except the benefits provided in K.S.A. 44-510h and 44-510i, and amendments thereto, and no additional compensation shall be allowable or payable for any temporary or permanent, partial or total disability, except that the director, in proper cases, may allow additional compensation during the actual healing period, following amputation. The healing period shall not be more than 10% of the total period allowed for the scheduled injury in question nor in any event for longer than 15 weeks. The return of the employee to the employee's usual occupation shall terminate the healing period.
- (d) The amount of compensation for permanent partial disability under this section shall be determined by multiplying the payment rate by the weeks payable. As used in this section:
- (1) Payment rate shall be the lesser of: (A) The amount determined by multiplying the average weekly wage of the worker prior to such injury by $66^2/_3\%$; or (B) the maximum provided in K.S.A. 44-510c, and amendments thereto;
- (2) weeks payable shall be determined as follows: (A) Determine the weeks of benefits provided for the injury on schedule; (B) determine the weeks of temporary compensation paid by adding the amounts of temporary total and temporary partial disability compensation paid and dividing the sum by the payment rate above; (C) subtract the weeks of temporary compensation calculated in subsection (d)(2)(B) from the weeks of benefits provided for the injury as determined in subsection (d)(2)(A); and (D) multiply the weeks as determined in subsection (d)(2)(C) by the percentage of permanent partial impairment of function as determined under subsection (b)(23).

The resulting award shall be paid for the number of weeks at the payment rate until fully paid or modified. Under no circumstances shall the period of permanent partial disability run concurrently with the period of temporary total or temporary partial disability.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 44-510e is hereby amended to read as follows: 44-510e. (a) In case of whole body injury resulting in temporary or permanent partial general disability not covered by the schedule in K.S.A. 44-510d, and amendments thereto, the employee shall receive weekly compensation as determined in this

subsection during the period of temporary or permanent partial general disability not exceeding a maximum of 415 weeks.

- (1) Weekly compensation for temporary partial general disability shall be $66^2/_3\%$ of the difference between the average weekly wage that the employee was earning prior to the date of injury and the amount the employee is actually earning after such injury in any type of employment. In no case shall such weekly compensation exceed the maximum as provided for in K.S.A. 44-510c, and amendments thereto.
- (2) (A) Permanent partial general disability exists when the employee is disabled in a manner which is partial in character and permanent in quality and which is not covered by the schedule in K.S.A. 44-510d, and amendments thereto. Compensation for permanent partial general disability shall also be paid as provided in this section where an injury results in:
- (i) The loss of or loss of use of a shoulder, arm, forearm or hand of one upper extremity, combined with the loss of or loss of use of a shoulder, arm, forearm or hand of the other upper extremity;
- (ii) the loss of or loss of use of a leg, lower leg or foot of one lower extremity, combined with the loss of or loss of use of a leg, lower leg or foot of the other lower extremity; or
 - (iii) the loss of or loss of use of both eyes.
- (B) The extent of permanent partial general disability shall be the percentage of functional impairment the employee sustained on account of the injury as established by competent medical evidence and based on the fourth edition of the American medical association guides to the evaluation of permanent impairment, if the impairment is contained therein, until January 1, 2015, but for injuries occurring on and after January 1, 2015, based on the sixth edition of the American medical association guides to the evaluation of permanent impairment, if the impairment is contained therein.
- (C) An employee may be eligible to receive permanent partial general disability compensation in excess of the percentage of functional impairment ("work disability") if:
- (i) The percentage of functional impairment determined to be caused solely by the injury exceeds $7\frac{1}{2}$ % to the body as a whole or the overall functional impairment is equal to or exceeds 10% to the body as a whole in cases where there is preexisting functional impairment; and
- (ii) the employee sustained a post-injury wage loss, as defined in-subsection (a)(2)(E) of K.S.A. 44-510e(a)(2)(E), and amendments thereto, of at least 10% which is directly attributable to the work injury and not to other causes or factors.

In such cases, the extent of work disability is determined by averaging together the percentage of post-injury task loss demonstrated by the employee to be caused by the injury and the percentage of post-injury wage loss demonstrated by the employee to be caused by the injury.

(D) "Task loss" shall mean the percentage to which the employee, in the opinion of a licensed physician, has lost the ability to perform the work tasks that the employee performed in any substantial gainful employment during the five-year period preceding the injury. The permanent restrictions imposed by a licensed physician as a result of the work injury shall be used to determine those work tasks which the employee has lost the ability to perform. If the employee has preexisting permanent

restrictions, any work tasks which the employee would have been deemed to have lost the ability to perform, had a task loss analysis been completed prior to the injury at issue, shall be excluded for the purposes of calculating the task loss which is directly attributable to the current injury.

- (E) "Wage loss" shall mean the difference between the average weekly wage the employee was earning at the time of the injury and the average weekly wage the employee is capable of earning after the injury. The capability of a worker to earn post-injury wages shall be established based upon a consideration of all factors, including, but not limited to, the injured worker's age, physical capabilities, education and training, prior experience, and availability of jobs in the open labor market. The administrative law judge shall impute an appropriate post-injury average weekly wage based on such factors. Where the employee is engaged in post-injury employment for wages, there shall be a rebuttable presumption that the average weekly wage an injured worker is actually earning constitutes the post-injury average weekly wage that the employee is capable of earning. The presumption may be overcome by competent evidence.
- (i) To establish post-injury wage loss, the employee must have the legal capacity to enter into a valid contract of employment. Wage loss caused by voluntary resignation or termination for cause shall in no way be construed to be caused by the injury.
- (ii) The actual or projected weekly value of any employer-paid fringe benefits are to be included as part of the worker's post-injury average weekly wage and shall be added to the wage imputed by the administrative law judge pursuant to K.S.A. 44-510e(a)(2)(E), and amendments thereto.
- (iii) The injured worker's refusal of accommodated employment within the worker's medical restrictions as established by the authorized treating physician and at a wage equal to 90% or more of the pre-injury average weekly wage shall result in a rebuttable presumption of no wage loss.
- (F) The amount of compensation for whole body injury under this section shall be determined by multiplying the payment rate by the weeks payable. As used in this section: (1) The payment rate shall be the lesser of: (A) The amount determined by multiplying the average weekly wage of the worker prior to such injury by $66^2/_3\%$; or (B) the maximum provided in K.S.A. 44-510c, and amendments thereto; (2) weeks payable shall be determined as follows: (A) Determine the weeks of temporary compensation paid by adding the amounts of temporary total and temporary partial disability compensation paid and dividing the sum by the payment rate above; (B) subtract from 415 weeks the total number of weeks of temporary compensation paid as determined in subparagraph (F)(2)(A), excluding the first 15 such weeks; and (3) multiply the number of weeks as determined in subparagraph (F)(2)(B) by the percentage of functional impairment pursuant to subsection (a)(2)(B) or the percentage of work disability pursuant to subsection (a)(2)(C), whichever is applicable.
- (3) When an injured worker is eligible to receive an award of work disability, compensation is limited to the value of the work disability as calculated above. In no case shall functional impairment and work disability be awarded together.

The resulting award shall be paid for the number of disability weeks at the payment rate until fully paid or modified. In any case of permanent partial disability under this section, the employee shall be paid compensation for not to exceed 415

weeks following the date of such injury. If there is an award of permanent disability as a result of the compensable injury, there shall be a presumption that disability existed immediately after such injury. Under no circumstances shall the period of permanent partial disability run concurrently with the period of temporary total or temporary partial disability.

- (b) If an employee has sustained an injury for which compensation is being paid, and the employee's death is caused by other and independent causes, any payment of compensation already due the employee at the time of death and then unpaid shall be paid to the employee's dependents directly or to the employee's legal representatives if the employee left no dependent, but the liability of the employer for the payments of compensation not yet due at the time of the death of such employee shall cease and be abrogated by the employee's death.
- (c) The total amount of compensation that may be allowed or awarded an injured employee for all injuries received in any one accident shall in no event exceed the compensation which would be payable under the workers compensation act for 100% permanent total disability resulting from such accident.
- (d) Where a minor employee or a minor employee's dependents are entitled to compensation under the workers compensation act, such compensation shall be exclusive of all other remedies or causes of action for such injury or death, and no claim or cause of action against the employer shall inure or accrue to or exist in favor of the parent or parents of such minor employee on account of any damage resulting to such parent or parents on account of the loss of earnings or loss of service of such minor employee.
- (e) In any case of injury to or death of an employee, where the employee or the employee's dependents are entitled to compensation under the workers compensation act, such compensation shall be exclusive of all other remedies or causes of action for such injury or death, and no claim or action shall inure, accrue to or exist in favor of the surviving spouse or any relative or next of kin of such employee against such employer on account of any damage resulting to such surviving spouse or any relative or next of kin on account of the loss of earnings, services, or society of such employee or on any other account resulting from or growing out of the injury or death of such employee.";

On page 5, in line 19, after "Supp." by inserting "44-510d, 44-510e and";

And by renumbering sections accordingly:

On page 1, in the title, in line 1, after "to" by inserting "medical guides for determining compensation;"; in line 3, after "Supp." by inserting "44-510d, 44-510e and";

On roll call, the vote was: Yeas 36; Nays 78; Present but not voting: 0; Absent or not voting: 11.

Yeas: Alcala, Anthimides, Ballard, Becker, Boldra, Burroughs, Carlin, Carmichael, Clark, Clayton, Concannon, Curtis, Finney, Frownfelter, Gallagher, Helgerson, Henderson, Highberger, Houston, Kuether, Lusk, Lusker, Ousley, Pauls, Rooker, Ruiz, Sawyer, Scott, Tietze, Trimmer, Victors, Ward, Whipple, Wilson, Winn, Wolfe Moore.

Nays: Alford, Barker, Barton, Billinger, Bollier, Bradford, Bruchman, Campbell, B. Carpenter, W. Carpenter, Corbet, E. Davis, DeGraaf, Dierks, Doll, Dove, Esau, Estes, Finch, Francis, Garber, Goico, Gonzalez, Grosserode, Hawkins, Hedke, Hemsley, Hibbard, Hildabrand, Hoffman, Houser, Hutchins, Hutton, Jennings, Johnson, D. Jones,

K. Jones, Kahrs, Kelley, Kelly, Kiegerl, Kleeb, Lewis, Lunn, Macheers, Mason, Mast, McPherson, Merrick, Moxley, O'Brien, Osterman, F. Patton, Phillips, R. Powell, Proehl, Rahjes, Read, Rubin, Ryckman, Ryckman Sr., Scapa, Schroeder, Schwab, Schwartz, Seiwert, Sloan, C. Smith, Sutton, S. Swanson, Thimesch, Thompson, Todd, Vickrey, Waymaster, Weber, C., Whitmer, K. Williams.

Present but not voting: None.

Absent or not voting: Claeys, Edmonds, Ewy, Henry, Highland, Hill, Hineman, Huebert, Peck, Rhoades, Suellentrop.

The motion of Rep. Carmichael did not prevail and the bill be passed as amended.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on **Children and Seniors** recommends **HB 2534** be amended on page 1, following line 5, by inserting:

"Section 1. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-89d01 is hereby amended to read as follows: 72-89d01. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-89d01 through 72-89d08 and section 7, and amendments thereto, shall be known and may be cited as the freedom from unsafe restraint and seclusion act.":

Also on page 1, following line 8, by inserting:

- "(a) "Appointing authority" means a group of persons empowered by statute to make human resource decisions that affect the employment of officers.
- (b) "Campus police officer" means a school security officer designated by the board of education of any school district pursuant to K.S.A. 72-8222, and amendments thereto.":

Also on page 1, following line 11, by inserting:

- "(d) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of education.
- (e) "Complaint" means a written document that a parent files with a local board as provided for in this act.";

Also on page 1, in line 14, after "restraint" by inserting ", but does not include the use of time-out"; following line 14, by inserting:

"(h) "Hearing officer" means the state board employee designated to conduct an administrative review.":

Also on page 1, following line 16, by inserting:

- "(j) "Law enforcement officer" and "police officer" mean a full-time or part-time salaried officer or employee of the state, a county or a city, whose duties include the prevention or detection of crime and the enforcement of criminal or traffic law of this state or any Kansas municipality. This term includes a campus police officer.
- (k) "Legitimate law enforcement purpose" means a goal within the lawful authority of an officer that is to be achieved through methods or conduct condoned by the officer's appointing authority.
- (l) "Local board" means the board of education of a district or the governing body of any accredited nonpublic school.";

Also on page 1, following line 24, by inserting:

"(o) "Physical escort" means the temporary touching or holding the hand, wrist, arm, shoulder or back of a student who is acting out for the purpose of inducing the student to walk to a safe location. Physical escort shall not be considered an emergency safety intervention.";

Also on page 1, following line 32, by inserting:

- "(r) "School resource officer" means a law enforcement officer or police officer employed by a local law enforcement agency who is assigned to a district through an agreement between the local law enforcement agency and the district.
- (s) "School security officer" means a person who is employed by a board of education of any school district for the purpose of aiding and supplementing state and local law enforcement agencies in which the school district is located, but is not a law enforcement officer or police officer.":

On page 2, following line 3, by inserting:

- "(u) "State board" means the Kansas state board of education.
- (v) "Time-out" means a behavioral intervention in which a student is temporarily removed from a learning activity without being secluded.";

And by redesignating subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs and clauses accordingly;

Also on page 2, in line 43, after "following" by inserting "types of restraint";

On page 3, in line 14, by striking all after "(g)"; by striking all in line 15 and inserting:

"Each local board shall develop and implement written policies to govern the use of emergency safety interventions in schools. At a minimum, written district policies shall conform to the standards, definitions and requirements of this act.

Such written policies shall include that:

(1) (A) School personnel training shall be designed to meet the needs of personnel as appropriate to their duties and potential need for the use of emergency safety interventions;

(B) "

Also on page 3; in line 17, by striking all after "strategies"; by striking all in line 18; in line 19, by striking all before "Schools" and inserting ";

(C) training shall be consistent with nationally recognized training programs; and

(D)":

Also on page 3, in line 22, after "education" by inserting ";

- (2) a local dispute resolution process shall be developed, which shall include the following:
- (A) a procedure for a parent to file a complaint with the local board. If a parent believes that an emergency safety intervention has been used on the parent's child in violation of the act, rules and regulations or the local board's emergency safety intervention policy, the parent may file a complaint within 30 days of the date on which the parent was informed of the use of the emergency safety intervention;
 - (B) a procedure for complaint investigation;
- (C) a procedure to implement a dispute-resolution final decision. The local board's decision shall be in writing and shall include findings of fact and any corrective action required by the school if the local board deems such action necessary. The local board's final decision shall be mailed to the parent and the department within 30 days of the the local board's receipt of the complaint; and
- (D) a procedure setting out the parent's right to request an administrative review by the state board, including information as to the deadline by which the parent must submit the request to the state board;
 - (3) a system for the collection and maintenance of documentation for each use of

an emergency safety intervention as set forth in K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-89d04, and amendments thereto:

- (4) a procedure for the periodic review of the use of emergency safety interventions at each school, which shall be compiled and submitted at least biannually to the superintendent or the superintendent's designee; and
- (5) a schedule for when and how parents are provided with notice of the local board's written policies on the use of emergency safety interventions.
- (h) Written policies developed pursuant to this act shall be accessible on each school's website and shall be included in each school's code of conduct, school safety plan or student handbook.
- (i) (1) Campus police officers and school resource officers shall be exempt from the requirements of this act when engaged in an activity that has a legitimate law enforcement purpose.
- (2) School security officers shall not be exempt from the requirements of this act"; And by redesignating subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs and clauses accordingly;

Also on page 3, in line 27, before the first "the" by inserting "on";

On page 4, in line 30, after the first period by inserting "A school shall not be required to provide written documentation to a parent, as set forth in subsection (a)(1) regarding law enforcement use of an emergency safety intervention, or report to the department law enforcement use of an emergency safety intervention."; by striking all in lines 33 through 40:

On page 5, in line 21, by striking "(d)" and inserting "(c)"; in line 22, by striking "(d)" and inserting "(c)"; also in line 22, by striking "reported"; also in line 22, after "by" by inserting "the"; in line 23, by striking "(d)" and inserting "(c)"; in line 24, by striking "(d)" and inserting "(c)";

And by redesignating subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs and clauses accordingly;

On page 6, following line 43, by inserting:

"New Sec. 7. (a) Any parent who has filed a written complaint with a local board regarding the use of an emergency safety intervention may request an administrative review by the state board of the local board's final decision.

- (b) Each parent seeking administrative review shall provide the following information in the request:
 - (1) The name of the student and the student's contact information:
- (2) the name and contact information, to the extent known, for all involved parties, including teachers, aides, administrators and district staff;
- (3) a detailed statement of the basis for seeking administrative review, with all supporting facts and documentation. The documentation shall include a copy of the complaint filed with the local board and shall include the local board's final decision, if issued. The request shall be legibly written or typed and shall be signed by the parent. Relevant written instruments or documents in the possession of the parent shall be attached as exhibits or, if unavailable, referenced in the request for administrative review; and
- (4) written consent to disclose any personally identifiable information from the student's education records necessary to conduct an investigation pursuant to this act.

within 30 days from the date a final decision is issued, pursuant to the local disputeresolution process or, if a final decision is not issued, within 60 days from the date a written complaint was filed with the local board.

- (2) The hearing officer shall forward a copy of the request for administrative review to the clerk of the local board from whom the administrative review is sought.
- (d) Upon receipt of each request for administrative review, the hearing officer shall consider the local board's final decision and may initiate its own investigation of the complaint. Any investigation may include the following:
- (1) A discussion with the parent, during which additional information may be gathered and specific allegations identified, verified and recorded;
- (2) contact with the local board or other district staff against which the request for administrative review is filed, to allow the local board to respond to the request with facts and information supporting the local board's final decision; and
 - (3) an on-site investigation by department officers or employees.
- (e) If the hearing officer receives information that the hearing officer determines was not previously made available to both parties during the local board's disputeresolution process, the hearing officer may remand the issue back to the local board. The local board then has 30 days to issue a written amended final decision. Upon remand, the hearing officer's case will be closed. All rights to and responsibilities of an administrative review shall begin again when the local board's amended final decision is issued or 30 days from when the hearing officer's remand is issued, whichever occurs first.
- (f) Within 60 days of the commissioner's receipt of the request for administrative review, the hearing officer shall inform the parent, the school's head administrator, the district superintendent, the local board clerk and the state board, in writing, of the results of the administrative review. This time frame may be extended for good cause upon approval by the commissioner.
- (g) The results of the administrative review shall contain findings of fact, conclusions of law, and, if needed, suggested corrective action. The hearing officer shall determine whether the district is in violation of this act based solely on the information obtained by the hearing officer during the course of the investigation and the administrative review process. This determination shall include one of the following:
- (1) The local board appropriately resolved the complaint pursuant to its disputeresolution process;
- (2) the local board should reevaluate the complaint pursuant to its disputeresolution process with suggested findings of fact; and
- (3) the hearing officer's suggested corrective action is necessary to ensure that local board policies meet the requirements of law.
- (h) Nothing in this section shall require exhaustion of other remedies before using the procedures or seeking remedies that are otherwise available.";

On page 7, in line 3, before "72-89d07" by inserting "72-89d05 and"; also in line 3, after "72-89d07" by inserting "and section 7"; in line 5, after "Supp." by inserting "72-89d01,";

And by renumbering sections accordingly;

On page 1, in the title, in line 2, after "Supp." by inserting "72-89d01,"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Education** recommends **Substitute for SB 323** be amended on page 1, in line 13, by striking "one hour" and inserting "two hours"; in line 25, by striking all after "section"; in line 26, by striking all before the period; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Education** recommends **SB 358**, as amended by Senate Committee, be passed.

Committee on **Insurance and Financial Institutions** recommends **Substitute for SB 103** be passed and, because the committee is of the opinion that the bill is of a noncontroversial nature, be placed on the consent calendar.

Committee on **Judiciary** recommends **SB 255**, as amended by Senate Committee of the Whole, be amended by substituting a new bill to be designated as "House Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 255," as follows:

"House Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 255

By Committee on Judiciary

"AN ACT concerning court fees and funds; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 21-6614 and repealing the existing section; reviving and amending K.S.A. 5-517 and 20-166 and K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 20-1a04, 28-172b, 74-7325, 74-7334 and 75-7021 and repealing the revived sections; also repealing K.S.A. 5-517, as amended by section 5 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas, and 20-166, as amended by section 8 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas; K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 20-1a04, as amended by section 6 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas, 20-367, 21-6614d, 28-172b, as amended by section 28 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas, 38-2312c, 60-2001b, 74-7325, as amended by section 38 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas, 74-7334, as amended by section 39 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas, and 75-7021, as amended by section 42 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas, and 75-7021, as amended by section 42 of chapter 82 of the 2014 Session Laws of Kansas; and K.S.A. 2015 Supp 20-1a16 and 21-6614f.";

And the substitute bill be passed.

(H Sub for SB 255 was thereupon introduced and read by title.)

Committee on **Judiciary** recommends **SB 415** be amended on page 2, following line 14, by inserting:

"(g) The provisions of subsection (a) shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature acts to reauthorize such provisions. The provisions of subsection (a) shall be reviewed by the legislature prior to July 1, 2021.";

On page 3, following line 37, by inserting:

"(f) The provisions of subsection (e) shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature acts to reenact such provision. The provisions of subsection (e) shall be reviewed by the legislature prior to July 1, 2021.";

On page 4, in line 14, before "This" by inserting "The provisions of subsection (a) shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature acts to reauthorize such provisions. The provisions of subsection (a) shall be reviewed by the legislature prior to July 1, 2021.

(d) ":

Also on page 4, following line 34, by inserting:

"(c) The provisions of subsection (a) shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the

legislature acts to reauthorize such provisions. The provisions of subsection (a) shall be reviewed by the legislature prior to July 1, 2021.";

On page 10, in line 38, following the period, by inserting "The provisions of this subsection shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature reviews and reenacts this provision prior to July 1, 2021.";

On page 12, following line 1, by inserting:

"The requirement for submitting any antifraud plan, or any amendment thereof, to the commissioner shall expire on the date specified in subsection (d)(2) unless the legislature reviews and reenacts the provisions of subsection (d)(2) prior to such date.";

Also on page 12, in line 8, after the period, by inserting "The provisions of this paragraph shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature reviews and reenacts this provision prior to July 1, 2021.";

On page 13, following line 23, by inserting:

"The requirement for submitting any antifraud plan, or any amendment thereof, to the commissioner shall expire on the date specified in subsection (d)(2) unless the legislature reviews and reenacts the provisions of subsection (d)(2) prior to such date.";

Also on page 13, in line 30, after the period, by inserting:

"The provisions of this paragraph shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature reviews and reenacts this provision prior to July 1, 2021.";

On page 16, in line 14, before "For" by inserting "The provisions of subsection (d)(2) shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature acts to reenact such provision. The provisions of subsection (d)(2) shall be reviewed by the legislature prior to July 1, 2021.

(f) ";

Also on page 16, in line 17, by striking "(f)" and inserting "(g)";

On page 19, in line 33, before the colon by inserting "until July 1, 2021, at which time such exceptions shall expire";

On page 20, following line 17, by inserting:

- "Sec. 10. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 75-5133 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-5133. (a) Except as otherwise more specifically provided by law, all information received by the secretary of revenue, the director of taxation or the director of alcoholic beverage control from returns, reports, license applications or registration documents made or filed under the provisions of any law imposing any sales, use or other excise tax administered by the secretary of revenue, the director of taxation, or the director of alcoholic beverage control, or from any investigation conducted under such provisions, shall be confidential, and it shall be unlawful for any officer or employee of the department of revenue to divulge any such information except in accordance with other provisions of law respecting the enforcement and collection of such tax, in accordance with proper judicial order or as provided in K.S.A. 74-2424, and amendments thereto.
 - (b) The secretary of revenue or the secretary's designee may:
- (1) Publish statistics, so classified as to prevent identification of particular reports or returns and the items thereof:
- (2) allow the inspection of returns by the attorney general or the attorney general's designee;
- (3) provide the post auditor access to all such excise tax reports or returns in accordance with and subject to the provisions of K.S.A. 46-1106(g), and amendments thereto:
 - (4) disclose taxpayer information from excise tax returns to persons or entities

contracting with the secretary of revenue where the secretary has determined disclosure of such information is essential for completion of the contract and has taken appropriate steps to preserve confidentiality;

- (5) provide information from returns and reports filed under article 42 of chapter 79 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and amendments thereto, to county appraisers as is necessary to ensure proper valuations of property. Information from such returns and reports may also be exchanged with any other state agency administering and collecting conservation or other taxes and fees imposed on or measured by mineral production;
- (6) provide, upon request by a city or county clerk or treasurer or finance officer of any city or county receiving distributions from a local excise tax, monthly reports identifying each retailer doing business in such city or county or making taxable sales sourced to such city or county, setting forth the tax liability and the amount of such tax remitted by each retailer during the preceding month, and identifying each business location maintained by the retailer and such retailer's sales or use tax registration or account number;
- (7) provide information from returns and applications for registration filed pursuant to K.S.A. 12-187, and amendments thereto, and K.S.A. 79-3601, and amendments thereto, to a city or county treasurer or clerk or finance officer to explain the basis of statistics contained in reports provided by subsection (b)(6);
- (8) disclose the following oil and gas production statistics received by the department of revenue in accordance with K.S.A. 79-4216 et seq., and amendments thereto: Volumes of production by well name, well number, operator's name and identification number assigned by the state corporation commission, lease name, leasehold property description, county of production or zone of production, name of purchaser and purchaser's tax identification number assigned by the department of revenue, name of transporter, field code number or lease code, tax period, exempt production volumes by well name or lease, or any combination of this information;
- (9) release or publish liquor brand registration information provided by suppliers, farm wineries, microdistilleries and microbreweries in accordance with the liquor control act. The information to be released is limited to: Item number, universal numeric code, type status, product description, alcohol percentage, selling units, unit size, unit of measurement, supplier number, supplier name, distributor number and distributor name;
- (10) release or publish liquor license information provided by liquor licensees, distributors, suppliers, farm wineries, microdistilleries and microbreweries in accordance with the liquor control act. The information to be released is limited to: County name, owner, business name, address, license type, license number, license expiration date and the process agent contact information;
- (11) release or publish cigarette and tobacco license information obtained from cigarette and tobacco licensees in accordance with the Kansas cigarette and tobacco products act. The information to be released is limited to: County name, owner, business name, address, license type and license number;
- (12) provide environmental surcharge or solvent fee, or both, information from returns and applications for registration filed pursuant to K.S.A. 65-34,150 and 65-34,151, and amendments thereto, to the secretary of health and environment or the secretary's designee for the sole purpose of ensuring that retailers collect the environmental surcharge tax or solvent fee, or both;
 - (13) provide water protection fee information from returns and applications for

registration filed pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-954, and amendments thereto, to the secretary of the state board of agriculture or the secretary's designee and the secretary of the Kansas water office or the secretary's designee for the sole purpose of verifying revenues deposited to the state water plan fund;

- (14) provide to the secretary of commerce copies of applications for project exemption certificates sought by any taxpayer under the enterprise zone sales tax exemption pursuant to K.S.A. 79-3606(cc), and amendments thereto;
- (15) disclose information received pursuant to the Kansas cigarette and tobacco act and subject to the confidentiality provisions of this act to any criminal justice agency, as defined in K.S.A. 22-4701(c), and amendments thereto, or to any law enforcement officer, as defined in K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 21-5111, and amendments thereto, on behalf of a criminal justice agency, when requested in writing in conjunction with a pending investigation;
- (16) provide to retailers tax exemption information for the sole purpose of verifying the authenticity of tax exemption numbers issued by the department;
- (17) provide information concerning remittance by sellers, as defined in K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 12-5363, and amendments thereto, of prepaid wireless 911 fees from returns to the local collection point administrator, as defined in K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 12-5363, and amendments thereto, for purposes of verifying seller compliance with collection and remittance of such fees;
- (18) release or publish charitable gaming information obtained in-bingo charitable gaming licensee and registration applications and renewals in accordance with the bingo act, K.S.A. 79-4701 Kansas charitable gaming act, K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 75-5171 et seq., and amendments thereto. The information to be released is limited to: The name, address, phone number, license registration number and email address of the organization, distributor or of premises; and
- (19) provide to the attorney general confidential information for purposes of determining compliance with or enforcing K.S.A. 50-6a01 et seq., and amendments thereto, the master settlement agreement referred to therein and all agreements regarding disputes under the master settlement agreement. The secretary and the attorney general may share the information specified under this subsection with any of the following:
- (A) Federal, state or local agencies for the purposes of enforcement of corresponding laws of other states; and
- (B) a court, arbitrator, data clearinghouse or similar entity for the purpose of assessing compliance with or making calculations required by the master settlement agreement or agreements regarding disputes under the master settlement agreement, and with counsel for the parties or expert witnesses in any such proceeding, if the information otherwise remains confidential.
- (c) Any person receiving any information under the provisions of subsection (b) shall be subject to the confidentiality provisions of subsection (a) and to the penalty provisions of subsection (d).
- (d) Any violation of this section shall be a class A, nonperson misdemeanor, and if the offender is an officer or employee of this state, such officer or employee shall be dismissed from office. Reports of violations of this paragraph shall be investigated by the attorney general. The district attorney or county attorney and the attorney general shall have authority to prosecute any violation of this section if the offender is a city or

county clerk or treasurer or finance officer of a city or county.";

On page 23, in line 10, before the period by inserting ", prior to July 1, 2021"; following line 13, by inserting:

"(3) The provisions of this subsection shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature reviews and reenacts this provision prior to July 1, 2021.";

On page 25, following line 12, by inserting:

"(3) The provisions of this subsection shall expire on July 1, 2021, unless the legislature reviews and reenacts this provision prior to July 1, 2021.";

Also on page 25, in line 14, after "45-229," by inserting "75-5133,";

And by renumbering sections accordingly;

On page 1, in the title, in line 1, after "concerning" by inserting "public records; relating to"; in line 2, after the semicolon by inserting "disclosure of charitable gaming licensee information;"; in line 3, after "45-229," by inserting "75-5133,"; and the bill be passed as amended.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Your Committee on Calendar and Printing recommends on requests for resolutions and certificates that

Request No. 54, by Representative Larry Campbell, congratulating Ann Marie E. Hrdy for receiving the Girl Scout Gold Award;

Request No. 55, by Representative Larry Campbell, congratulating Marah R. Williams for receiving the Girl Scout Gold Award;

Request No. 56, by Representative Sharon Schwartz, congratulating Don and Lois Martin for receiving 2016 Master Farmer and Master Farm Homemaker, Riverside Valley Extension District No. 4;

Request No. 57, by Representative Larry Hibbard, congratulating Jean Grundy on her 100th birthday;

Request No. 58, by Representative Rob Bruchman commending Dr. Steven Hechler for providing charitable orthodontic services to the community;

Request No. 59, by Representative Randy Garber, congratulating Anna Knapp on winning the Kansas Voice of Democracy Essay Contest sponsored by the VFW;

Request No. 60, by Representative Boog Highberger, congratulating Jazmyne McNair for being named Kansas Boys and Girls Club 2016 Youth of the Year;

Request No. 61, by Representative Peggy Mast, congratulating Colby Johnson for winning the 4A State wrestling championship;

Request No. 62, by Representative Virgil Peck Jr., congratulating Sara Shively for her 80th Birthday;

Request No. 63, by Representative Virgil Peck Jr., congratulating George and Romona Rau for their 60^{th} wedding anniversary;

be approved and the Chief Clerk of the House be directed to order the printing of said certificates and order drafting of said resolutions.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the committee report was adopted.

REPORT ON ENROLLED RESOLUTIONS

HR 6046 reported correctly enrolled and properly signed on March 11, 2016.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Monday, March $14,\,2016$.

	BECKIE HENDRICKS, JENNY HAUGH, Journal Clerks
SUSAN W. KANNARR, Chief Clerk.	