

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MR. SPEAKER:

The Committee on **Agriculture** recommends **HB 2463** be amended on page 2, in line 20, before "certificate" by inserting "surety bond or";

On page 4, in line 11, by striking "providing" and inserting "one of the following:

(1) A surety bond in an amount not less than \$6,000 per year. The bond shall be executed by a corporate surety and shall state the effective date and the expiration date. The bond shall be executed on a form approved by the secretary. The applicant shall be named as the principal in the bond. Such bond shall be to the state of Kansas and shall be conditioned upon compliance by the principal and by the principal's officers, agents, representatives and employees, with the provisions of this act and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto. It shall be unlawful for any licensed person to use the words "bond" or "bonded" in advertising or in publicizing such person's operations in connection with the application of pesticides unless such bond is a performance bond and that fact and the amount of such bond are specified.

(2) ";

Also on page 4, in line 19, by striking "(1)" and inserting "(A)"; in line 21, by striking "(2)" and inserting "(B)";

On page 5, in line 27, after "a" by inserting "surety bond or";

On page 6, in line 8, before "certificate" by inserting "surety bond or"; in line 12, after "a" by inserting "substitute surety bond or"; in line 41, by striking "certificate" and inserting "acceptable surety bonds and certificates"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Chairperson