Journal of the Senate

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS Wednesday, March 2, 2011, 2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order by Vice President John Vratil The roll was called with thirty-six senators present. Senators Donovan, Hensley, McGinn and Morris were excused Invocation by Chaplain Fred S. Hollomon:

Heavenly Father,

In the book of Revelation, You told the church in Laodicea, "Because you are lukewarm-neither cold nor hot-I am about to spit you out of my mouth."

Forgive us for being lukewarm about things that matter. When it comes to doing what is best for the people of Kansas, we pray You will find us:

On fire, not lukewarm. Going full speed, not idling. A participator, not a spectator. Enthused, instead of defused. More intense, than on the fence. More ecstatic, than static.

After all, Lord, at the judgment we want to hear you say, "Well done!Not "Medium Rare!"

I pray in the Name of Jesus Christ,

AMEN

The pledge of allegiance was led by Vice President John Vratil.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

The Vice President withdrew **SB 30** from the Committee on **Ways and Means**, and rereferred the bill to the Committee on Utilities.

The Vice President withdrew SB 86, SB 87, SB 95, SB 98, SB 109 and SB 197 from the Committee on Ways and Means, and rereferred the bills to the Committee on Assessment and Taxation.

The Vice President withdrew SB 131 from the Committee on Ways and

Means, and rereferred the bill to the Committee on Local Government.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 157** from the Committee on **Ways and Means**, and rereferred the bill to the Committee on **Commerce**.

The Vice President withdrew **HB 2122** from the Committee on **Utilities**, and referred the bill to the Committee on **Agriculture**.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

February 25, 2011

Message to the Senate of the State of Kansas:

Enclosed herewith is Executive Order No. 11-03.

Sam Brownback Governor

The Vice President announced Executive Order No. 11-03, incorporates by reference Executive Orders 98-5, 00-06, 02-05, 03-06, 05-01, 06-02 and 09-06 and continues the Governor's Military Council.

February 22, 2011

To the Senate of the State of Kansas:

Submitted herewith for confirmation by the Senate are appointments made by me as the Governor of the State of Kansas, pursuant to law.

Sam Brownback Governor

Appointments:

Superintendent, Kansas Highway Patrol, Ernie Garcia (R) Overland Park, pursuant to the authority vested in me by KSA 74-2105 effective upon the date of confirmation by the Senate, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

Secretary, Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Rob Siedlecki (R) Topeka, pursuant to the authority vested in me by KSA 75-5301 effective upon the date of confirmation by the Senate, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

State Banking Commissioner, Edwin Splichal (R) Belleville, pursuant to the authority vested in me by KSA 75-1304 effective upon the date of confirmation by the Senate, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

Member, Lottery Commission, Mike King (R) Hesston, pursuant to the authority vested in me by KSA 74-8709 effective upon the date of

confirmation by the Senate, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

Director, Water Office, Tracy Streeter (R) Valley Falls, pursuant to the authority vested in me by KSA 74-2613 effective upon the date of confirmation by the Senate, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

Board of Directors, Kansas Development Finance Authority, Patti Peterson-Klein (R) Topeka, pursuant to the authority vested in me by KSA 74-8903 effective upon the date of confirmation by the Senate, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

SUPREME COURT OF KANSAS

February 24, 2011

Pursuant to KSA 8-1008, Howard Schwartz, Judicial Administrator, submitted the 2010 Annual Report of the Statement of Alcohol Drug Safety Action Program.

The Vice President announced the above report is on file in the office of the Secretary of the Senate and is available for review at any time.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Announcing passage of HB 2034, HB 2067; Substitute HB 2069; HB 2075, HB 2076, HB 2077, HB 2080, HB 2101, HB 2105, HB 2120, HB 2125, HB 2128; Substitute HB 2135; HB 2139, HB 2147; Substitute HB 2188, Substitute HB 2191; HB 2194, HB 2195, HB 2196, HB 2240, HB 2258; Substitute HB 2271; HB 2282, HB 2312; SCR 1605.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HB 2034, HB 2067; Substitute HB 2069; HB 2075, HB 2076, HB 2077, HB 2080, HB 2101, HB 2105, HB 2120, HB 2125, HB 2128; Substitute HB 2135; HB 2139, HB 2147; Substitute HB 2188, Substitute HB 2191; HB 2194, HB 2195, HB 2196, HB 2240, HB 2258; Substitute HB 2271; HB 2282, HB 2312 were thereupon introduced and read by title.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance recommends SB 182 be passed.

Also, **SB 185** be amended on page 1, in line 16, after "bank" by inserting "or a trust company"; also in line 16, by striking ", or a trust"; in line 17, by striking "company"; in line 25, after "bank" by inserting "or trust company";

And the bill be passed as amended.

REPORT ON ENGROSSED BILLS

SB 1; Sub SB 50; SB 212 reported correctly engrossed February 25, 2011.

REPORT ON ENROLLED BILLS

SCR 1605 reported correctly enrolled, properly signed and presented to the Secretary of State on February 25, 2011.

On motion of Senator Emler, the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m, Thursday, March 3, 2011.

HELEN MORELAND, ROSE MARIE GLATT, SHIRLEY LAMOTT, Journal Clerks. PAT SAVILLE, Secretary of the Senate.