

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Senator David Adkins at 12:05 p.m. on Monday, February 18, 2002 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:  
Senators Haley, Hensley and Lee, excused

Committee staff present:  
Mary Galligan, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Kathie Sparks, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Cindy O'Neal, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:  
None

Others attending:  
See attached guest list

Chairman Adkins read a letter from Senator Hensley regretting that the Democrat members were not in attendance because they were attending their regularly scheduled weekly Caucus meeting.

Senator Schmidt presented a redistricting map for consideration, Kansas Day Revision. (Attachment 1)

Senator Schmidt then moved to substitute Kansas Day Revision into SB 378. Senator Corbin seconded the motion. Discussion followed. Reports showing voter registration by party by district in Kansas Day Revision and population deviations from ideal district size were distributed. (Attachment 2) Senator Schmidt's motion passed by a vote of 5 to 2.

Senator Corbin moved to report SB 378, as amended favorably for passage. Senator Schmidt seconded the motion, and the motion passed.

The Chairman noted that committee work on State Board of Education districts will be assigned later.

Chairman Adkins said that the House map has been referred to the Committee and that there will probably not be hearings held on it.

Correspondence received by the Kansas Legislative Research Department concerning Senate reapportionment is attached. (Attachment 3)

The meeting adjourned at 12:20 p.m.\_\_\_\_\_