

Journal of the House

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TOPEKA, KS, Wednesday, March 4, 2015, 11:00 a.m.

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

The roll was called with 116 members present.

Reps. Anthimides, Concannon and Lane were excused on verified illness.

Reps. Bridges, Hedke, Kelley, Sawyer and Wilson were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by Chaplain Brubaker:

God in Heaven,
Thank You for the brief – but needed – break the past few days.
Hopefully everyone had time to rest up, decompress, chill, and just relax!
As they have returned to now consider the Senate bills,
I pray that when they feel rushed, that You will still them.
When they are frightened, reassure them.
When people start pushing them, will You lead them?
When they are confused, enlighten them.
When they begin to feel the stress, please calm them.
When they get discouraged, encourage them.
And when they begin worrying – well, perhaps
they should be worried – bring comfort
to them nevertheless.
This I ask in Your Son's Name, Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Houston.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to committees as indicated:

Agriculture and Natural Resources: **SB 46.**

Appropriations: **SB 7.**

Commerce, Labor and Economic Development: **SB 106, SB 108.**

Elections: **SB 28.**

Federal and State Affairs: **SB 62.**

Insurance: **SB 47, SB 117.**

Judiciary: **SB 34, SB 56, SB 184, SB 214.**

Taxation: **HB 2396, SB 29.**

Utilities and Telecommunications: **SB 109**.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Speaker Merrick announced the withdrawal of **HB 2357** from Committee on Appropriations and rereferral to Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2118**, **HB 2121**, **HB 2362** from Committee on Appropriations and rereferral to Committee on Health and Human Services.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2280** from Committee on Taxation and referral to Committee on Health and Human Services.

Also, the withdrawal of **HB 2112** from Committee on Appropriations and rereferral to Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Announcing passage of **SB 12, SB 13, Sub SB 18, Sub SB 38, SB 43, SB 44, SB 45, SB 51, SB 54, SB 57, SB 58, Sub SB 60, SB 70, SB 73, SB 77, SB 91, SB 93, SB 97, SB 112, SB 113, SB 120, SB 121, SB 124, SB 125, SB 126, SB 127, SB 128, SB 136, SB 142, SB 149, SB 150, SB 154, SB 156, SB 157, SB 159, SB 168, Sub SB 171, SB 180, SB 181, SB 183, SB 188, SB 189, SB 190, SB 197, SB 206, SB 215, SB 227, SB 228, SB 240**.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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

SB 12, SB 13, Sub SB 18, Sub SB 38, SB 43, SB 44, SB 45, SB 51, SB 54, SB 57, SB 58, Sub SB 60, SB 70, SB 73, SB 77, SB 91, SB 93, SB 97, SB 112, SB 113, SB 120, SB 121, SB 124, SB 125, SB 126, SB 127, SB 128, SB 136, SB 142, SB 149, SB 150, SB 154, SB 156, SB 157, SB 159, SB 168, Sub SB 171, SB 180, SB 181, SB 183, SB 188, SB 189, SB 190, SB 197, SB 206, SB 215, SB 227, SB 228, SB 240.

Upon unanimous consent, the House referred back to the regular business, Introduction of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was introduced and read by title:

HB 2397, AN ACT enacting the unmanned aerial vehicle regulation and privacy act, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT CHANGES

Speaker Merrick announced the appointment of Rep. Ruiz to replace Rep. Sawyer on Committee on Taxation on Wednesday, March 4.

Also, the appointment of Rep. Ousley to replace Rep. Bridges on Committee on Education on Wednesday and Thursday, March 4 and 5.

Also, the appointment of Rep. Carlin to replace Rep. Lane on Committee on General Government Budget on Wednesday and Thursday, March 4 and 5.

Also, the appointment of Rep. Alcalá to replace Rep. Wilson on Committee on Federal and State Affairs on Thursday, March 5.

Also, the appointment of Rep. Tietze to replace Rep. Bridges on Committee on Taxation on Wednesday, March 4.

BILLS STRICKEN FROM CALENDAR

In accordance with House Rule 1507, the following bills were stricken from the calendar for March 4, 2015: **HB 2004, HB 2016, HB 2017, HB 2022, HB 2030, HB 2032, HB 2034, HB 2040, HB 2050, HB 2052, HB 2069, HB 2082, HB 2083, HB 2093, HB 2098, HB 2107, HB 2108, HB 2119, HB 2120, HB 2148, HB 2162, HB 2184, HB 2185, HB 2198, HB 2212, HB 2214, HB 2218, HB 2221, HB 2229, HB 2238, HB 2244, HB 2278, HB 2329, HB 2337.**

REPORT ON ENGROSSED BILLS

HB 2063, HB 2131, Sub HB 2170, HB 2225, HB 2228, HB 2275, HB 2326, HB 2336 reported correctly engrossed February 26, 2015.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 5, 2015.

CHARLENE SWANSON, *Journal Clerk.*

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk.*

