

Journal of the House

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TOPEKA, KS, Wednesday, May 13, 2015, 11:30 a.m.

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

The roll was called with 113 members present.

Reps. Kiegerl, O'Brien and Ryckman, Sr. were excused on verified illness.

Reps. Peck and Sloan were excused on legislative business.

Reps. Anthimides, Claeys, Clark, Estes, Goico, Houston and Read were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by Chaplain Brubaker:

Gracious God,
This is the day that You have made,
help us to rejoice and be glad in it.
For those who may be weary and discouraged,
remind them of Your promise,
“do not fear, for I am with you;
do not be dismayed, for I am your God.
I will strengthen you and help you;
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.”
You also promise that if we do not dwell on the past,
we will see that You are doing a new thing.
Your Word tells us that,
“*You* are making a way in the desert
and streams in the wasteland.”
We ask that you make a way
for all the decisions yet to be made.
In Christ’s Name I pray, Amen.
(Isaiah 41:10; 43:18-19)

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Smith.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS OFFERED ON A PREVIOUS DAY

On motion of Rep. Barker, **HR 6024**, A RESOLUTION designating October 14, 2015, as Eisenhower Day and encouraging the state-wide celebration of Dwight D. Eisenhower's 125th birthday, was adopted.

There being no objection, the following remarks of Rep. Barker are spread upon the Journal:

It is my pleasure to sponsor, along with every member in this body, **HR 6024** honoring the 125th birthday of Dwight David Eisenhower, Kansas' most favorite son.

President Eisenhower, whose hometown is Abilene, Kansas, is a pivotal figure in American history and embodies the American ideal. I would like to thank every member in sponsoring this joint resolution. You will find on your desks an "I Like Ike" sticker or pin, which I hope you will wear in this celebration.

I would like to introduce the following members: Meredith Sleichter, Executive Officer, Eisenhower Foundation; Karl Weissenbach, Director, Eisenhower Presidential Library; Mack Teasley, Former Executive Director, Eisenhower Foundation; Inge Teasley, David Dillner; Denise Guy, Superintendent, Abilene School District #435; Chris Cooper, Assistant Superintendent, Abilene School District #435; Mitzi Gose, Eisenhower Presidential Library; Tim Rives, Eisenhower Presidential Library; Tim Holm, Executive Board Member, Eisenhower Foundation.

"An opportunist thinks of me and today. A statesman thinks of us and tomorrow."
Dwight D. Eisenhower

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

MADAM PRESIDENT and MR. SPEAKER: Your committee on conference on House amendments to **H Sub for SB 91** submits the following report:

Your committee on conference agrees to disagree and recommends that a new conference committee be appointed;

And your committee on conference recommends the adoption of this report.

DENNIS HEDKE
KEN CORBET
ANNIE KUETHER

Conferees on part of House

ROB OLSON
MIKE PETERSEN
MARCI FRANCISCO

Conferees on part of Senate

On motion of Rep. Hedke the conference committee report on **H Sub for SB 91** to agree to disagree, was adopted.

Speaker Merrick thereupon appointed Reps. Hedke, Corbet and Kuether as second conferees on the part of the House.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House recessed until 5:00 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

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

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The Senate adopts the Conference Committee report on **HB 2104**.

The Senate adopts the Conference Committee report on **HB 2154**.

The Senate adopts the Conference Committee report on **Sub HB 2159**.

The Senate adopts the Conference Committee report on **HB 2233**.

The Senate adopts the Conference Committee report to agree to disagree on **H Sub for SB 91**, and has appointed Senators Olson, Petersen and Francisco as Second conferees on the part of the Senate.

The Senate concurs in House amendments to **Sub SB 38**, and requests return of the bill.

The Senate announced the appointment of Senator Kelly to replace Senator Hawk as a conferee on **SB 101**.

The Senate announced the appointment of Senator Kelly to replace Senator Hawk as a conferee on **HB 2142**.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on **Taxation** recommends **SB 270** be amended by substituting a new bill to be designated as "House Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 270," as follows:

"House Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 270

By Committee on Taxation

"AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to income tax, rates, itemized deductions; tax amnesty; sales and compensating use tax, rates, food; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 79-32,110, 79-32,120, 79-3602, 79-3603, 79-3620, 79-3695, 79-3703 and 79-3710 and repealing the existing sections."; and the substitute bill be reported without recommendation.

(**H Sub for SB 270** was thereupon introduced and read by title.)

REPORT ON ENROLLED RESOLUTIONS

HR 6025 reported correctly enrolled and properly signed on May 13, 2015.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, May 14, 2015.

CHARLENE SWANSON, *Journal Clerk*.

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk*.

