

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Janice Pauls at 9:00 am on Wednesday, January 13, 2016, 112-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative Valdenia Winn – Excused

Representative Louis Ruiz, appointed substitute member to the committee

Committee staff present:

Dana Rooney, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant

Joanna Dolan, Legislative Research Department

Jason Long, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Kyle Hamilton, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Natalie Nelson, Legislative Research Department

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Patsy Congrove, Administrator of Charitable Gaming, Kansas Department of Revenue

Others in attendance:

[See Attached List](#)

Chairman Pauls opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

Bill introductions

Chairman Pauls called for any bill introductions from committee members.

Representative John Bradford introduced a bill in regard to tax credit for low-income students' scholarship program. Without objection the bill was introduced.

Representative Louis Ruiz introduced a bill for no hand-held devices while driving. Without objection the bill was introduced.

Chairman Pauls called for any bill introductions from the audience and recognized Representative Blake Carpenter who introduced a bill on firearm safety training. Without objection the bill was introduced.

Chairman Pauls recognized Phillip Bradley representing the Kansas Craft Brewers Guild who introduced a bill that would increase the number of barrels produced by microbreweries. Without objection the bill was introduced.

Informational briefing:

Chairman Pauls recognized Patsy Congrove, Administrator of Charitable Gaming, Kansas Department

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES of the Committee on Federal and State Affairs at 9:00 am on Wednesday, January 13, 2016 in Room 112-N of the Capitol.

of Revenue, and she briefed the committee on information on raffles and licenses in 2015. ([Attachment 1](#)) Questions were asked by Representatives Louis Ruiz, Jan Pauls, Kristey Williams, John Ewy, Don Hineman, Pete DeGraaf, Annie Tietze, James Todd, Bud Estes, and Susan Concannon.

Bill introductions

Chairman Pauls called on Representative Don Hineman who offered a conceptual bill to enable the State to make public the names of licensees of charitable raffles and bingo. Without objection the bill was introduced.

The next meeting of the Federal and State Affairs Committee is scheduled for Thursday, January 14, 2016.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.