

## MINUTES OF THE HOUSE INSURANCE COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Scott Schwab at 3:30 pm on Wednesday, March 04, 2015, 152-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative Tony Barton – Excused

Representative Steven Anthimides – Excused

Committee staff present:

Iraida Orr, Legislative Research Department

Melissa Calderwood-Renick, Legislative Research Department

David Wiese, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Diane Brian, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant

Eileen Ma, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Whitney Howard, Legislative Research Department

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Laurel Murdie, Legislative Post Audit

Others in attendance:

[See Attached List](#)

### **Presentation on: Legislative Post Audit on State's Pharmacy Benefits Management System Report**

Chairman Schwab welcomed Laurel Murdie who presented the Post Audit findings to the committee members (copy of this publication is available online). She also reviewed highlights from the report ([Attachment 1](#)), and stood for questions regarding cost and concerns over lack of transparency. Representative DeGraaf expressed appreciation to Post Audit for presenting issues in the report, but stated that there is a need for the committee or some other group of legislators to hold KDHE accountable for the items of concern that were identified. Chairman Schwab affirmed his concerns and indicated that it would be appropriate that the Social Services Budget Committee hold KDHE accountable for the findings in the post audit if they so desired.

Chairman Schwab called for approval of the Minutes for February 18th and February 23rd.

*Representative Dove moved to accept the minutes, seconded by Representative Doll. Motion carried.*

Meeting was adjourned. The next meeting is scheduled for March 11, 2015.