Approved: February 24, 2016

MINUTES OF THE SENATE UTILITIES COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Robert Olson at 9:00am on Friday, February 05, 2016, 548-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Senator Jeff Longbine – Excused

Committee staff present:

Matt Sterling, Office of Revisor of Statutes Michael Welton, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant Heather O'Hara, Legislative Research Department Natalie Nelson, Legislative Research Department Nick Myers, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Christine Aarnes - Kansas Corporation Commission (KCC) Brian Fedotin - KCC John Federico - Kansas Cable Telecommunications Association Gary Shorman - Eagle Communications

Others in attendance:

See Attached List

Chairman Olson opened the meeting and welcomed attendees.

<u>Hearing continuation on: SB346 — Telecommunications and universal service support.</u> Chairman Olson resumed the hearing.

Opposition testimony resumed by Christine Aarnes to continue testimony on behalf of KCC. (Attachment #1)

Opposition testimony by Brian Fedotin presented on behalf of KCC. (Attachment #2)

Opposition testimony by John Federico presented on behalf of Kansas Cable Association. (Attachment #3)

Opposition testimony by Gary Shorman presented on behalf of Eagle Communications. (Attachment #4)

Committee questions and comments ensued.

Chairman Olson closed the hearing on the bill.

Unless specifically noted, the individual remarks recorded herein have not been transcribed verbatim. Individual remarks as reported herein have not been submitted to the individuals appearing before the committee for editing or corrections.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES of the Committee on Utilities at 9:00am on Friday, February 05, 2016 in Room 548-S of the Capitol.

Possible	action	on	bills	previously	heard

There was no action taken on bills previously heard.

Chairman Olson adjourned the meeting at 10:45 am.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 8, 2016.

Unless specifically noted, the individual remarks recorded herein have not been transcribed verbatim. Individual remarks as reported herein have not been submitted to the individuals appearing before the committee for editing or corrections.