

Journal of the House

TWENTY-FIRST DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TOPEKA, KS, Tuesday, February 12, 2002, 11:00 a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment with Speaker Glasscock in the chair.
The roll was called with 117 members present.

Rep. DiVita, Lightner, McCreary, Judy Morrison and O'Brien were excused on verified illness.

Rep. Holmes was excused on legislative business.

Reps. Huebert and Spangler were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by guest chaplain, the Rev. John C. Thompson, senior pastor, Wesley United Methodist Church, Iola, and guest of Rep. Dreher:

Members of this House - In recognition and respect of the diversity of people and traditions that make up this body, I invite each to be in a spirit of prayer to the God of your understanding and tradition.

We thank you for the beauty of this day and for the Blessings that we have already received and enjoyed from You; for the opportunity and opportunities that You have set before us this day.

We thank you for the opportunity and responsibility to come together to represent and conduct the business of this great state of Kansas and to represent our fellow Kansans.

We pray for one another and for all in roles of leadership and service. Give to each eyes that have vision and see direction, that see the needs of the people. Give to each a mind of discernment to make decisions to best address those needs. Give a heart of love, caring, compassion and justice to each to provide for the provision of those needs, and the courage to act on those decisions for the greater good of Kansans.

Bless the work that is done in our Committees, this House, and the Senate. May it honor You and may it be a Blessing to our fellow Kansans.

And on this day of February 12th, 2002, in all of our speech, in all of our deliberations and decisions, and in all of our actions, give to each one the Heart, the Spirit, and the Wisdom of Abraham Lincoln.

I ask these things and pray in the Name of Jesus the Christ. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Dreher.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2832, An act concerning pregnancy-related instruction by certain institutions; requiring certain content of such instruction; providing remedies for violation, by Representative D. Williams.

HB 2833, An act concerning schools and school districts; relating to courses of instruction and patriotic exercises; amending K.S.A. 72-1103 and K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 72-5308 and repealing the existing sections, by Representatives Cook, Campbell, Dahl, Freeborn, Howell, Huebert, Hutchins, Huy, Landwehr, Lloyd, P. Long, Mayans, Mays, McCreary, McLeland,

Miller, Judy Morrison, Myers, Neufeld, Novascone, Osborne, Ostmeyer, Patterson, Pauls, L. Powell, T. Powell, Powers, Pyle, Toplikar, Vickrey, D. Williams.

HB 2834, An act relating to sales taxation; providing a temporary exemption therefrom for certain sales of computer equipment and services; amending K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Cook.

HB 2835, An act enacting the homeowner warranty act, by Representative Merrick.

HB 2836, An act concerning public records; relating to inspection of certain records kept by public agencies; amending K.S.A. 45-217 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Ethics and Elections.

HB 2837, An act concerning the regulation of traffic; prohibiting certain passengers on motorcycles; amending K.S.A. 8-1594 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Weber (By Request).

HB 2838, An act concerning elections; relating to primary elections; amending K.S.A. 25-210, 25-211, 25-212, 25-213a, 25-215 and 25-216 and K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 25-213 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 25-3301, by Committee on Ethics and Elections.

HB 2839, An act concerning school district financing; relating to school facilities weight-ing; amending K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 72-6407 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to committees as indicated:

Appropriations: **HB 2829**.

Education: **HB 2824**.

Environment: **HB 2830**.

Federal and State Affairs: **HB 2823**, **HB 2825**, **HB 2826**.

Higher Education: **HB 2820**, **HB 2821**, **HB 2831**.

Taxation: **HB 2827**, **HB 2828**.

Tourism: **HB 2822**.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Speaker Glasscock announced the withdrawal of **HB 2717** from Committee on Health and Human Services and referral to Committee on Appropriations.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

From Dale Brunton, Director, Division of Accounts and Reports, Department of Administration, State of Kansas Monthly Financial Perspective for December, 2001

The complete report is kept on file and open for inspection in the office of the Chief Clerk.

CONSENT CALENDAR

No objection was made to **HB 2656**, **HB 2694**, **HB 2695** appearing on the Consent Calendar for the second day.

On motion of Rep. Weber, the House went into Committee of the Whole, with Rep. Minor in the chair.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

On motion of Rep. Minor, Committee of the Whole report, as follows, was adopted:

Recommended that **HB 2663**, **HB 2680** be passed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on **Agriculture** recommends **HB 2750** be passed and, because the committee is of the opinion that the bill is of a noncontroversial nature, be placed on the consent calendar.

The Committee on **Ethics and Elections** recommends **HB 2677** be amended on page 1, in line 28, preceding "shall", by inserting "or any other bond"; also in line 28, by striking

“the” and inserting “such”; also in line 28, by striking “any one” and inserting “a”; in line 31, preceding “shall”, by inserting “or any other bond”; also in line 31, by striking “the” and inserting “such”; also in line 31, by striking “any one” and inserting “a”; and the bill be passed as amended.

The Committee on **Local Government** recommends **HB 2709** be amended on page 14, in line 26, by striking “governmental unit” and inserting “government or governmental agency or subdivision”; and the bill be passed as amended.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were thereupon introduced and read by title:

HB 2840, An act concerning gaming; relating to the use of the moneys derived therefrom; amending K.S.A. 79-4801 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Toplikar.

HB 2841, An act concerning nursing; related to volunteer services with a limited permit; amending K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 65-4921 and 75-6102 and repealing the existing sections, by Representative Benlon.

HB 2842, An act relating to criminal procedure; concerning search and administrative warrants; establishing how search and administrative warrants may be issued in violation of health, safety, building or animal cruelty laws or ordinances, by Representative Burroughs.

HB 2843, An act regulating traffic; concerning maximum speed limits for school buses; amending K.S.A. 8-1558 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Wilson (By request).

HB 2844, An act concerning interlocal cooperatives; relating to educational cooperatives, by Representatives Light and Loyd.

HB 2845, An act concerning adult care homes; relating to training of inspectors of adult care homes, by Committee on Health and Human Services.

HB 2846, An act concerning long-term care; establishing a prevention program for the improvement of the quality of long-term care services, by Committee on Health and Human Services.

HB 2847, An act concerning adult care homes; relating to informal dispute resolution; providing for an independent review panel, by Committee on Health and Human Services.

HB 2848, An act concerning the department of health and environment; relating to inconsistencies in adult care home citations, by Committee on Health and Human Services.

On motion of Rep. Weber, the House adjourned until 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, February 13, 2002.

CHARLENE SWANSON, *Journal Clerk*.

JANET E. JONES, *Chief Clerk*.

