

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Held in Room 522 S, at the Statehouse at 8:30 a.m./~~p.m.~~ on April 6, 19 78.

All members were present except: Senators Allegrucci, Burke, Everett, and Gaar

The next meeting of the Committee will be held at 4:45 ~~a.m.~~/p.m., on April 6, 19 78.

~~These minutes of the meeting held on xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx 19 xxx were considered, corrected and approved~~

  
Chairman

The conferees appearing before the Committee were:

- Representative Richard Brewster
- Tony Lopez - Kansas Civil Rights Commission
- William A. Larson - Associated General Contractors

Staff present:

- Art Griggs - Revisor of Statutes
- Jerry Stephens - Legislative Research Department
- Cynthia Burch - Legislative Research Department

House Concurrent Resolution 5062 - Administrative rules and regulations, civil rights contract compliance, rejecting K.A.R. 21-50-1 et seq. Representative Brewster appeared in support of the resolution. He provided background information to the committee. He stated that he felt that the original draft of the rules and regulations exceeded statutory authority. He stated he still has some doubts about some portions of the rules and regulations, even as amended, with regard to the statutory authority for them.

Tony Lopez testified in support of the resolution.

Will Larson testified in support of the resolution, but urged further amendments to it. He stated he feels that the statutes relating to equal employment opportunities refer to employees, and not to subcontractors. He stated that the contractors could live with the resolution in its present form, but would like to see lines 54 through 56 and lines 113 through 115 stricken.

Representative Brewster stated one issue is whether a subcontractor is an employee. Committee discussion with him followed.

Following further committee discussion, Senator Steineger moved to strike "possibilities of" in line 67 and insert in lieu thereof "evidence" and to change "are" to "is"; Senator Hess seconded the

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motion, and the motion carried. Senator Parrish moved to report the resolution favorably as amended; following further committee discussion, he withdrew his motion.

The chairman announced that the committee would meet again to take further action on the resolution upon adjournment or during a recess of the senate today.

The meeting adjourned.

These minutes were read and approved  
by the committee on 4-24-78.