

MINUTES OF THE Senate COMMITTEE ON Elections

The meeting was called to order by Senator Ronald R. Hein at  
Chairperson

1:30 ~~am~~p.m. on March 14, 1983 in room 522-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Senator Le Roy Hayden  
Senator Joseph Norvell

Committee staff present:

Myrta Anderson, Legislative Research Dept.  
Ramon Powers, Legislative Research Dept.  
*Sharon Green, Committee Secretary*

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Representative Bill Buntin  
Ms. Carol Williams, Kansas Public Disclosure Commission  
Representative Edgar Moore  
Mr. Chris McKenzie, League of Kansas Municipalities

The Chairman called the meeting to order.

Representative Bill Buntin testified in favor of HB 2043, stating that this bill would require political action parties to fully disclose who they are. Representative Buntin also stated that the amendment made on the House floor by Representative Vic Miller was to change the \$50 amount of expenditure to be reported to \$25.

Ms. Carol Williams testified in favor of HB 2043, stating that the Commission favors this measure, and that the Senate had passed a bill similar to HB 2043 last year, but it died in the House Elections Committee. She also stated that the Commission has no position on the House Committee of the Whole amendment.

Ms. Williams passed out to the committee a list of registered political action committees as of January 25, 1983. (Attachment 1) She stated that if this bill passes, the word "None" would not appear under Affiliation.

Questions were asked and a general discussion was held.

Representative Edgar Moore testified in favor of HB 2177, stating that this measure was requested by the Johnson County Election Commissioner. Representative Moore said that the Election Commissioner's printing computer will not print squares, but will print parentheses, and that the Commissioner said that this measure would have saved \$8,000 in Johnson County's last election.

Questions were asked and a general discussion was held.

Mr. Chris McKenzie testified in favor of HB 2015, and gave some background information about the bill. Mr. McKenzie stated that this measure would eliminate protest petitions being alive for indefinite periods of time by amending K.S.A. 25-3602 to require the petitions to be filed within 90 days of the date of the first signature.

Questions were asked and a general discussion was held.

Motion was made by Senator Reilly to amend HB 2043 to strike the \$25 expenditure to be reported and insert \$50, and to make a clean up amendment in line 30 of the bill. Senator Gannon seconded the motion. The motion was adopted.

Motion was made by Senator Reilly and seconded by Senator Meyers to report HB 2043 as amended favorably. The motion was adopted.

Motion was made by Senator Meyers and seconded by Senator Reilly to report HB 2177 favorably. The motion was adopted.

Motion was made by Senator Reilly to amend HB 2015 by striking Kansas register

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on line 106 and inserting statute book. Senator Talkington seconded the motion. The motion was adopted.

Motion was made by Senator Reilly and seconded by Senator Talkington to report HB 2015 as amended favorably. The motion was adopted.

Motion was made by Senator Talkington and seconded by Senator Reilly to approve the minutes of February 28, March 1, March 7 and March 8. The motion was adopted.

The meeting was adjourned by the Chairman.

The following is a list of registered political action committees as of January 25, 1983:

POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEES

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AFFILIATION</u>
Action In Politics For Electrical Contractors	Electrical Contractors Assn.
Aerial Ag. PAC	None
Agricultural Political Action Council of Kansas	Kansas Livestock Association
Agriculture Political Action Committee	American Agriculture Movement
Ambassadors Club	None
American Investors Life Employees PAC	American Investors Life Insurance Company
Ark Valley Political Action Committee	Ark Valley Uniserv School Dist.
Arkansas City Teachers PAC	Arkansas City Teachers Assn.
Auburn-Washburn NEA - PAC	National Education Assn. (NEA)
BAK Political Action Committee	Home Builders Assn. of Kansas
Black Democrats Caucus of Kansas	None
Blue Valley Teachers Association PAC	Kansas National Education Assn.
Build-PAC	Kansas City Home Builders
Building Trades PAC	Greater K.C., MO Building & Construction Trades Council KNEA
Burlington Teachers Association PAC	KNEA
Chapman Teachers Association PAC	KNEA
Charter First National Association	Officers & Directors of 1st Nat'l Bank of K.C.
Citizens Alliance For Responsible Education	KS Assoc. of School Boards
Citizens For Good Government	1st National Bank of Topeka
Citizens Political Action Committee	Security National Bank
Clearwater Teachers Association PAC	KNEA
Coalition For Affordable Housing PAC	KS Manufactured Housing Assn.
Comm. For Industrial Unions in Shawnee County	United Rubber Workers & Communication Workers
Committee For Responsible Government	Kansas Wine & Spirits Wholesalers
Committee On Political Education - AFL-CIO	State Federation of Labor
Committee On Political Education Local 307 URW	United Rubber Workers
Committee On Political Education Of Topeka & Vicinity	Various Local Unions

Concerned Christians For Better Government	None
Concerned Educators PAC	NEA of Shawnee Mission
Construction Industry PAC of Kansas	Assoc. General Contractors of KS
Consumer Credit PAC of Kansas	KS Assn. of Finance Companies
Council Grove Political Action Committee	U.S.D. #417 Teachers Assn.
Dean Operations, Inc. PAC	Dean Operations, Inc.
Democratic Action Committee	None
Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee	None
Derby E.A. PAC	Derby Education Association
Derby Refining Company PAC	Derby Refining Company
District 313 E.A. PAC	Ark Valley Uniserv
Dodge City PAC	Dodge City NEA
Doniphan County Young Republicans	None
Electric Companies Assn. of KS (ECAOK-PAC)	Electric Companies of Kansas
El Dorado NEA PAC	KNEA
Ellis Co. Citizens Against the Severance Tax	None
EN Political Action Committee	Kansas-Nebraska Natural Gas Co.
ERC Corporation Public Affairs Program	Getty Oil
Engineers PAC	KS Engineering Society
ETSI Pipeline Project Good Government Fund	None
Eureka Teachers PAC U.S.D. 389	U.S.D. #389 Teachers Association
Farmer-Labor Organization	None
Fifth District Democrat Committee	None
First District Democrats	None
Flinthills Education Association PAC	Flinthills Education Association
Fort Leavenworth Education PAC	None
Fort Scott NEA PAC	KNEA
Fund For Better Kansas Government	Kansas Soft Drink Association
Fund For Friends	Kansas Electric Cooperatives

Great Bend NEA PAC	KNEA
HallPAC	Hallmark Cards
Harper County NEA PAC	KNEA
Hays Teachers Association PAC	KNEA
Haysville Local PAC	Haysville Education Association
Hillsboro Education PAC	U.S.D. #410 Teachers Assn.
Holton NEA PAC	Holton Education Association
HOTPAC	KS Home Owners/Taxpayers of KS
Hutchinson Education Association PAC	Hutchinson Education Association
J.C. Nichols Company PAC #1	J.C. Nichols Company
J.C. Nichols Company PAC #2	J.C. Nichols Company
Jayhawk PAC	Jayhawk Teachers Association
Jefferson Co. Citizens For A Severance Tax	Individuals From Both Parties & Independents
Junction City Education Association PAC	Junction City Education Assn.
K.A.E.G. - P.A.C.	KS Association for Economic Growth
K.A.R.E.Y.	None
K.C. Power PAC	Kansas City Power & Light
KHCA-PAC	Kansas Health Care Association
KPL PAC	Kansas Power & Light
K-TEL PAC	United Telephone Companies of KS
K.U. College Republicans	Kansas Republican Party
Kansans Assisting Responsible Officials	None
Kansas Agents PAC	Kansas Independent Insurance Agents
Kansas Amoco PAC	Standard Oil of Indiana
Kansas Architects PAC	Kansas Society of Architects
Kansas Savings and Loan League PAC	KS Savings & Loan League
Kansas Automobile & Truck Dealers Interested in Government	Kansas Motor Car Dealers
Kansas Bankers Association PAC	Kansas Bankers Association
Kansas Beer Wholesalers PAC	Kansas Beer Wholesalers
Kansas Black Republican Council	None
Kansas Cable PAC	None

Kansas Chiropractic Association PAC	Kansas Chiropractic Assn.
Kansas City Kansas Better Government League	None
Kansas City Life Employees PAC	Kansas City Life Insurance
Kansas City NEA PAC	KNEA
Kansas COLEMPAC	Coleman Company
Kansas Consulting Engineers PAC	Kansas Consulting Engineers Assoc.
Kansas Credit Union Legislative Action Comm.	Kansas Credit Union League
Kansas Democratic Legislative Campaign Comm.	None
Kansas Dental PAC	Kansas Dental Association
Kansas Economic Education Political Club	Martin Tractor Company
Kansas Energy Producers PAC	Donald Slawson, Oil Producer
KGE-PAC	Kansas Gas & Electric
Kansas HY-PAC	KS Dental Hygienists Assn.
Kansas Independent Bankers Association PAC	KS Independent Bankers Assn.
Kansas Insurance PAC	None
Kansas Life Underwriters PAC	Association of Life Underwriters
Kansas Medical PAC	Kansas Medical Association
Kansas NARAL PAC	KS Nat'l Abortion Rights Action League
Kansas Optometric PAC	Kansas Optometric Association
Kansas Political Action Committee	KNEA
Kansas Realtors PAC	Kansas Realtors Association
Kansas Sierra Club COPE	Sierra Club
Kansas Society of CPA's PAC	Kansas Society of CPA's
Kansas State Council PAC	20 Various Local Lodges
Kansas State Auto Workers PAC	United Auto Workers Local #31
Kansas Women's Political Caucus PAC	Kansas Women's Political Caucus
Kansas Young Republicans	Kansas Republican Party
Kaw Valley PAC	Kaw Valley Uniserv
Lakeland Unipac	KNEA
Latin American Democrat Club of Kansas City	None

Lawrence Central Labor Council	Building Trade Local Unions & Some CIO Local Unions
Lawrence PAC	Lawrence Education Association
Lawyers Encouraging The Advancement Of Good Government	Kansas Trial Lawyers
Leavenworth City Teachers Association PAC	Same
Lifepax PAC	None
Local 5-241 State & Local PAC	O.C.A.W.I.U.
Local Union 363	Kansas Pipe Trades
Local Union #558 Executive Board	Internat'l Brotherhood of Painters
M.N.P.L. District 70	Machinists Non-partisan Local Lodge
M.N.P.L. District 70 Free Money	Machinists Non-partisan Local Lodge
MWG-PAC	United Telephone Company
Manhattan PAC	Manhattan Unified Educator's Assn.
Marion-Florence E.A. PAC	Marion-Florence Educator's Assn.
Marion Laboratories, Inc. PAC	Marion Laboratories, Inc.
Marley PAC	Marley Corporation
McPherson Teachers PAC	McPherson Teachers Association
Medical Society of Sedgwick Co. PAC	Medical Society of Sedgwick Co.
Mid-America Committee For Sound Government	None
Mid-County Democratic Club	None
Nemaha Valley Teachers Association PAC	Nemaha Valley Teachers Assn.
Newton Area PAC	None
Newton PAC	Newton National Education Assn.
Northwest Johnson Co. Democratic Club	None
Northwest Kansas Uni-PAC	KNEA
Opticians Association of Kansas PAC	Kansas Assn. of Opticians
Ottawa Education Association PAC	Ottawa Education Association
Overland Park Republican Committee	Johnson Co. Rep. Central Comm.
Political Action Council of Kansas	KS Assn. of Commerce & Industry
Post Rock Uniserv PAC	Kansas Political Action Committee

Pratt Higher Education Association PAC	Ark Valley Uniserv District
Progressive Democratic Quorum	None
Remington PAC	Remington Education Association
Reno County Cope	Hutchinson Central Labor Union
Reno County Democratic Club	None
Republicans For A Change	None
Retail Grocers Assn. of Greater K.C. PAC	Greater K.C. Retail Grocers Assn.
Rooks County Citizens Against the Severance Tax	None
Rose Hill Teachers Association PAC	Rose Hill Teachers Assn.
Salina NEA PAC	KNEA
Santa Fe Industries Public Affairs Council	Santa Fe Employees
Second District American Party of Kansas	American Party of Kansas
Second District Democrat Committee of Kansas	State Democratic Party
Sedgwick County Democrat Club	None
Sedgwick County Democrat Legislators	None
Shawnee County Democrat Legislative Committee	None
Shawnee County Libertarians	Kansas Libertarian Party
Sheet Metal Workers Local #29 PAC	Sheet Metal Workers Local #29
Smokey Valley Education Association PAC	KNEA
South Central Kansas PAC	KNEA
South Sedgwick County Democratic Club	None
Southeast of Saline PAC	KNEA
Southern Johnson County Democratic Club	None
Southside Democrat Club of K.C.	None
Southside Women of Wyandotte County	None
Southwestern Bell Employee PAC	Southwestern Bell Telephone Company
Spring Hill Teachers Association PAC	KNEA
Sunflower PAC	KNEA
TEAM PAC	State Democrat Committee



Teamsters Union Local #795 - Committee For Drive	National Drive
Teamsters Union Local #795 Legislative & Education Fund	National Drive
Topeka Home Builders PAC	Topeka Home Builders Assn.
Topeka NEA PAC	Kansas National Education Assn.
Transportation Political Education League	United Transportation Union
Truck PAC	Kansas Motor Carriers Assn.
UD 114 PAC	Uniserv District 114
UNIPAC 16	KNEA
USE-PAC	Kansas Political Action Committee
Washburn University College Republicans	None
West Side Democrat Club	None
Wichita Area Business PAC	Wichita Chamber of Commerce
Wichita Area COPE AFL-CIO	Wichita Labor Federation
Wichita Home Builders PAC	Wichita Home Builders
Wichita PAC	KNEA
Winfield NEA PAC	KNEA
Wyandotte Civic Investment Group	None