

Approved March 7, 1983
Date

MINUTES OF THE Senate COMMITTEE ON Local Government

The meeting was called to order by Senator Gaar at
Chairperson

9:00 a.m./p.m. on March 3, 1983 in room 531-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senators Gaines, Mulich and Winter, who were excused.

Committee staff present: Mike Heim, Emalene Correll, Theresa Kiernan, Joan Mullins

Conferees appearing before the committee: Senator Paul Hess
Mayor Albert Kirk, Wichita, Kansas
Ernie Mosher, League of Kansas Municipalities
Louanna Honeycutt, Public Information Officer,
Sedgwick County, Kansas

Senator Gaar opened the hearing on S.B. 240, which would prohibit a territory from incorporating without approval of the city adjacent to such territory, if the territory is annexable by the city or served by any of its utilities. Senator Hess informed the committee that he had introduced the bill at the request of the City of Wichita. Mayor Kirk, on behalf of the City Commission of Wichita, and Mr. Mosher spoke in support of the bill. Ms. Honeycutt, on behalf of Sedgwick County, appeared in opposition to the bill.

Senator Gaar presented and the committee discussed proposed amendments to S.B. 265, concerning bond registration in compliance with federal law.

Senator Allen moved to approve the minutes of both meetings held on March 2, 1983. Senator Bogina seconded the motion and it carried.

The meeting was adjourned to March 7, 1983.

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