

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK

The meeting was called to order by Representative Bill Fuller at \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson

9:00 a.m. ~~PM~~ on March 2, \_\_\_\_\_, 1984 in room 423-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Committee staff present:

Raney Gilliland, Legislative Research Department  
Norman Furse, Revisor of Statutes Office  
Kathleen Moss, committee secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Chairman Fuller informed the committee that it would meet after adjournment of the House today.

Chairman Fuller asked for the committee discussion and action on powers for brand investigators. A balloon was handed out yesterday suggesting changes to include the word "special" before investigators.

After considerable discussion, Rep. Shelor moved to table HB 3056. The motion died for lack of a second.

Rep. Johnson moved to adopt the amendments that were presented in testimony yesterday. Staff was asked if adding "special investigator" in one section would create a problem and staff said it would not. The motion was seconded by Rep. Apt and motion carried.

Rep. Johnson moved to report HB 3056 favorably as amended. The motion was seconded by Rep. Polson.

There was discussion on the hours of training for investigators. Staff explained that the bill required only fire arms training and would not require the total law enforcement training. There was also questions of whether or not this would include any other crimes and it was pointed out that their powers would be limited to live-stock thefts or livestock areas only.

HB 3056 carried by voice vote.

Chairman Fuller requested discussion on the package of bills concerning research and market development at K-State and the position of Agriculture Market Analyst at the State Board of Agriculture, HB 2971 by Rep. Polson and HB's 3006 and 3007 by the Agriculture Committee.

Chairman Fuller distributed an amendment to HB 3006, Attachment No. 1 and explained the two changes.

Rep. Buehler moved the amendments be adopted on HB 3006. Rep. Niles seconded the motion and motion carried.

Rep. Polson distributed an amendment on HB 3006. He said it added meaningful language from his proposal HB 2971 and moved its acceptance. Rep. Shelor seconded the bill saying he felt this is a valuable piece of legislation. The motion carried. See Attachment No. 2.

CONTINUATION SHEET

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room 423-S, Statehouse, at 9:00 a.m./~~p.m.~~ on March 2, 1984

Rep. Niles moved to pass HB 3006 favorably as amended. The motion was seconded by Rep. Shelor and motion carried.

Chairman Fuller distributed an amendment to HB 3007, which is the appropriations bill. See Attachment No. 3. Chairman Fuller explained the amendments would make HB 3007 consistent with HB 3006.

Rep. Apt moved to accept the amendments as provided in the balloon. Rep. Eckert seconded the motion and motion carried.

Rep. Polson Moved to report HB 3007 favorably as amended. The motion was seconded by Rep. Johnson and motion carried.

Chairman Fuller informed the committee he had promised Rep. Leach he would allow 30 additional minutes to industry people on the dairy labeling bill.

Chairman Fuller introduced Jack Greenwell, Manager of the Mid-America Dairymen, Inc., to give further testimony concerning the dairy issues. Mr. Greenwell said they are in agreement to accept HB 3055. He feels the bill is necessary in Kansas. Dairy products are coming into Kansas that have never been here before. A lot of them are "look alike" products and the average consumer will not look at the label. He felt the word "imitation" was better to use than "artificial" but would not argue over it.

There were several questions and discussion on the words, imitation and artificial.

Rep. Solbach moved to **replace** the word "artificial" with "imitation" throughout HB #3055. Rep. Hamm seconded the motion. After more discussion, the amendment was voted on and carried.

Chairman Fuller expressed extreme disappointment in the dairy industry not being adequately involved in the hearings and development of the legislation. Meetings with the Board of Agriculture started back in 1982 and there have been several subsequent meetings plus a conference telephone call with nine people. Another approach would be to table this bill and the Chairman would recommend it for interim study. He would be hesitant to pass a bill that might have enforcement problems and had not been adequately worked by the committee.

There was further discussion concerning whether Section 3 should have a criminal penalty.

Rep. Teagarden moved to pass HB 3055 favorably as amended. The motion was seconded by Rep. Solbach. The motion carried by 11 for the bill and 8 opposed.

Chairman Fuller reminded the committee they will convene later today and adjourned the meeting at 10:02 a.m. The next meeting will be after house adjournment on March 2, 1984, in Room 423-S.

# HOUSE BILL No. 3006

By Committee on Agriculture and Livestock

2-14

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0017 marketing and product development research; prescribing  
0018 powers and duties for Kansas state university.

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0020 Section 1. In addition to other research, Kansas state uni-  
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0022 research for the purposes of developing wheat markets and  
0023 products in areas other than foodstuffs and feedstuffs, research  
0024 with alternate crops, research on ARKAN[wheat] and research on  
0025 feed wheats.

grading and classification standards and procedures of  
and other milling wheats

0026 Sec. 2. The president of Kansas state university shall report  
0027 to the governor and to the legislature on or before January 15  
0028 each year any developments involving the research conducted  
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0030 product development and alternate crops and such other matters  
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including soft red winter wheat, hard red winter  
wheat, hard white winter wheat, soft white  
winter wheat, forage wheats or other applicable  
varieties

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# HOUSE BILL No. 3007

By Committee on Agriculture and Livestock

2-14

0016 AN ACT making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal  
0017 year ending June 30, 1985, for Kansas state university and  
0018 state board of agriculture; authorizing certain transfers, im-  
0019 posing certain restrictions and limitations, and directing or  
0020 authorizing certain disbursements and acts incidental to the  
0021 foregoing.

0022 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

0023 Section 1. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1985, appro-  
0024 priations are hereby made, restrictions and limitations are  
0025 hereby imposed, and transfers, disbursements and acts inciden-  
0026 tal to the foregoing are hereby directed or authorized as provided  
0027 in this act.

0028 Sec. 2.

0029 **KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**

0031 (a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state  
0032 general fund the following:

0033	Wheat nonfoodstuff and nonfeedstuff market and product develop-	
0034	ment research .....	\$100,000
0036	Colby experimental station — accelerated research with alternate	
0037	crops .....	50,000
0039	Fort Hays experimental station — accelerated research with alter-	
0040	nate crops .....	50,000
0042	Extension service — distribution and dissemination of alternate	
0043	crop production reports .....	50,000
0045	Research on ARKAN[wheat] .....	100,000
0047	Research on feed wheats .....	100,000
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0051	Total .....	\$450,000

and other milling wheats
Provided, That this research shall be conducted to insure the correct classification and grading of all milling wheats.

0053 (b) There is appropriated for the above agency from the  
0054 following special revenue fund all moneys now or hereafter  
0055 lawfully credited to and available in such fund, except that  
0056 expenditures shall not exceed the following:

0057	Wheat nonfoodstuff and nonfeedstuff market and product develop-	
0058	ment fund .....	\$50,000

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