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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE

The meeting was called to order by Marvin Littlejohn at _____
Chairperson

1:30 / pm on January 25, 1984 in room 423-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Rep. Cribbs, excused

Committee staff present:

Emalene Correll, Research
Bill Wolff, Research
Sue Hill, Secy. to Committee

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Elizabeth Carlson, Executive Director of Board of Healing Arts
Representative Leary Johnson, 118th District
Jerry Slaughter, Kansas Medical Society
Carl Schmitthenner, Jr., Kansas Dental Association

Attachment No. 1., visitor's register.

Chairman called meeting to order and called committee's attention to a request for a bill to remove the drug Loperamide (Imodium) from the controlled substances act. After some background to committee, a motion to introduce this bill was made by Rep. Friedeman, seconded by Rep. Roenbaugh, motion carried.

Chair then introduced Ms. Elizabeth Carlson. She spoke to the issues of clean-up items on the Board of Healing Arts. She would like for the legislature to consider taking out issuing a temporary permit when a person has applied for examination. The Board of Healing Arts wishes to have "by examination" taken out. She stated this is a problem for both sides when someone purchases a lot of equipment, then fails the exam and cannot practice. It will take pressure off the Board, and also off the towns where this occurs. Rep. Niles moved we request this bill to extending temporary licenses, seconded by Rep. Green, motion passed.

A second request by Ms. Carlson in regard to K.S.A. 19-2226, 19-2227, 19-2229, that any physician register their license with the County Clerk in cities of 125,000 people. The board feels these statutes should be up-dated, if not taken out. Motion made to draft a bill to request repeal of these sections was made by Rep. Green, seconded by Rep. Walker, motion carried.

Staff review of HB 2683 for committee.

HB 2683 Hearings:

Rep. Leary Johnson who introduced this bill by request, spoke to committee in regard to a dentist who has requested this bill. Rep. Johnson then answered questions from committee, i.e., a rural area dentist might have need to perform in this dual role more than a dentist in an urban area, how many currently practicing in this dual role, etc.

Jerry Slaughter, Kansas Medical Society spoke in opposition to HB 2683, stating there are inequities in requirements if a dentist would be permitted to administer anesthetics without the full value of the training required by physicians, and his Association is strongly against passage of HB 2683. Discussion followed in regard to nurse/anethetist's must work with a doctor's supervision, and a dentist in this same capacity would be working independently. Further, that the medical schools have halted their training program was of interest. Mr. Slaughter stated

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they feel that physicians are better trained than dentists would be for administering anethetics for medical purposes.

Carl Schmitthenner of Kansas Dental Society then spoke to committee in that his Association is maintaining a neutral position on this issue, and further, they do support those who have already been through the K.U. and Med. Center program, but this program has been discontinued, and supports the current statutes now on the books. Some further questions were addressed.

Hearings on HB 2683 closed.

Rep. Niles was asked to give an up-date on HB 2143. She distributed copies of a letter from Kansas State Board of Nursing, (See Attachment No. 2.), for details. She stated that Dr. Scibetta had offered to answer questions for committee and was available for any help that might be required of her in this matter. Rep. Niles read from the attachment the concensus the two committees had reached that was detailed in the letter from Dr. Scibetta, and an update on the meetings that had been held between the Board of Nursing and the Board of Education. Rep. Niles said she feels these are worthy objectives and is certainly satisfied that progress on communication between these two groups has been made.

Chair stated he and Rep. Niles had discussed committee action on this bill, and agreed to inform committee perhaps it would be advisable to hold HB 2683 in committee in order to continue to monitor the situation. It was the consensus of the committee, after some discussion, to let the bill remain in committee.

Meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

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January 24, 1984

The Honorable Anita Niles
Representative, District 17
Room 278 West, State House
Topeka, Kansas 66612

RE: H.B. 2143 - Progress Work of
Committee, Board of Nursing/
Department of Education

Guilford
Dear Representative Niles:

Enjoyed our brief meeting last week, and I am happy to comply with your request for a "progress report" of our committee activities, for you to share with the House Public Health and Welfare Committee.

I am enclosing a copy of my last report dated November 21, 1983 to Chairman Marvin Littlejohn for your information. Since that time we met again on January 5, 1984 in Salina and accomplished a great deal. We have tried to set appropriate agendas and a logical time frame in which to accomplish our objectives.

The Committee did reach general concensus on the following:

- 1) KSBN and KSDE should utilize one evaluation document and perform joint site visits to decrease duplication of efforts.
- 2) The evaluation cycle should be on a five-year basis, since this time frame is mandated by federal law, and must be adhered to by KSDE. (KSBN is presently on a four-year cycle.)
- 3) Representatives from both KSBN and KSDE will serve as members on site visit teams. (KSBN regulations stipulate that a nurse must perform evaluations; KSDE does not.)
- 4) Annual reports will be filed with both agencies, utilizing a reporting format which satisfies the needs of both agencies. (KSBN requires that annual reports be filed; KSDE does not, at present, require them; however anticipated new legislation will mandate such reports.)
- 5) Measurable objectives should be used to evaluate programs.

*Attn: # 2
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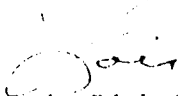
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Additionally, the Committee agreed that one report form be used. We are still working on a modification of the evaluation forms at this time.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 22, 1984 in Topeka. Hope this information will prove helpful to you. Please let me know if I may be of further assistance.

With best personal regards.

Sincerely,



Lois Rich Scibetta, Ph.D., R.N.
Executive Administrator

LRS/amm

Enclosure

CC: Dr. Catherine Junge
Representative Marvin Littlejohn



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TO: The Honorable Marvin Littlejohn, Chairman of the House Public Health and Welfare Committee

FROM: *L. R. Schibetta*
Dr. Lois Rich Schibetta
Executive Administrator

RE: Update on Communication Between the Board of Nursing-Board of Education (HB 2143 L.1983, tabled)

DATE: November 21, 1983

Our group consists of representatives from the Department of Education, the vocational technical schools, community colleges, and the President, the Executive and staff of the Board of Nursing.

To date, three meetings have been held, two in Topeka and one in Manhattan. The next meeting is scheduled for January 5, 1984 in Salina. We have made progress.

When the group first met, they outlined the tasks before them which were as follows:

1. Discussion will be held by the Board of Nursing regarding change to a five year cycle.
2. Explore consideration of joint visits by the Kansas State Board of Nursing and Kansas State Department of Education representatives.
3. Consider use of a Kansas State Board of Nursing representative as the evaluator of a Practical Nursing or Associate Degree Nursing program in a Kansas State Department of Education evaluation.
4. Consider drafting an interim report to the legislature, e.g., Representative Anita Niles.
5. Consider development of an "Exit Summary of the Evaluation".
6. Define the personnel involved in the exit interviews.

The purpose of the group is as follows:

1. Open a dialogue between the two agencies and local school representatives.
2. Be more efficient in carrying out the agencies' responsibilities without duplication of effort.
3. Respond to the legislative concern regarding a lack of communication between the Kansas State Board of Nursing and the Kansas State Department of Education.

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4. An effort to solve concerns among the parties involved rather than have solutions imposed by outside groups.
5. Foster interaction between instructors and administrators.

We are attempting to review several accreditation/evaluation documents in order to avoid any duplication of effort.

We will keep you advised of our on-going progress. We appreciate the role which your Committee played in getting our group started.

With best personal regards. Hope to see you at the Capitol soon.

LRS/amm

CC: The Honorable Anita Niles
Dr. Catherine Gunge, Chairperson, Ad Hoc Committee