

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE

The meeting was called to order by Senator Jan Meyers at
Chairperson

10 a.m. ~~p.m.~~ on March 29, 1984 in room 526-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Senator Francisco, absent

Committee staff present:

Emalene Correll, Legislative Research Department
Norman Furse, Revisor of Statutes office

Conferees appearing before the committee:

None

Others present: see attached list

Senator Meyers announced that four new bills had been referred to this committee and asked the committee to turn its attention to HB 3106.

HB 3106 - authorizing Hospital District #1, Linn and Bourbon Counties, to borrow money to build an addition on an existing home for aged

Norman Furse, Revisor of Statutes office, reviewed the bill for the committee.

Senator Hayden moved that HB 3106 be reported favorably. Senator Ehrlich seconded the motion and it carried.

HB 2697 - Criteria for admission of persons to state institutions for the mentally retarded

Emalene Correll, Legislative Research Department, reviewed the bill.

Senator Chaney moved that HB 2697 be reported favorably. Senator Hayden seconded the motion and it carried.

SB 866 - concerning cities and counties; relating to Kansas retailers' sales tax

Emalene Correll reviewed the bill for the committee.

Senator Chaney moved that SB 866 be reported favorably. Senator Morris seconded the motion and it carried.

Sub. HB 2098 - Restricting advertising by other than licensed child placing agency

Norman Furse suggested that Section 1(1) be limited to adoption and that Line 41 be amended by adding after the word "law" the words "or Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services".

Senator Johnston moved that the amendments suggested by Mr. Furse be adopted. Senator Chaney seconded the motion and it carried.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE,
room 526-S, Statehouse, at 10 a.m. ~~p.m.~~ on March 29, 1984

Senator Chaney moved that Sub. H. B. 2098 be reported favorably, as amended. Senator Johnston seconded the motion and it carried.

HB 2893 - Kansas Commission for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired, continuation of its existence, duties and fees

Norman Furse distributed the fiscal note on HB 2893 and explained it to the committee. (Attachment #1). The only thing not funded by fees would be the tele-communication equipment. Sharon Cook, Kansas Commission for the Hearing Impaired, SRS, stated that this would cost approximately \$14,000, and \$5,000 of this would be a one-time payment.

Senator Chaney called for his motion made yesterday, to report HB 2893 favorably, as amended. The motion had been seconded by Senator Johnston. The motion carried.

HB 2695 - Licensing of boarding homes for children and family day care centers; prevention of child abuse

Senator Johnston moved that HB 2695 be reported favorably. Senator Chaney seconded the motion and it carried.

HB 3047 - Code for care of children; providing for information retrieval system and protective custody

It was decided to hold this bill in committee and take it up next year.

Sub. HB 2997 - Increase in funding for family and children trust fund

Emalene Correll reviewed HB 2997 for the committee, and said that the bill in this form has not had a public hearing. Dr. Hollowell, DH&E, stated that his department does not have a position on the bill at this time.

Senator Johnston moved that Sub. HB 2997 be reported adversely. Senator Chaney seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Senator Gordon moved that the minutes of March 28, 1984, be approved. Senator Morris seconded the motion and it carried.

The meeting was adjourned.

SENATE
PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE

DATE 3-29-84

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The Honorable Marvin Littlejohn, Chairperson
Committee on Public Health and Welfare
House of Representatives
Third Floor, Statehouse

Dear Representative Littlejohn:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for House Bill No. 2893 by Committee
on Public Health and Welfare

In accordance with K.S.A. 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning House Bill No. 2893 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

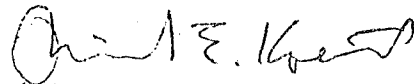
House Bill No. 2893 amends existing law to extend the sunset date for the Kansas Commission for the Hearing Impaired from July 1, 1984 to July 1, 1992. In addition the bill amends the name of the Commission from the Kansas Commission for the Hearing Impaired to The Kansas Commission for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired. The bill authorizes the Kansas Commission for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired to fix, charge and collect reasonable fees for providing interpreter services and sign language instruction.

The Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services estimates that the provisions of House Bill No. 2893 will require additional expenditures of \$67,416 in FY 1985. The 1985 Governor's Budget Report includes funds to finance the operation of the Kansas Commission for the Hearing Impaired in FY 1985. The previously listed amount would be for the additional duties assigned to the Commission by House Bill No. 2893. The expenditures of \$67,416, would finance the services of one classified clerk typist II position and three full equivalent unclassified positions to act as interpreters and instructors of the use of sign language.

House Bill No. 2893 authorizes the Commission to establish reasonable fees for providing interpreter services and sign language instruction. Such fees would be collected by the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services and deposited to the Social Welfare Fund. Such receipts should be in an amount adequate to cover the expenditures required by House Bill No. 2893. In summary, the 1985 Governor's Budget Report includes

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\$50,478 and two positions to continue the Kansas Commission for the Hearing Impaired through FY 1985. House Bill No. 2893 would add additional expenditures of \$67,416 to the amounts contained in the 1985 Governor's Budget Report and such additional expenditures would be financed through fees collected by the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services.



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