

MINUTES OF THE Senate COMMITTEE ON Governmental Organization

The meeting was called to order by Senator Vidricksen at
Chairperson

1:30 a.m./p.m. on March 19, 1985 in room 531-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Senator Winter
Senator Bogina
Senator Johnson

Committee staff present:

Julian Efird - Research
Bruce Kinzie - Revisor

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Art Griggs - Chief Attorney, Department of Administration
Nick Roach - Director of Purchases, Department of Administration
Kenneth M. Wilke - Chief Counsel, Board of Agriculture
Eldon Fastrup - Director of Marketing, Board of Agriculture
Harry Salisbury - Board of Agriculture

The Chairman called the meeting to order and introduced Art Griggs who explained HB 2129 which establishes a state surplus property program. He stated that the Department of Administration now administers the Federal surplus property program and this bill would permit a similar program for the State of Kansas. Mr. Griggs passed out a balloon version of HB 2129 which contained an Amendment that provides that the director of purchases may sell state surplus property to the general public by advertised public auction or advertised sealed bids. (Exhibit A) The bill also provides for net proceeds to be credited to the fee fund of the agency disposing of the property. Nick Roach then answered questions from the Committee concerning HB 2129.

No one appeared to testify on HB 2279 which would require state agencies to have certain information on every official letter, form or written communication issued from their agency.

Ken Wilkie then reviewed HB 2472 which would permit the Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture to negotiate and enter into contracts for professional services for the Division of Marketing. He indicated that this was mainly a cleanup bill which was needed with the increase in activities in the area of market development. Senator Francisco asked about our relationship with China and Eldon Fastrup gave a brief overview explaining the need for educational trips to China, we need to impart technology to help promote the sale of our products. Harry Salisbury indicated that all the businessmen that traveled to China paid their own way.

Senator Strick moved that HB 2472 be reported favorably for passage. This was seconded by Senator Gaines. Motion carried.

After further discussion, a motion was made by Senator Francisco to adopt the Amendment to HB 2129. The motion was seconded by Senator Frey. Motion passed. Senator Strick then made a motion that HB 2129 as amended be reported favorably for passage. This was seconded by Senator Francisco, motion passed.

After a short explanation and discussion, Senator Frey moved that HB 2279 be reported favorable for passage. Senator Gaines seconded the motion and it passed.

A motion to approve the minutes of the March 18 meeting was made by Senator Strick and seconded by Senator Hoferer. Motion carried.

The meeting was then adjourned by the Chairman.

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COMMITTEE: Senate Governmental Organization

DATE: March 19, 1985

NAME	ADDRESS	COMPANY/ORGANIZATION
Nick Roach	ST. OFF. BLDG.	Division of Purchases
Kenneth M. Wilke	109 SW 9th St	Board of Agriculture
Phil Anderson	TOPEKA	BUDGET DIV.
Elton R. Festing	Topeka	Board of Agriculture
Harry Salisbury	Topeka	Board of Agriculture

HOUSE BILL No. 2129

By Committee on Ways and Means

1-31

0018 AN ACT establishing a state surplus property program; pre-
0019 scribing powers, duties and functions relating thereto; dispo-
0020 sition of revenues.

0021 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

0022 Section 1. The director of purchases shall establish a state
0023 surplus property program. Except as otherwise provided by rules
0024 and regulations adopted by the secretary of administration, the
0025 individuals and entities within this state that are authorized to
0026 participate in the federal surplus property program pursuant to
0027 the federal property and administrative services act of 1949, and
0028 amendments thereto, shall be eligible to participate in the state
0029 surplus property program.

0030 Sec. 2. (a) Subject to such limitations as the secretary of
0031 administration may prescribe, the director of purchases may
0032 dispose of surplus state property [to individuals and entities
0033 eligible for participation in the federal surplus property pro-
0034 gram,] by:

0035 (1) Sale at fixed prices,

0036 (2) by sale at negotiated prices, or

0037 (3) by advertised public auction or advertised sealed bids.

0038 ~~(b)~~ Sales of surplus state property shall not be subject to the
0039 provisions of K.S.A. 75-3739 and amendments thereto.

0040 Sec. 3. (a) Subject to such limitations as the secretary of
0041 administration may prescribe, the director of purchases is hereby
0042 authorized to do the following for the purposes of establishing
0043 and operating the state surplus property program:

0044 (1) Enter into contracts with state, local and federal agencies
0045 and private individuals and entities [eligible for participation in

(b) Subject to such limitations as the secretary of administration may prescribe, the director of purchases may sell state surplus property to the general public by advertised public auction or advertised sealed bids.

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