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MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & NATURAL RESOURCES

The meeting was called to order by Senator Werts at  
Chairperson

8:00 a.m./~~p.m.~~ on February 13, 1986 in room 123-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Committee staff present:

Ramon Powers - Research  
 Don Hayward - Revisor  
 Nancy Jones - Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

A motion was made by Senator Thiessen, seconded by Senator Martin that minutes of the February 12, 1986 meeting be approved. Motion carried.

SB 487 - Concerning Public Water Supply Systems

Senator Werts stated one notable factor in the bill, is the requirement to obtain a new permit every five years by Public Water Supply Systems. Ramon Powers stated that all systems larger than 10 units or 20 people are regulated. Expected cost to local units of governments was discussed and for small towns it should be very little while for larger cities it is variable. Senator Kerr questioned whether sufficient information has been given to the committee on the cost share factors involved in some of the bills the committee has been considering and it was never explained if it is applicable to this bill. In further discussion Ramon Powers reviewed the strategy of the Environmental Protection Plan as it relates to the protection of water supplies and also said the standards of tolerance for contamination or hazardous materials are established by the KDHE. He further stated there is no cost share factor considered with this bill. In answer to questions from the committee members, Mr. Powers explained how the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act relates to the Protection Plan and also this bill. He also stated that the intention of the Water Authority is to introduce legislation each year as an ongoing process for implementation of the Kansas Water Plan.

A motion was made by Senator Feleciano to recommend favorably, seconded by Senator Martin.

Senator Hayden made a substitute conceptual motion that public water supplies be defined as serving no less than 300 persons.

Members of the committee further discussed the definition of "unit" as applies in this bill and Don Hayward cited KSA 65-162a. He also suggested a subsection could be written stating no environmental protection plan shall be required for any system serving fewer than 300 persons.

As there was no second for the substitute conceptual motion by Senator Hayden, it was withdrawn.

The motion to recommend SB 487 favorably carried. Senator Hayden requested that his no vote be recorded.

SB 497 - Relating to the hunting of certain animals

Referral was made to the amendatory language in this bill as proposed by the Fish & Game Commission (Attachment A). With this amendment, a lower fee would be charged to resident and non-resident landowners.

A motion was made by Senator Daniels to adopt the proposed amendment, seconded by Senator Kerr. Motion carried.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & NATURAL RESOURCES,  
room 123-S, Statehouse, at 8:00 a.m./p.m. on February 13, 1986.

Senator Werts suggested amending the bill on line 203 with the addition of the following language: "Any person violating any provision of this paragraph shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in an amount not less than \$25 and not more than \$100." (Attachment B).

Motion was made by Senator Kerr to adopt the proposed amendment, seconded by Senator Daniels. Motion carried.

Senator Feleciano observed it does not make sense for out of state resident landowners to receive hunting permits when 4,000 residents of Kansas are denied permits each year. He further suggested striking non-resident landowner from the language of the bill. Senator Daniels expressed the view that most non-resident landowners are paying taxes on 500 to 5,00 acres of land rather than a minimum of 85 acres and they are providing for residents who are not landowners and to ignore them does not seem equitable. Senator Kerr expressed concern for citizens of adjoining states being landowners in Kansas and unable to hunt on their property, and no such law exists in adjoining states for Kansans owning property in such states.

Senator Feleciano made a motion to revert to existing language in the law. Seconded by Senator Hayden. The intent of the motion is to eliminate non-residents from purchasing permits. Motion failed.

Senator Martin moved that non-resident landowners receive permits after all residents of Kansas, landowners and non-landowners, have requested permits, fees to be the same for all three categories, and non-resident landowners can hunt in units other than those in which land is owned. Seconded by Senator Kerr.

After further discussion on this motion, Senator Kerr withdrew his second. Motion was withdrawn.

Motion was made by Senator Gordon to recommend SB 497 favorably, seconded by Senator Kerr. Motion carried. Senators Martin and Feleciano requested their "no" vote be recorded.

Meeting adjourned. The next meeting will be February 18, 1986.

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# Guest List

~~Ed~~ Reimert

Randy Burison

Rich McKee

MIKE BEAM

Frank Wilkum

AS League & Voters

Empire Electric Columbus

K. L. A.

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Girl Scout Councils

Proposed Amendment to SB 497

On page 4, in line 150, after "permits" by inserting "issued to landowners or tenants"

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Any person violating any provision of this paragraph shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in an amount not less \$25. and not more than \$100.00

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