

Approved March 17, 1986  
Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE & CONGRESSIONAL APPORTIONMENT

The meeting was called to order by Senator Eric Yost at  
Chairperson

3:30 ~~xxx~~/p.m. on March 3, 1986 in room 529-S of the Capitol.

Attendance of Members:

Members present:

Members absent:

Sen. Eric Yost (Chairman)  
Sen. Neil Arasmith  
(Vice-chairman)  
Sen. Bud Burke  
Sen. Richard Gannon  
Sen. Fred Kerr

Sen. Don Montgomery  
Sen. Alicia Salisbury  
Sen. Jack Steineger

Sen. James Francisco  
Sen. Mike Johnston  
Sen. Dan Thiessen

Committee staff present:

Arden Ensley, Revisor of Statutes  
Russ Mills, Legislative Research Department  
Marty Robison, Secretary to the Committee

~~CONFERENCE APPEARING BEFORE THE COMMITTEE~~

The Committee held its hearing on Senate Bill 576, which would implement a State Census in Kansas. The Revisor of Statutes, Arden Ensley, explained the bill section by section. After he was finished, Chairman Yost asked if there was anyone who wanted to testify for or against SB 576. No one desired to do so.

Chairman Yost then pointed out that implementing a State Census would be very complicated, and that he thought there should be an interim study to consider the problems involved with such a census. The Chairman also indicated that if this issue were to be studied in 1986, there would still be time, during the Session of 1987, to pass legislation in time to implement a State Census.

Senator Gannon made a motion that the Chairman draft a letter to the President of the Senate recommending an interim study for this issue. Senator Steineger seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Senator Burke moved the minutes of the February 5th meeting be approved as amended. The motion was seconded by Senator Arasmith and passed.

Chairman Yost adjourned the committee meeting at 4:00 p.m.