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MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

The meeting was called to order by Senator Don Montgomery at
Chairperson

9:09 a.m./~~p.m.~~ on February 24, 1987 room 531-Nof of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senators: Bogina, Ehrlich and Gaines

Committee staff present: Mike Heim, Theresa Kiernan, Emalene Correll and
Lila McClaflin

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Representative Martha Jenkins, 42 District, Leavenworth, Ks.
Fred Logan, Johnson County Library, Prairie Village, Ks.

H.B. 2055 - relating to the powers and duties of a jointly established water district in Leavenworth County.

Representative Jenkins, sponsor of the bill, stated the intent is to clarify the powers and responsibilities of the joint water district and its board members. The legislation would effect the water district of the City of Lansing and Delaware township in Leavenworth County.

Committee discussion followed.

Senator Winter moved to amend H.B. 2055 on line 302, by inserting a period after district and striking the following language, "as hereinafter provided;". The motion was seconded by Senator Daniels. The motion carried.

Senator Allen moved to pass as amended H.B. 2055. The motion was seconded by Senator Winter. The motion carried.

S.B. 249 - concerning libraries in certain counties; relating to tax levies and the issuance of bonds.

Fred Logan testified in support of S.B. 249. The bill is limited to Johnson County. Passage of the bill would increase the potential authority of their county library board. The bill has the support of the Board of County Commissioners of Johnson County.

Senator Winter moved the bill be passed. The motion was seconded by Senator Langworthy. The motion carried.

S.B. 246 - relating to annexation.

The Chairman stated since the meeting of February 20, 1987, he had reviewed the statutes regarding the procedure necessary to setup an improvement district, it is a very lengthy and detailed procedure, therefore he thought it was unlikely alot of new districts would be formed. He then referred to the motion that was on the floor from the February 20, 1987 meeting.

Senator Winter moved to amend the motion on the floor, by inserting, "in existance on or before January 1, 1987", and adopt the amendment. The motion was seconded by Senator Steineger.

Committee discussion followed. By concensus the amendment would also include the language "that any improvement district that had filed a creation petition prior to January 1, 1987". The motion carried.

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Senator Salisbury moved to amend section 15, by striking "Statute book" and inserting "Kansas Register". The motion was seconded by Senator Allen. The motion carried.

Senator Salisbury moved that S.B. 246 be passed as amended. The motion was seconded by Senator Allen. The motion carried.

A member of the Committee stated he intended to support the bill as it passed out of committee, realizing alot of work had gone into the compromise but if alot of changes are made in the bill, he would no longer be able to support it.

Senator Allen moved to adopt the minutes of February 20, 1987, meeting. The motion was seconded by Senator Salisbury. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:42 a.m., next meeting will be February 25, 1987.


Chairman, Senator Don Montgomery

