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MINUTES OF THE House COMMITTEE ON Appropriations

The meeting was called to order by Bill Bunten at
Chairperson

8:05 a.m./~~p.m.~~ on February 2, 1990 in room 514-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representatives Mead and Teagarden (both excused)

Committee staff present: Ellen Piekalkiewicz, Legislative Research Department
Debra Duncan, Legislative Research Department
Jim Wilson, Revisor of Statutes
Sharon Schwartz, Administrative Aide
Sue Krische, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Stanley Koplik, Executive Director, Board of Regents

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Stan Koplik, Executive Director, Kansas Board of Regents, requested introduction of a bill that would establish admission requirements to institutions under control of the State Board of Regents (Attachment 1). Representative Hamm moved introduction of the bill. Representative Vancrum seconded. Motion carried.

SB 442 - Emergency Supplemental for FY90 and FY91

Representative Moomaw's subcommittee reviewed Section 3 of SB 442 on the State Board of Tax Appeals and recommended to the full Committee that two positions (Appraiser III and Appraiser IV) with the OOE be deleted from the bill resulting in a total reduction of \$40,501 (Attachment 2). The Board is now using appraisers from the Property Valuation Department in the Department of Revenue and feels it can continue to do so. Representative Moomaw moved to amend SB 442 by reducing the budget for the State Board of Tax Appeals by \$40,501 and 2 FTE's. Representative Brady seconded. Motion carried. Representative Chronister moved to recommend SB 442, as amended, favorably for passage. Representative Wisdom seconded. Motion carried.

Representative Chronister moved to approve the minutes of January 17, 18, and 22, 1990 as presented. Representative Hamm seconded. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 a.m.

PROPOSED BILL NO. _____

By

AN ACT concerning admission of students to institutions under control of the state board of regents; amending K.S.A. 72-116 and 76-717 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 72-116 is hereby amended to read as follows: 72-116. Any person who ~~shall--complete~~ completes a four-year course of study in any high school accredited by the state board of education and who meets the admission requirements established by the state board of regents pursuant to K.S.A. 76-717 and amendments thereto shall be entitled to admission to the freshman class of any the state educational institution institutions which are under the control and supervision of the state board of regents, ~~on~~ upon presenting a statement containing a transcript of ~~his-or-her~~ the high school record of the person signed by the principal of the school or superintendent of the school district and, certifying that such the person has satisfactorily completed the course requirements of the state board of education necessary for graduation from high school.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 76-717 is hereby amended to read as follows: 76-717. The board of regents may adopt rules and regulations for the admission of students at the state educational institutions and such rules and regulations may prescribe minimum admissions criteria for one or more of the state educational institutions, such minimum admissions criteria shall include, but not be limited to, completion, with a minimum grade point average of 2.00, of a high school curriculum which includes (1) four units of English; (2) three units of mathematics; (3) three units of social studies; (4) three units of natural science; and (5) two units of foreign language. The board of regents may authorize

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the chief executive officer of each state educational institution to adopt additional rules and policies relating to admissions of students.

Sec. 3. K.S.A. 72-116 and 76-717 are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 1994, and its publication in the statute book.

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SUB CMMT RECS

Appraiser III	14,635
Appraiser IV	<u>18,685</u>
	33,320

Fringes	3,995
Health	<u>1,584</u>
Subtotal	5,579

Total S&W	<u><u>38,899</u></u>
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OOE	
Desk	386
Chair	211
File Cabinet	127
Phone	<u>77</u>
Subtotal	<u>801</u>

Total OOE--2 FTE	<u>1,602</u>
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TOTAL REDUCTION	<u><u>40,501</u></u>
FTE REDUCTION	2.0

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SENATE BILL NO. 442

**Section 2 – Residential Circuit Breaker
Department of Revenue – Homestead Property Tax Refunds**

Governor's Recommendation

The Governor recommends an FY 1990 State General Fund supplemental appropriation of \$7,290,000 to finance the estimated additional cost of the residential circuit breaker program authorized by the 1989 Legislature. The new funding would be in addition to \$10.0 million appropriated last session based on an earlier estimate of FY 1990 payments.

Senate Committee Recommendation

The Committee concurs with the Governor's recommendation.

Section 3 – State Board of Tax Appeals

Governor's Recommendation

A supplemental appropriation of \$191,404 is recommended by the Governor in FY 1990 to finance additional salary and wage costs attributed to adding 19.0 new FTE positions authorized by the State Finance Council on January 3, 1990. The additional staffing was approved to handle reappraisal appeals. Financing of \$195,114 would be required for five full months of salaries and benefits for all new positions. No funding is included in this bill for other operating expenses relative to new staff, such as rents, moving expenses, or capital outlay.

Senate Committee Recommendation

The Committee recommends adding \$164,619 for other operating expenses for total financing of \$356,023 from the State General Fund.

Section 4 – Fort Hays State University

Governor's Recommendation

The Governor recommends a State General Fund supplemental appropriation of \$960,444 in FY 1990 for the renovation of Sheridan Coliseum. Through a technical error the unencumbered balance of the State General Fund appropriation in FY 1989 was lapsed. The amount lapsed at the end of FY 1989 is the exact same dollar

amount that the Governor has recommended for the supplemental appropriation in FY 1990 or \$960,444. The total cost for the renovation of Sheridan Coliseum remains as approved by the 1989 Legislature at \$8,412,000.

The 1989 Legislature appropriated from the State General Fund \$3,900,000 in FY 1989 and \$2,162,000 in FY 1990 for the Sheridan renovation project. However, the State General Fund appropriations could not be expended until \$387,000 in FY 1989 and \$863,000 in FY 1990 was raised in private gift funds. S.B. 442 permits that any expenditures from the Sheridan Coliseum Gift Fund above the \$387,000 in FY 1989 as required by the 1989 appropriation would count toward the requirement of \$863,000 in gift fund expenditures in FY 1990. Finally, the bill provides that any payments to the Fort Hays State University Endowment Association for interest on the Sheridan Coliseum Gift Fund in FY 1989 or FY 1990 shall not be counted toward satisfying the expenditures requirements for the gift fund in FY 1989 or FY 1990.

Senate Committee Recommendation

The Senate Committee concurs with the Governor's recommendation.

Section 5 – Public Broadcasting Commission

Governor's Recommendation

The Governor recommends a State General Fund supplemental appropriation of \$100,000 in FY 1990 for a grant to KOOD public television station (Bunker Hill) to expand public television into northwest Kansas. The supplemental appropriation is required due to an inadvertent lapse of \$120,000 which the 1989 Legislature appropriated for FY 1989 and had intended to reappropriate for FY 1990 to match an anticipated federal grant of \$448,000 for the project (total project cost, \$623,000). As actually awarded, the total project cost was scaled down to \$392,350 of which \$282,492 is federal funds and the Governor recommends \$100,000 for the state's portion of the project. KOOD has already received \$30,000 from the Economic Development Initiatives Fund, appropriated by the 1989 Legislature, for costs associated with the project, which are ineligible for federal matching.

Senate Committee Recommendation

The Senate Committee concurs with the Governor's recommendation.

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