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MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Senator Wint Winter Jr. at 12:15 p.m. on May 1, 1992 at the third floor brass rail of the Capitol.

All members were present except:
Senators Feleciano, Gaines, Martin and Oleen who were excused.

Committee staff present:
Judy Crapser, Secretary to the Committee

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Chairman Winter called the meeting at the rail to order by informing the Committee that the actions to amend HB 2690 taken on April 10 were found by the Revisor to be technically impossible.

HB 2690 - establishment of Joint Committee on Children and Families

Senator Martin, having voted on the prevailing side, moved to reconsider the Committee's actions on HB 2690. Senator Petty, having voted on the prevailing side, seconded the motion. The motion to reconsider the Committee's action on HB 2690 carried.

This action by the Committee returns HB 2690 to the Committee. Senator Parrish, having voted on the prevailing side to amend HB 2690, moved to reconsider the Committee's action on amending HB 2690. Senator Morris, also having voted on the prevailing side, seconded the motion. The motion to reconsider carried.

This action removed the amendment that would establish the Kansas Criminal Justice Coordinating Council/Sentencing Commission as suggested by Secretary of Corrections Stotts (see ATTACHMENT 7 of minutes dated April 9, 1992, 12:40 p.m.), making sure to include CINC and juvenile offenders, assigning the task of drafting legislation for introduction by the Legislature, and to include one person from DISC in an advisory capacity. (HB 3143)

HB 3143 - Sub for HB 3143: task force on criminal justice information, recommendations for a uniform database of offender information.

Senator Parrish moved to recommend HB 2690 favorable for passage. Senator Petty seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Senator Rock moved to amend HB 3143 to establish the Kansas Criminal Justice Coordinating Council/Sentencing Commission as suggested by Secretary of Corrections Stotts. Senator Martin seconded the motion. The motion to amend carried.

Senator Parrish moved to amend HB 3143 to assign the task of drafting legislation for introduction by the Legislature, to broaden the charge to include more juvenile information, and to include all SRS information within the juvenile justice data. Senator Feleciano seconded the motion. The motion to amend carried.

Senator Parrish moved to recommend HB 3143 favorable for passage as amended. Senator Petty seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The Committee turned its attention to HB 2253 to receive the report of the acting Subcommittee.
HB 2253 - reporting of sexual exploitation of patient by mental health professional.

Chairman Winter reviewed the testimony heard on HB 2253 and explained the recommendation approved on April 30, 1992. (see minutes of that date)

Senator Oleen moved to report HB 2253 adversely. Senator Morris seconded the motion.

Senator Bond made a substitute motion that HB 2253 be submitted as a recommendation to the LCC for an interim study. Senator Petty seconded the motion. The motion carried.

It was noted by the Chairman that he would vigorously oppose any efforts in a Judiciary Conference Committee to institute criminal provisions. (Conferees at the hearing on HB 2253 stated that criminal provisions had been amended into SB 358 by the House of Representatives.)

The meeting was adjourned at 12:25 p.m.