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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Garry Boston at 1:30 p.m. on February 14, 1995 in Room 526-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representative Clyde Graeber, Excused

Committee staff present: Mary Galligan, Legislative Research Department  
Lynne Holt, Legislative Research Department  
Mary Ann Torrence, Revisor of Statutes  
June Evans, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Others attending:

The Chairperson welcomed Representatives Clyde Graeber and Danny Jones as new members to the Committee. Mr. Graeber was excused as he had to testify in Local Government.

Representative Doug Mays testified that when he requested the term limits bill he had hoped the Supreme Court would rule by now on whether it was constitutional -- they have not and the timetable is unknown. Therefore, it is requested that the Committee pass over **HB 2390**.

The Chairperson stated, without objection, so ordered.

Representative Mike O'Neal requested bill introduction concerning alcohol or drug related offenses involving the operation of a vehicle; concerning the blood alcohol concentration of a person under 21; amending K.S.A. 1994 Supp. 8-241, 8-259, 8-1001, 8-1002, 8-1013 and 8-1014 and repealing the existing sections. This sets perimeters in writing.

Representative Lloyd moved and Representative Spangler seconded that request be accepted and introduced as a committee bill. The motion carried.

Representative Doug Lawrence requested bill introduction designating English as the common language and requiring its use as the language of public record and public meetings.

Representative Ballou moved and Representative Nichols seconded that request be accepted and introduced as a committee bill. The motion carried.

Representative Samuelson requested a conceptual bill introduction which has been on the books since 1967 which does not allow minors to have tobacco products and this provides enforcement into that law.

Representative Standifer moved and Representative Gilbert seconded to accept request and introduce as a committee bill. The motion carried.

Representative Packer requested a conceptual bill introduction which would allow tax money collected from sand dredgers from rivers and stream given back to them to stop erosion. Dredgers pay a tax on the sand dredged from rivers and streams and the tax goes into a fund to maintain the erosion and problems with water flow of the streams created by the dredging. This will allow them a mechanism to get these funds to stop the erosion.

Representative Lloyd moved and Representative Spangler seconded to accept request and introduce as a committee bill. The motion carried.

The Chairperson asked what the wishes were of the Committee on **SB17**.

Representative Standifer moved and Representative Samuelson seconded to move **SB 17** out of committee favorably. The motion carried.

The Chairperson asked the Committee what their wishes were on **HB 2282**.

Representative Packer moved and Representative Adkins seconded to move **HB 2282** out of committee favorably. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 1:50 p.m. The next meeting will be February 15.