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MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS.

The meeting was called to order by Senator Lana Oleen at 11:10 a.m. on March 12, 1996 in Room 254-E of the Capitol.

Members present were: Senator Oleen, Chair
Senator Tillotson, Vice Chair
Senator Jones, Ranking Minority Member
Senator Gooch
Senator Jordan
Senator Papay
Senator Praeger
Senator Ramirez
Senator Vidricksen
Senator Walker

Members not present: Senator Hensley - excused

Committee staff present: Mary Galligan, Legislative Research
Nancy Wolff, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Senator Ramirez made a motion that the minutes of February 12, February 13, February 14 (2 meetings) and February 15 be approved as written. Senator Papay seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Senator Oleen read a letter that was sent to her from the Jefferson County, Kansas, Board of County Commissioners stating that the Commission has consistently stated it will not take a position on the sand dredging issue until the U. S. Army Corp of Engineers and the State of Kansas has approved or denied new dredging permits. Senator Tillotson stated that the commissioners have been telling her one thing and have signed a letter stating another and she will continue her opposition of **SB617**.

Senator Oleen then requested that the committee take up **SB733** - Interstate Emergency Management Assistance Compact. She reminded the members that there the Adjutant General's office requested that some technical amendments be made to the bill to repeal some old compacts and to make the bill a more workable piece of legislation. Senator Walker made a motion that the bill be amended pursuant to the request of the Adjutant General's office and that the bill be reported favorable as amended. Senator Ramirez seconded the bill. The motion carried.

The committee then discussed **SCR1624** - Directing the secretary of social and rehabilitation services to provide for assessment of needs and resources for treatment of problem gambling and training to deliver treatment. Senator Tillotson reminded the committee that **SCR1624** is the same legislation as **SB711** on which hearings were held on March 4. Senator Tillotson made a motion that **SCR1624** be reported favorably and Senator Praeger seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Senator Oleen requested the committee to review **HB2541**, State preemption and standardization of firearms regulation as she planned for the committee to take action at the next meeting. She also announced that a hearing on **HB2722** would be held on Thursday, 3-14-96. **HB2722** relates to alcoholic beverages; will call delivery at distributor's warehouse; withdrawal of samples from distributor's warehouse; retailer's spouse allowed to be licensed as a retailer.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:25 a.m.