

Approved: 2-4-97
Date

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Tom Bradley at 1:30 p.m. on January 28, 1997 in Room 527-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:
Jim Garner, Excused

Committee staff present: Bill Wolff, Legislative Research Department
Robert Nugent, Revisor of Statutes
Betty Lou Chidester, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:
Callie Denton - Peterson & Assoc.
Kathy Peterson - Connaught Laboratories
Rebecca Rice - KCA
Tom Wilder - Kansas Insurance Department

Others attending: See attached list

Chairman Bradley opened the meeting and recognized Rep. Kirk who wanted to introduce a bill for parity in medical services to the mentally impaired. Consensus of the committee.

Chairman Bradley then recognized Kathy Peterson representing Connaught Laboratories requesting an update be made for the immunization against Chicken Pox. Consensus of the committee.

Chairman Bradley then recognized Rebecca Rice rerepresenting Kansas Chiropractors. Her bill request concerned the way the Insurance Department dealt with the chiropractors. Consensus of the committee.

HB 2044 - HMO

Chairman Bradley then recognized Tom Wilder. After hearing him Representative Tomlinson made a motion to pass out the bill favorably and place it on the consent calendar. It was seconded by Representative Wilson and the motion passed.

HB 2083 - Reporting of financial transactions.

After hearing the bill, Representative Stone moved it be passed with amendment. Representative Krebbiel seconded the motion and it passed.

The next meeting is scheduled for January 29, 1997.

