

AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2008 MEMBERS

Chairman.....Representative John Faber
Vice-Chairman.....Representative Forrest Knox
Ranking Minority Member.....Representative Joshua Svaty

Members:

Representative Clay Aurand
Representative Elaine Bowers
Representative Bill Feuerborn
Representative Vaughn Flora
Representative Rocky Fund
Representative Doug Gatewood
Representative John Grange
Representative Carl Holmes
Representative Bill Light
Representative Steve Lukert
Representative Tom Moxley
Representative Shirley Palmer
Representative Larry Powell
Representative Don Schroeder
Representative Jerry Williams
Representative Bill Wolf

Staff:

Raney Gilliland, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Emalene Correll, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Gordon Self, Kansas Legislative Revisors Office
Kristen Kelleem, Kansas Legislative Revisors Office
Florence Deeter, Committee Assistant

HOUSE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE
2008
COMMITTEE ACTION INDEX

Bill Number	SUBJECT	Date of Hearing/ Discussion	Date Worked	FINAL ACTION
Sub HB 2625	Intensive groundwater use control areas, mandatory review and advisory committees. Combined with Sub SB 15	2-20-08	2-26-08 3-25-08	Placed on GO 2-27-08 Passed
HB 2626	Farm and ranchland protection grant program; conservation element.	2-18-08		
HB 2660	Payment of petroleum products inspection fees	2-04-08	2-13-08	Passed
HB 2661	Price adjustment for wheat commodity	1-30-08		
HB 2664	Repealing statutes that authorize destruction of prairie dogs by certain townships.	Withdrawn by request		
HB 2748	Possession of wildlife; tagging of big game and turkeys	2-11-08	2-13-08	Passed
HB 2800	Wildlife; youth hunt of a lifetime deer permits.	2-21-08	2-25-08	Tabled
HB 2829	Declaring a temporary season for taking antlerless deer.	2-25-08	2-26-08	Tabled
HB 2838	Amending food service establishment licensure; creating an exception for hotels. Combined with SB 584	2-21-08	3-18-08	Passed as Amended
HB 2860	Registration of Agricultural chemicals	2-21-08	2-25-08	Passed
HB 2897	Commodity Commission, Assessment rates; voting process	2-19-08	2-26-08 Amended	Passed
HB 2898	Commodity Commission assessment refund process. Combined with HB 2897	2-19-08		
HB 2908	Permits for Farm Wineries.	2-20-08	2-21-08	Passed put on Consent Calendar
HB 2982	Drainage district excavation limitations Combined with SB 189	3-24-08	3-25-08 Amended	Passed
HCR 5028	Request to form a partnership with the federal government in order to preserve the productivity of Kansas reservoirs.	1-28-08 2-13-08	Amended 2-19-08	Passed
HCR 5032	Request memorializing Congress to amend the Flood Control Act of 1944 and Public Law 83.780.	3-17-08	3-24-08	Passed
HCR 5034	Federal Beef Checkoff	3-12-08 3-18-08		No Action

HCR 5037	State Fair Board; background inspections for certain employees	3-19-08	3-24-08	Passed
Sub SB 15	Intensive groundwater management areas	3-25-08		
SB 89	Republican river, disposition of litigation moneys.	1-23-08	Tabled 2-11-08	Passed as Amended 2-13-08
Sub SB 89	Republican river, disposition of litigation moneys.	1-31-08 and 2-07-08	Amended 2-11-08	Passed 2-13-08
SB 189	Concerning intensive groundwater use control areas	3-25-08		
Sub SB 189	Concerning intensive groundwater use control areas. Combined with HB 2982	3-25-08		
Sub SB 267	Failure to comply with a Wildlife & Parks citation	2-5-08	Amended 2-13-08	Passed
SB 474	Controlled shooting areas; field trials	3-10-08	3-13-08	Passed
SB 475	Kansas hunters feeding the hungry, inc.	3-12-08	3-13-08	Passed
SB 487	Sales tax exemption for fees for guided and non-guided hunting; sale of game birds for hunting.	2-21-08	No Action	
SB 538	Conservation commission relating to easements; establishing the farm and ranch land protection program	3-24-08	No Action	
SB 557	Dept. Of Agriculture; certification of free sale; food safety	3-11-08	3-13-08	Passed
SB 558	Irrigation districts; conducting elections by mail	3-13-08	3-17-08	Passed
SB 565	State Fair Board, employees, background investigations	3-19-08	3-24-08	Passed
SB 584	Transfer of food service and lodging duties to Dept. Of Agriculture	3-11-08	3-18-08	Withdrawn by Consensus

