

Approved: 4-3-09

Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Pete Brungardt at 10:30 a.m. on March 19, 2009, in Room 136-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Senator Steve Morris- excused

Committee staff present:

Jason Long, Office of the Revisor of Statutes

Julian Efird, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Dennis Hodgins, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Connie Burns, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Others attending:

See attached list.

The Committee Minutes for March 3,4, and 5 distributed on March 16, 2009, with no changes stand approved.

The Chairman thanked the committee and staff for their great work and a successful year.

Final Action:

SB 169 - Kansas Act Against Discrimination, inclusion of sexual orientation and gender identity.

Senator Owens moved to pass SB 169 out favorably. Senator Francisco seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Senator Abrams, Senator Ostmeyer, and Senator Pyle asked to be recorded as voting no.

HB 2130 - Support Kansas arts license plate.

Senator Owens moved to pass HB 2130 out favorably with amendments recommended by Senate Committee on Transportation. Senator Francisco seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:52 am

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GUEST LIST

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NAME	REPRESENTING
Maggie Childs	Kansas Equality Coalition
THOMAS WEST	KANSAS EQUALITY COALITION
Marie Bolejack	CWA
Barbara Aubert	CWA
Jason Concher	KEC
Jennifer Lotspeich	CWA
April Chapman	CWA
Andy Smith	CWA
Ray Jones Ray	CWA
Phillis Setchel	CWA
Jeb Graber	CWA
Sharon Meissner	KS Citizens
Genevieve Nichols	RRice Law Offices
Amy Chapman	KABR
Dede Hahn	Hahn Law Firm
Ben Dambrowski	Sen. Owens
Steve Kesterman	Sen. Owens
Brenda Lewis	CWA
Phil Brody	KLBX
Charmen Alcedra	KDOE
Kari Presley	Kearney & Associates
Scott Rishchuk	Lumines Jewel-World