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BILL NUMBER	SUBJECT	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	DATE OF FINAL ACTION BY FULL COMMITTEE
SB 8 (re-referred)	Kansas tort claims act; medical students enrolled at university of Kansas medical center.	January 20, 2009	January 20, 2009 BP
SB 20	State aid for school capital improvements ceases for bonds issued after December 31, 2008 through June 30, 2011; state aid resumes on and after July 1, 2011.		
SB 21	School districts; special capital outlay levy for insurance and utility services.	March 5, 2009	
SB 22	School districts; no-fund warrants for teacher salaries and benefits.	Feb 17, 2009 March 11, 2009	March 11, 2009 BPA
SB 23	Appropriations for FY 2009, FY 2010 and FY 2011 for state agencies, reducing expenditure authorizations.	January 15, 2009 January 16, 2009 January 20, 2009 January 21, 2009 January 23, 2009 January 26, 2009	January 26, 2009 BPA
SB 30	State surplus property; disposition of computers and firearms.	January 20, 2009 January 21, 2009 January 22, 2009	January 22, 2009 BPA
SB 74	Cash basis law; exceptions when state aid to school districts are not paid when due.	Feb 17, 2009	Feb 17, 2009 BP
SB 93	Joint committee on special claims against the state; membership; requiring only one attorney member from each house, not two.	February 3, 2009	February 3, 2009 BP
SB 96	Permanent annual cost-of-living adjustment for members of the retirement system for judges and the Kansas police and firemen's retirement system whose membership date is on or after July 1, 2010.		
SB 109	Amending the grandparents as care givers act.	February 4, 2009	

BILL NUMBER	SUBJECT	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	DATE OF FINAL ACTION BY FULL COMMITTEE
SB 124	Affiliation with Kansas police and firemen's retirement system (KP&F) by the Kansas department of wildlife and parks for membership of certain officers and employees.		
SB 125	Grandparents as care givers act; eligibility, legal guardianship not required.	Feb 4, 2009	
SB 128	Fatherhood initiative program; implemented by the department of social and rehabilitative services.	Feb 4, 2009 Feb 10, 2009	
SB 133	Ticket surcharge of \$1 to fund the Kansas sports hall of fame; designated college and high school athletic events.		
SB 141 (referred)	Inspector general within Kansas health policy authority transferred to division of post audit.	Feb 25, 2009 March 12, 2009 March 16, 2009 (referred to Judicial Council for review)	
SB 146	Kansas public employees retirement system; computation of benefits when rate of computation is reduced or placed on furlough; removing sunset provision.	March 12, 2009	March 12, 2009 BPA
SB 151	Medicaid; charitable donations by certain persons.		
SB 165	State water plan fund increases.	Feb 24, 2009	
SB 187	State fire marshal commissioned inspector act; state educational institutions.	Feb 11, 2009	Feb 11, 2009 BP
SB 196	KPERS employment after retirement restrictions to apply to retirants employed by a third-party entity.	Feb. 16, 2009 Feb. 17, 2009 March. 2, 2009 March 4, 2009 (re-referred) March 17, 2009 March 23, 2009 (rolled into HB 2072)	March 4, 2009 BPA (re-referred)
SB 199	Requiring state agencies to use moneys appropriated for employees salaries on state employee salaries.		

BILL NUMBER	SUBJECT	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	DATE OF FINAL ACTION BY FULL COMMITTEE
SB 204	Secretary of agriculture, disposition of food safety and lodging moneys, food safety and lodging fee fund.	March 6, 2009	March 6, 2009 BP
SB 205	Prohibiting the development finance authority from refunding any bonds for any state agency unless specifically approved by an act of the legislature..	Feb 16, 2009 March 5, 2009 March 13, 2009	March 13, 2009 BPA
SB 207	Appropriations for FY 2010 through FY 2014, home and community based services under DD, PD, FE, TBI and autism medicaid waivers and Tiny-K programs.		
SB 219	Moratorium on employer contributions for death and disability benefits under KPERS.	Feb 12, 2009	Feb 12, 2009 BPA
SB 221	Duties of emergency medical services board.	Feb 11, 2009 March 13, 2009 (referred to Joint Comm on Kansas Security for review)	
SB 226	Taxpayer transparency act; amended to include state and federal funds passed through to counties, cities of first class and school districts and to include each legislator's vote on a given bill during legislative session.		
SB 252	Criminal offenders in custody, health care costs; department of corrections and juvenile justice authority.	Feb. 26, 2009 March 12, 2009	
SB 259	State and school employer contributions to the Kansas public employees retirement system.	March 12, 2009 (Rolled into HB 2219)	
SB 285	KAN-ED; funding.	March 9, 2009 March 10, 2009	March 10, 2009 BPA
SB 294	Amendments to the Kansas whistle blowers act; employee suggestion program.	March 13, 2009 (Tabled)	
SB 296	Federal stimulus act, review and evaluation.	March 11, 2009 March 17, 2009 April 22, 2009	

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SB 303	Abolishing KTEC and transferring the duties thereof to the department of commerce.		
SB 304	Appropriations for FY 2009 through FY 2013 for various state agencies.	March 19, 2009 (Rolled into HB 2354)	
SB 306	Kansas fireworks act; creating the fireworks and explosives fund.	March 16, 2009	March 16, 2009 BP
SB 308	State agencies; relating to the 20% administrative fee charged to agencies; cap increased from \$200,000 to \$350,000.	March 17, 2009 March 24, 2009	March 24, 2009 BP
SB 309	Appropriations for FY2010 and FY2011 for capital improvements for various state agencies.	March 19, 2009 (Rolled into HB 2354)	
SB 310	SRS prohibited from placing more than six sexually violent predators in any one county on transitional release or conditional release.	March 13, 2009 March 18, 2009	March 18, 2009 BPA
SB 311	State budget, state general fund ending balance requirements, revenue shortfalls and reductions in authorized expenditures, economic impact statements, fiscal note updates.	April 29, 2009 April 30, 2009	April 30, 2009 BPA
SB 313	School districts; contingency reserve fund; limitations, suspension of.	March 16, 2009	March 16, 2009 BP
SB 317	Abolishing KTEC and transferring the duties thereof to the department of commerce.		
SB 318	Fees collected by state board of healing arts.		
SB 319	Affiliation with the Kansas police and firemen's retirement system by adjutant general for membership of certain firefighters serving the 190th Kansas air national guard.	March 23, 2009 (amended into SB 196)	
SB 320	The department of social and rehabilitation services, regarding the funeral assistance program.		

BILL NUMBER	SUBJECT	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	DATE OF FINAL ACTION BY FULL COMMITTEE
SB 321	Insurance department; premium taxes collected, credited to the state general fund for FY 2010, not the insurance department service regulation fund.		
SB 322	Emergency medical services board operating fund and fire service training program fund pay the 20% reimbursement to the state general fund for administrative costs.		
SB 326	Increasing allowed transfer from crime victims compensation fund to crime victims assistance fund; from \$100,000 to \$300,000.	March 24, 2009	March 24, 2009 BP
SB 327	Creating the tobacco master settlement agreement compliance fund; transferring \$900,000 from Kansas endowment for youth fund; enforcing tobacco laws.		
SB 328	Kansas health policy authority; grant program for local primary health projects, creating the aid to locals - primary health projects fund.		
SB 330	Reimbursement rates for nursing facilities; not applicable in fiscal year 2010.		
SB 333	Authorizing the Kansas parole board to charge and collect certain fees.		
SCR 1614	Constitutional amendments; creating a budget stabilization fund in the state treasury; annual .25% transfer of general state revenues; transfers only under certain circumstances.	March 16, 2009	March 16, 2009 BP
SCR 1616	Urging Kansas school districts to use carefully the federal stimulus funds received.	April 29, 2009	April 29, 2009
HB 2072	Less reduction in disability benefits based on income for certain members of the Kansas police and firemen's retirement system.	March 23, 2009	March 23, 2009 BPA

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HB 2195	Public records; certification of electronic records by the state archivist.	March 24, 2009	March 24, 2009 BPA
HB 2219	Kansas performance measurement commission; extend sunset; other.	March 12, 2009 (Provisions of HB 2219 deleted and SB 259 & HB 2073 inserted for S Sub for HB 2219)	March 12, 2009 BPA
HB 2222	State agencies; collections of fee, licenses, taxes, surcharges, discounts.	March 17, 2009	
HB 2265	Post audit, financial compliance audits, new state treasurer transition audits, periodic audits of state treasurer and pooled money investment board financial management practices.	March 9, 2009	March 9, 2009 BPA
Sub HB 2320	State finance, state budget stabilization reserve fund in state treasury, excluded from governor's budget report.		
HB 2331	State treasurer; investment of state moneys.	April 2, 2009	April 2, 2009 BP
HB 2354	Claims against the state.	March 18, 2009 March 19, 2009 (Amended contents of SB 304 & SB 309 rolled into S Sub for HB 2354)	March 19, 2009 BPA
HB 2360	State budget, estimates of state agencies, report of governor's budget recommendations, date submitted to legislature.		
HB 2369	Appropriations for FY2010 and FY2011 for capital improvements for various state agencies.		
HB 2373	Appropriations for FY 2010 through FY 2013 for various state agencies.	April 23, 2009 (Removed contents and inserted Omnibus bill adjustments)	April 23, 2009 BPA

BILL NUMBER	SUBJECT	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	DATE OF FINAL ACTION BY FULL COMMITTEE
HB 2374	Concerning employment security law, allowance of alternative base periods and benefits for individuals forced to leave employment to care for an ill or disabled family member.	April 29, 2009	April 29, 2009 BPA
HB 2383	Transferring moneys from certain fee funds to the state general fund.		

(THE FOLLOWING IS ONLY USED BY THE SENATE, IF APPLICABLE, AND PLACED AT THE END OF THE INDEX LISTING)

CONFIRMATIONS:

March 17, 2009; March 18, 2009

Appointments to Kansas Health Policy Authority Board:

Garen Cox, to serve a term of four years which shall expire March 15, 2012.

Joe Tilghman, to serve a term of four years which shall expire March 15, 2012.

Ned Holland, to serve a term of four years which shall expire March 15, 2012.

April 22, 2009

Appointments to Kansas Public Employees Retirement system Board of Trustees:

Rachel Reiber, effective upon the date of confirmation by the Senate to serve a term of four years.

Michael Braude, effective upon the date of confirmation by the Senate to serve a term of four years

May 1, 2009 (7:57am)