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2010 Legislative Session

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BILL NUMBER	SUBJECT	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	DATE OF FINAL ACTION BY FULL COMMITTEE
SB36	Special assessments in transportation districts.	----	No Action
SB 227	Creating the Kansas tourism corporation.	----	No Action
SB 314	Creating the special economic revitalization act.	----	No Action
SB 329	Repealing the Kansas home inspectors professional competence and financial responsibility act.	----	No Action
SB 482	Community improvement district act; reallocation of assessments on certain exempted property.	February 9, 2010 February 12, 2010	Passed as amended February 16, 2010
SB 495	STAR bonds; use of sales tax revenue; approval of certain projects.	February 9, 2010 February 12, 2010	Passed as amended February 16, 2010
SB 511	Kansas small and disadvantaged business development act.	----	No Action
HCR 5027	Endorsing Taiwan's participation as an observer in the ICAO and UNFCCC.	February 12, 2010	Passed February 12, 2010
HB 2551	Granting authority to the department of commerce to recapture unissued recovery zone	March 4, 2010	Passed as amended March 17, 2010
HB 2553	Updating references to the standard industrial classification codes in the Kansas enterprise zone act.	March 4, 2010	Passed as amended March 17, 2010
HB 2554	Authorizing the issuance of bonds for certain economic development projects.	March 4, 2010	Passed as amended March 17, 2010
HB 2538 - S Sub for Sub H 2538	Revision and expansion of promoting employment across Kansas act	March 9, 2010 March 10, 2010	Passed as amended March 18, 2010

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SCR 1630	Support of participation in Auger North cosmic ray observatory; formation of task force to lead collaboration with Colorado	April 28, 2010	Passed as amended April 28, 2010
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CONFIRMATIONS

Appointments:

Kansas Technology Enterprise Corporation

Thomas M. Cohen, term expires January 2014 (action by comm 1-28-2010)

Steven F. Warren, term expires January 2014 (action by comm 3-5-2010)

Daniel L. Watkins, term expires March 2014 (action by comm 5-3-2010)

Kansas Development Finance Authority

Suchitra Padmanabhan, term expires January 2014 (action by comm 1-28-2010)

Audrey Langworthy, term expires January 2012 (action by comm 3-5-10)

Secretary, Department of Commerce

William Thornton, to serve at pleasure of the Governor (action by comm 3-5-10)