# SENATE CALENDAR

No. 13

Thursday, January 30, 2025 SENATE CONVENES at 2:30 PM

### **Order of Business**

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

### Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

97-

**SB 97,** AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to nonhighway vehicles; granting purchasers of nonhighway vehicles the option to obtain a nonhighway certificate of title; amending K.S.A. 8-198 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 8-2408 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)

98\_

**SB 98,** AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to distinctive license plates; providing for the route 66 association of Kansas distinctive license plate.

Senator Shallenburger

(Transportation)

99\_

**SB 99,** AN ACT concerning the state budget; relating to full-time positions; requiring the head of each state agency to certify the number of full-time positions paid from the state general fund that have been vacant for more than 180 calendar days and abolishing such positions; lapsing each account of the state general fund that is appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, by the amount of the salaries and wages for such abolished positions.

Committee on Government Efficiency (Government Efficiency)

100-

**SB 100,** AN ACT concerning housing; relating to denial of housing or other adverse actions against tenants or prospective tenants on the basis of past evictions or rental arrears; prohibiting the reporting of evictions or rental

arrears information by consumer reporting agencies or the use of such information by landlords for adverse action against tenants after three years from the date of the evictions or rental arrears; requiring consumer reporting agencies to provide an opportunity for individuals to explain any record of evictions or rental arrears; enacting the Kansas fair chance housing and homelessness reduction act; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 50-626 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs)

#### 101-

**SB 101,** AN ACT concerning the attorney general; relating to the drug abuse resistance education (D.A.R.E.) program; creating the position of drug abuse resistance education (D.A.R.E.) educator; providing for the duties and responsibilities thereof.

Senator J.R. Claeys

(Ways and Means)

#### 102-

**SB 102,** AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to the secretary for children and families; requiring coroners to report certain information to the secretary; clarifying the identifying information in mandatory reports of abuse or neglect of children to the secretary; increasing the penalty for failing to report such abuse or neglect from a misdemeanor to a felony; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 22a-242 and 38-2223 and repealing the existing sections.

Senator Shane

(Public Health and Welfare)

#### 103-

SB 103, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to income tax; authorizing cities and counties to propose an earnings tax for ballot question and to levy such tax upon nonresidents of the city or county if approved by the electors of a city or county; requiring resubmission of the question, if approved, to the electors every 10 years thereafter; allowing certain credits and exemptions against such tax; providing for the deduction by public and private employers of such tax from employee earnings; providing for revenue to be pledged for certain purposes; amending K.S.A. 12-140 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 19-101a and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation (Assessment and Taxation)

#### 104-

**SB 104,** AN ACT concerning counties; relating to citizens commissions on local government; granting certain boards of county commissioners discretion to create such commission; amending K.S.A. 19-2670 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Local Government, Transparency and Ethics (Local Government, Transparency and Ethics)

#### 105 -

**SB 105,** AN ACT concerning the offices of United States senator, state treasurer and the commissioner of insurance; relating to the filling of vacancies in such offices; requiring the appointment of a person of the same political party as the incumbent; requiring the legislature to nominate three persons for consideration for such appointment and that the governor appoint one of the nominated persons; establishing the joint committee on vacancy appointments; amending K.S.A. 25-101b and 40-106 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 25-318.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs)

#### 106-

**SB 106,** AN ACT concerning veterans; relating to forms of identification; permitting homeless veterans to use alternative forms of proof of identity and residency when applying for nondriver identification cards; eliminating fees for homeless veterans to obtain birth certificates for purposes of nondriver identification card applications; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 8-1324 and 65-2418 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Select Committee on Veterans Affairs)

#### 107-

**SB 107,** AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; providing an exemption for period products, diapers and incontinence products; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

### (Assessment and Taxation)

#### 108-

**SB 108,** AN ACT concerning taxation; authorizing counties to impose an earnings tax; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 19-101a and repealing the existing section.

Senator Haley

#### (Assessment and Taxation)

#### 109-

**SB 109,** AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use taxation; relating to the collection and remittance of taxes; providing a credit to retailers.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation (Assessment and Taxation)

#### 110-

**SB 110,** AN ACT concerning the revised Kansas juvenile justice code; prohibiting the use of restraints during hearings; authorizing exceptions if the court makes certain findings on the record; defining hearing under the code; amending K.S.A. 38-2353 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 38-2302 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

#### 111-

**SB 111,** AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to the revised Kansas juvenile justice code; prohibiting fines, fees and costs from being assessed against a juvenile or a juvenile's parent, guardian or custodian; amending K.S.A. 12-16,119, 20-3129, 21-6609, 22-4905, 28-170, 28-170a, 28-176, 38-2306, 38-2312, 38-2315, 38-2317, 38-2328, 38-2331, 38-2346, 38-2348, 38-2360, 38-2361, 38-2362, 38-2369, 38-2373, 38-2384, 38-2389, 38-2396, 38-2399 and 75-724 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 28-177 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 20-167, 38-2314, 38-2319, 38-2321, 38-2322 and 38-2324.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

#### 1607-

**SCR 1607,** A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION making application to the Congress of the United States for a limited national convention for the exclusive purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States establishing term limits for members of Congress.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs)

#### 1608 -

**SCR 1608,** A PROPOSITION to amend section 1 of article 5 of the constitution of the state of Kansas to require individuals to be citizens of the United States, at least 18 years of age and a resident of the voting area in which such person seeks to vote in order to vote in this state.

Senators J.R. Claeys, Alley, Argabright, Billinger, Blasi, Blew, Bowers, Bowser, Joseph Claeys, Clifford, Dietrich, Erickson, Fagg, Gossage, Klemp, Kloos, Masterson, Murphy, Owens, Peck, Petersen, Rose, Shallenburger, Shane, Starnes, Thomas, Thompson, Titus, Tyson, Warren (Federal and State Affairs)

# **Reference of Appointments**

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

# **Consideration of Motions to Concur or Nonconcur**

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

# **Consideration of Appointments**

### Consent Calendar

(Senate action to be taken on third day or thereafter)

### 8–(Second Day)

**SB 8,** AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to the duty of drivers approaching stationary vehicles; providing a penalty for unlawful passing thereof; amending K.S.A. 8-2118 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation) (Be Passed)

# Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

#### CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

### **General Orders**

#### 5003-

**HCR 5003,** A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION adopting joint rules for the Senate and the House of Representatives for the 2025-2026 biennium.

Representatives Hawkins, Croft, Woodard (Committee of the Whole)

# ANTICIPATED END OF DEBATE CALENDAR

5-

**SB 5,** AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the transparency in revenues underwriting elections act; prohibiting the use of funds provided by the United States government for the conduct of elections and election-related activities unless approved by the legislature; amending K.S.A. 25-2436 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs) (Be Passed) 6-

**SB 6,** AN ACT concerning elections; prohibiting the use of any form of ranked-choice voting methods in conducting elections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs) (Be Passed)

14-

**SB 14,** AN ACT concerning the state budget; providing for a continuous budget until amended, lapsed or eliminated by the legislature; temporary reallocations; establishing conditions and limitations therefor.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Ways and Means) (Be Passed)

1603 -

**SCR 1603,** A PROPOSITION to amend section 1 of article 11 of the constitution of the state of Kansas; relating to property taxation; limiting valuation increases for real property and for personal property classified as mobile homes used for residential purposes.

Senators Tyson, Alley, Blasi, Bowser, J.R. Claeys, Joseph Claeys, Erickson, Gossage, Klemp, Kloos, Masterson, Murphy, Peck, Petersen, Shallenburger, Starnes, Thompson, Warren

(Assessment and Taxation) (Be Adopted as Amended)

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**SB 4**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to advance voting ballots; requiring the return of such ballots by 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election; amending K.S.A. 25-1132 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs) (Be Passed)

# **Bills Adversely Reported**

# **Status of Bills and Resolutions**

Senate bills passed in Senate: Nos. 10, 35, 63

Senate bills killed in Senate: Senate bills passed by the House: Senate bills killed in the House: Senate bills in conference:

Senate bills awaiting the signature of the Governor:

Senate bills signed by the Governor:

Senate bills becoming law without Governor's signature:

Senate bills vetoed by Governor:

Senate bills line item vetoed by Governor:

Senate bills becoming law notwithstanding Governor's veto: Senate resolutions adopted: Nos. 1701, 1702, 1703, 1704, 1705

Senate resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted: Nos. 1601, 1602

Senate concurrent resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted by House: No. 1601

Senate concurrent resolutions killed in House:

House bills passed in the Senate: House bills killed in the Senate:

House bills in conference:

House concurrent resolutions adopted by the Senate: No. 5002

House concurrent resolutions killed in the Senate:

House concurrent resolutions in conference:

#### **Bills in Senate Committees**

### Agriculture and Natural Resources-

Senate Bills: Nos. 36, 58, 80, 89

Appointments:

Secretary, Department of Wildlife and Parks:

Christopher Kennedy, at the pleasure of the Governor

#### Assessment and Taxation-

Senate Bills: Nos. 25, 26, 33, 59, 69, 72, 73, 74, 90

#### Commerce-

Senate Bills: Nos. 51, 52, 95

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1606

### Confirmation Oversight-

#### Education-

Senate Bills: Nos. 44, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50, 75, 76, 78, 87

### Appointments:

Member, State Board of Regents:

Kathy Wolfe-Moore, term ends June 30, 2025

#### Federal and State Affairs-

Senate Bills: Nos. 1, 15, 38, 43, 56, 65, 83

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1604, 1605

Senate Resolutions: No. 1706

Appointments:

Brigadier General, Kansas National Guard:

Carlin Williams, at the pleasure of the Governor

#### Financial Institutions and Insurance-

Senate Bills: Nos. 16, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 32, 34, 39, 42, 55, 64

### Government Efficiency-

Senate Bills: Nos. 13, 77, 79, 85

### **Interstate Cooperation**–

### Judiciary-

Senate Bills: Nos. 30, 53, 54, 60, 61, 62, 70, 71, 84, 91, 94, 96

### Local Government, Transparency and Ethics-

Senate Bills: Nos. 2, 7, 12, 37, 40, 66

#### Organization, Calendar and Rules-

### Public Health and Welfare-

Senate Bills: Nos. 3, 19, 29, 31, 41, 67, 82, 88

#### Senate Select Committee on Veterans Affairs-

### Transportation-

Senate Bills: Nos. 9, 17, 18

#### Utilities-

Senate Bills: Nos. 11, 46, 57, 81, 92, 93

#### Ways and Means-

Senate Bills: Nos. 68, 86

# Senate Committee Agenda

The following is a tentative schedule of Committees and is subject to change day-to-day. Committees not listed have no meetings scheduled.

New or changed material for the present week will be printed in *italics*.

On-call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda. Sub-Committees will be listed at the time of the Committee's regular meeting

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# 2025 SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS SCHEDULE All Committees will meet Daily

TIME		MEETING ROOM
8:30 a.m.	Agriculture and Natural Resources	144-S
	Public Health and Welfare	142-S
	Transportation	546-S
9:30 a.m.	Assessment and Taxation	548-S
	Financial Institutions and Insurance	546-S
	Government Efficiency	144-S
	Local Government, Transparency and Ethics	142-S
10:30 a.m.	Federal and State Affairs	144-S
	Judiciary	346-S
	Ways and Means	548-S
1:30 p.m.	Commerce	159-S
•	Education	144-S
	Utilities	548-S

**Note:** Senate committees: Interstate Cooperation, Organization, Calendar and Rules, Confirmation Oversight, and any subcommittees are not listed. These committees are "On-call" and will appear in Daily Calendars

# Senate Schedule Week of January 30 - 31, 2025

Thursday, January 30
2:30 p.m. Session
Friday, January 31
9:00 a.m. Session – PRO FORMA

# **Agriculture and Natural Resources**

8:30 a.m. Patti Mills, Committee Assistant-785-296-7742

144-S

<u>Thursday, January 30</u> Request for bill introductions Hearing on:

SB 58 – Modifying the requirements and allocations for multi-year flex accounts.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 31

No meeting scheduled

#### **Public Health and Welfare**

8:30 a.m. Suzanne Nelson, Committee Assistant-785-296-5123

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 31** — Updating certain provisions of the Kansas dental practices act relating to dentist information requested by patients, in-person practice requirements in dental office using licensee's name, unprofessional conduct and patient complaints.

Friday, January 31

No meeting scheduled

### **Transportation**

### 8:30 a.m. Florence Deeter, Committee Assistant-785-296-7355 546-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 18** — Providing for the hunter nation distinctive license plate and decreasing the guarantee number of distinctive plates required for production.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 31

Meeting on call of the chair

#### Assessment and Taxation

#### 9:30 a.m. John Gauntt, Committee Assistant-785-296-2713 548-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on

**SB 26** — Providing a sales tax exemption for certain purchases by bowling centers.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 31

Meeting on call of the chair

#### **Financial Institutions and Insurance**

### 9:30 a.m. Jackie Gutierrez, Committee Assistant-785-296-7648 546-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on paid family and medical leave

Tracy Russell, Executive Director, Nurture KC

Jan Marrs, Mize CPA's

Hearing on:

**SB 28** — Updating public adjuster and insurance agent statutes pertaining to suspension, revocation, denial of licensure and licensure renewal.

Friday, January 31

No meeting scheduled

### **Government Efficiency**

### 9:30 a.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-5415 144-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on agency operations

Kansas Insurance Commissioner

Friday, January 31

Meeting on call of the chair

### **Local Government, Transparency and Ethics**

### 9:30 a.m. Randi Walters, Committee Assistant-785-296-7389 142-8

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 37 — Repealing the three-mile extraterritorial planning and zoning authority for cities.

Friday, January 31

No meeting scheduled

#### **Federal and State Affairs**

### 10:30 a.m. Angela Gantzer, Committee Assistant-785-296-4335 144-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

SB 38 — Creating the defend the guard act to establish when the Kansas national guard may be released into active duty combat.

Friday, January 31

No meeting scheduled

### **Judiciary**

#### **10:30 a.m.** Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant-785-296-6817 346-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 61** — Requiring an electric public utility to pay a landowner's attorney fees when a party appeals the appraisers' award and the jury renders a verdict that is greater than the appraisers' award in an eminent domain action.

Friday, January 31

Meeting on call of the chair

### Ways and Means

### 10:30 a.m. Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant-785-296-3775 548-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on Kansas Public Employees Retirement System

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 31

Meeting on call of the chair

### Commerce

### 1:30 p.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-7370 159-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 51 — Providing a sales tax exemption for the construction or remodeling of a qualified data center in Kansas and the purchase of data center equipment, eligible data center costs and certain labor costs to qualified firms that commit to a minimum investment of at least \$250,000,000 and meet new Kansas jobs and other requirements.

Friday, January 31

Meeting on call of the chair

### **Education**

### 1:30 p.m. Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant-785-296-7476 144-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Confirmation hearing on:

Kathy Wolfe-Moore, State Board of Regents

Presentation on Leslie Rudd Scholarship Program

Friday, January 31

Meeting on call of the chair

#### Utilities

#### 1:30 p.m. Susanne Murphy, Committee Assistant-785-296-7678 548-S

Thursday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on Kansas State University research reactor

Dr. Hans Coetzee, Interim Vice President of Research

Update on Kansas electric cooperatives

Reagan McCloud

Friday, January 31

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### **Doctor of the Day**

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Thursday, January 30

Deb Doubek, MD, FAAFP, Manhattan

Friday, January 31
No doctor scheduled

# Senate Schedule Week of February 3 - 7, 2025

Monday, February 3

2:30 p.m. Session

Tuesday, February 4

2:30 p.m. Session

Wednesday, February 5

2:30 p.m. Session

Thursday, February 6 2:30 p.m. Session

Friday, February 7

9:00 a.m. Session - PRO FORMA

### **Agriculture and Natural Resources**

### 8:30 a.m. Patti Mills, Committee Assistant-785-296-7742

144-S

Monday, February 3

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 4

Presentation on College of Agriculture and K-State Research and Extension

Dr. Ernie Minton, Dean, College of Agriculture, and Director, K-State Research and Extension

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 5

Confirmation hearing on (continuation):

Christopher Kennedy, Secretary, Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks

Thursday, February 6

Hearing on:

**SB 89** — Authorizing the animal health commissioner to adopt rules and regulations to administer the poultry disease control act and to establish an annual participation fee for participation in the national poultry improvement plan, a certification fee for persons performing testing and diagnostic services and a testing fee per visit to each location participating in the plan.

Friday, February 7

### **Public Health and Welfare**

### 8:30 a.m. Suzanne Nelson, Committee Assistant-785-296-5123

142-S

Monday, February 3

Request for bill introductions

Tuesday, February 4

Hearing on:

**SB 3** — Requiring the department of health and environment to audit hospital compliance with the lay caregiver act and report the results of such audit to the legislature.

Final action on:

**SB 31** — Updating certain provisions of the Kansas dental practices act relating to dentist information requested by patients, in-person practice requirements in dental office using licensee's name, unprofessional conduct and patient complaints.

Wednesday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB 19** — Enacting the conscientious right to refuse act to prohibit discrimination against individuals who refuse medical care and creating a civil cause of action based on such discrimination and revoking the authority of the secretary of health and environment to quarantine individuals and impose associated penalties.

Final action on:

**SB 3** — Requiring the department of health and environment to audit hospital compliance with the lay caregiver act and report the results of such audit to the legislature.

Thursday, February 6

Hearing on:

**SB 41** — Adding advanced practice registered nurses to the definition of healthcare provider for purposes of the healthcare provider insurance availability act.

Final action on:

**SB 19** — Enacting the conscientious right to refuse act to prohibit discrimination against individuals who refuse medical care and creating a civil cause of action based on such discrimination and revoking the authority of the secretary of health and environment to quarantine individuals and impose associated penalties.

Friday, February 7

No meeting scheduled

### **Transportation**

### 8:30 a.m. Florence Deeter, Committee Assistant-785-296-7355 546-S

Monday, February 3

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 4

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, February 5

Meeting on call of the chair

Thursday, February 6

Presentation on Trucking 101

Travis Grauerholz, Kansas Motor Carriers Association

Friday, February 7

#### **Assessment and Taxation**

### 9:30 a.m. John Gauntt, Committee Assistant-785-296-2713

548-S

546-S

Monday, February 3

Meeting on call of the chair

Tuesday, February 4

Request for bill introductions

Pending referral, hearing on:

**SB 109** — Providing a remittance credit to retailers for the collection of sales and compensating use tax.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 5

Request for bill introductions

Briefing on property tax valuation

Bob Kent, Kansas Department of Revenue

Briefing on tax credits, abatements, exemptions and other

Edward Penner, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 6

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB** 69 — Extending by five years the loan repayment program and income tax credit for rural opportunity zones.

SB 73 — Modifying deadlines for mailing property tax statements to taxpayers and certification of tax levies to the director of property valuation to be earlier than the current deadlines and providing for the county clerk's use of the previous year's budget when a taxing subdivision fails to timely file its budget.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 7

Meeting on call of the chair

#### **Financial Institutions and Insurance**

#### 9:30 a.m. Jackie Gutierrez, Committee Assistant-785-296-7648

Monday, February 3

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 4

Interim committee report on:

Joint Committee on Pensions, Investments and Benefits

Special Committee on Centralized Pool Collateral and Pooled Money Investment Board Modernization

Hearing on:

**SB 32** — Reducing insurance company premium tax rates and discontinuing remittance and crediting of a portion of the premium tax to the insurance department service regulation fund.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 5

Presentation on Kansas Pharmacist Association

Possible final action on bills previously heard

### Thursday, February 6

Hearing on:

**SB 55** — Prohibiting the assignment of benefits under certain property and casualty insurance contracts and defining such assignment of benefits as an unfair method of competition and unfair or deceptive act or practice.

SB 64 — Adjusting certain internal KPERS act statutory references, extending the time for filing administrative appeals and updating provisions relating to compliance with the federal internal revenue code.

Friday, February 7

Meeting on call of the chair

### **Government Efficiency**

### 9:30 a.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-5415 144-S

Monday, February 3

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 4

Hearing on:

**SB** 79 — Directing the secretary for children and families to request a waiver from supplemental nutrition assistance program rules that would allow the state to prohibit the purchase of candy and soft drinks with food assistance.

### Wednesday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB 85** — Directing the secretary for children and families to review and compare data for public assistance program eligibility.

**SB** 77 — Requiring state agencies to provide notice of revocation of administrative rules and regulations to the public and removing abolished and inactive state agencies from the agency review requirement.

Thursday, February 6

Informational briefing on Office of the Medicaid Inspector General

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 7

Meeting on call of the chair

# **Local Government, Transparency and Ethics**

142-S

### 9:30 a.m. Randi Walters, Committee Assistant-785-296-7389

Monday, February 3

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 4

Final action on:

**SB 2** — Validating the election results for the bond issuance question submitted by the board of education of USD 200, Greeley county, at a special election held on May 21, 2024.

**SB** 7 — Increasing the statutory limits on bonds issued by a township based on township population and purpose of the bond issuance.

Wednesday, February 5

### Thursday, February 6

Hearing on:

**SB 40** — Requiring the termination of any candidate campaign account for an elected official who chooses to not run for reelection or who is defeated in a subsequent election.

Friday, February 7

No meeting scheduled

### **Federal and State Affairs**

### 10:30 a.m. Angela Gantzer, Committee Assistant-785-296-4335

144-S

Monday, February 3

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

**SCR 1604** — Making application to the United States congress to call a convention of the states for the purpose of proposing amendments to limit the federal government.

Tuesday, February 4

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Overview of Kansas elections

Scott Schwab, Kansas Secretary of State

Wednesday, February 5

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Briefing on 2024 Kansas Lottery

Stephen Durell, Executive Director

Thursday, February 6

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

**SB 65** — Specifying when boards of directors for irrigation districts of 35,000 or more acres may conduct board member elections by mail ballot and establishing the terms for such members.

**SB 83** — Extending voter franchise in city elections to qualified electors living in areas subject to extraterritorial zoning or subdivision regulations.

Friday, February 7

No meeting scheduled

### **Judiciary**

#### 10:30 a.m. Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant-785-296-6817

346-S

Monday, February 3

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 70** — Providing for reasonable fees for electronic copies of records under the open records act, exempting from disclosure formally closed investigations with no found violations, requiring county or district attorneys to file reports of violations with the attorney in December instead of January, determining the membership

calculation of subordinate groups under the open meetings act, requiring public bodies or agencies that live stream meetings to ensure that the public is able to observe and providing for a five minute deviation to resume an open meeting at the conclusion of executive sessions.

**SB 84** — Modifying criminal use of a financial card to include certain conduct involving gift cards.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 4

Update on Kansas Bureau of Investigation Methamphetamine Recommendation Report Hearing on:

**SB 62** — Creating the crime of engaging in a street stunt, providing criminal penalties therefor and adding engaging in a street stunt to the list of crimes included in fleeing or attempting to elude a police officer.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB 60** — Prohibiting second and successive motions and ineffective counsel claims in habeas corpus actions and providing for direct appeal to the supreme court in habeas corpus appeals filed by inmates sentenced to death.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 6

Meeting scheduled – agenda to be announced

Friday, February 7

Meeting on call of the chair

### **Ways and Means**

#### 10:30 a.m. Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant-785-296-3775

548-S

Monday, February 3

Meeting on call of the chair

Tuesday, February 4

Request for bill introductions

Briefing on contract nursing at state hospitals

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 5

Request for bill introductions

Briefing on HCBS waivers and waitlists

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 6

Meeting scheduled – agenda to be announced

Friday, February 7

Meeting on call of the chair

#### Commerce

### 1:30 p.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-7370

159-S

Monday, February 3

### Tuesday, February 4

Hearing on:

SB 52 — Enacting the Kansas film and digital media industry production development act, providing a tax credit and sales tax exemption to incentivize film, video and digital media production in Kansas, establishing a program to be administered by the secretary of commerce for the purpose of developing such production in Kansas and requiring the secretary of commerce to issue reports to the legislature regarding the program.

Wednesday, February 5

Star bond update

Kansas Department of Commerce

Thursday, February 6

Update on Kansas Water Plan and economic development for the state

Friday, February 7

Meeting on call of the chair

#### Education

### 1:30 p.m. Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant-785-296-7476

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Monday, February 3 No meeting scheduled Tuesday, February 4

Hearing on:

SB 50 — Establishing uniform interest rate provisions for service scholarship programs administered by the Kansas board of regents that have repayment obligations as a part of the terms and conditions of such programs and authorizing the Kansas board of regents to recover the costs of collecting such repayment obligations and charge fees for the costs of administering such programs and requiring eligible students to enter into agreements with the board of regents instead of a postsecondary educational institution as a condition to receiving a grant under the adult learner grant act.

**SB 44** — Expanding the postsecondary educational institutions eligible to participate in the Kansas promise scholarship program.

#### Wednesday, February 5

Presentation on higher education by the numbers

Dr. Blake Flanders, President and CEO, Kansas Board of Regents

Thursday, February 6

Hearing on:

SB 87 — Expanding student eligibility under the tax credit for low income students scholarship program, increasing the amount of the tax credit for contributions made pursuant to such program and providing for aggregate tax credit limit increases under certain conditions.

**SB** 49 — Requiring that each attendance center needs assessment be conducted by the local board of education and include input from board members, teachers, school site councils and school administrators and that board members receive certain state assessment data and identify allocations of money in the school district budget and budget summary.

Friday, February 7

Meeting on call of the chair

#### Utilities

### 1:30 p.m. Susanne Murphy, Committee Assistant-785-296-7678

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Monday, February 3

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 4

Presentation on hydrogen development in the state of Kansas

Dr. Jay Kelbas, Kansas Geological Survey

Presentation on small scale nuclear reactors

Brian Meadors, Excel Services

Wednesday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB** 57 — Requiring certain state agencies, counties, cities and political subdivisions to reimburse the owner or operator of communications or video service facilities for the costs to modify or relocate such facilities for certain road and highway projects.

**SB 81** — Prohibiting large facilities receiving certain tariffs or failing to meet workforce and electric demand requirements from qualifying for economic development electric rates.

**SB 92** — Extending the time in which the state corporation commission shall make a final order on a transmission line siting application.

Thursday, February 6

Update on Southwest Power Pool

Mike Ross, Southwest Power Pool

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 7

No meeting scheduled

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# **Doctor of the Day**

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Monday, February 3

Lynn Fisher, MD, FAAFP, Wichita

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Wednesday, February 5

Shelly Gruenbacher, MD, Quinter

Thursday, February 6

Brian Wolfe, MD, FAAFP, Iola

Friday, February 7

No doctor scheduled

Laurie Varner & Nancy Reddy, Calendar Clerks

Corey Carnahan, Secretary of the Senate