

SENATE CALENDAR

No. 14

Friday, January 31, 2025
SENATE CONVENES at 9:00 AM PRO FORMA

Order of Business

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

112–

SB 112, AN ACT concerning cities and counties; relating to the issuance of building permits; prohibiting cities and counties from requiring land as part of a right-of-way as a condition for issuing a building permit unless the property owner consents and is paid fair compensation.

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

113–

SB 113, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to reckless driving; including operating a motor vehicle at a speed of 100 miles per hour or more and 35 miles per hour over the posted speed limit under the crime of reckless driving; amending K.S.A. 8-254 and 8-1566 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Transportation
(Transportation)

114–

SB 114, AN ACT concerning education; relating to certain ancillary school district activities; authorizing nonpublic school students and virtual school students to participate in such activities; making it unlawful for a school district or the state high school activities association to discriminate against such students based on enrollment status; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 72-7121 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education
(Education)

115–

SB 115, AN ACT concerning precious metals; relating to gold and silver

bullion and specie; enacting the Kansas bullion depository act; authorizing the state treasurer to establish, administer or contract for the administration of bullion depositories; allowing state moneys to be deposited in such bullion depositories and invested in specie legal tender; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 75-4209 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)

116–

SB 116, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to jailhouse witness testimony; requiring prosecutors to disclose their intent to introduce testimony from a jailhouse witness and to forward related information to the Kansas bureau of investigation.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Judiciary)

117–

SB 117, AN ACT concerning aviation; relating to economic development; expanding the property tax exemption for Strother field airport property; amending K.S.A. 79-201r and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Commerce

(Commerce)

118–

SB 118, AN ACT concerning members of the legislature; imposing conditional term limits; requiring nomination by petition for any legislator seeking reelection after having served the maximum number of terms; amending K.S.A. 25-205 and repealing the existing section.

Senators Shallenburger, Argabright, Bowser, Clifford, Gossage, Holscher, Klemp, Murphy, Owens, Peck, Rose, Shane, Starnes, Sykes, Thomas
(Federal and State Affairs)

119–

SB 119, AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to license application and certificate of title fees; increasing the amount of fees retained by the county treasurer, the division of vehicles or a contractor for processing motor vehicle license applications and certificate of titles; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 8-145 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)

120–

SB 120, AN ACT concerning municipalities; enacting the Kansas municipal employee whistleblower act; establishing legal protections for certain municipal employees who report or disclose unlawful or dangerous conduct.

Senator Shallenburger

(Local Government, Transparency and Ethics)

121–

SB 121, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to the regulation thereof; authorizing the commissioner of insurance to select and announce the version of certain instructions, calculations and documents in effect for the upcoming

calendar year and cause such announcement to be published in the Kansas register; allowing certain life insurers to follow health financial reports; adopting certain provisions from the national association of insurance commissioners holding company system regulatory act relating to group capital calculations and liquidity stress testing; amending K.S.A. 40-2d01, 40-3302, 40-3305, 40-3306, 40-3307 and 40-3308 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 40-2c01 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 40-249 and 40-2c29.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)

122–

SB 122, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; prohibiting the use of an electronic communications device while operating a motor vehicle; providing a penalty for unlawful use of an electronic communications device.

Senator Holscher

(Transportation)

123–

SB 123, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the state board of education; providing for reimbursements to local school boards for reduced price school meals; prohibiting local school boards from collecting money for such meals; amending K.S.A. 72-17,137 and repealing the existing section.

Senator Holscher

(Education)

124–

SB 124, AN ACT concerning cities; relating to unilateral annexations; imposing restrictions on such annexations; expanding the causes of action for landowners to challenge such annexations; amending K.S.A. 12-520 and 12-538 and repealing the existing sections.

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

125–

SB 125, AN ACT concerning certain claims against the state; making appropriations; authorizing certain transfers; imposing certain restrictions and limitations; directing or authorizing certain disbursements, procedures and acts incidental to the foregoing.

Joint Committee on Special Claims Against the State
(Ways and Means)

126–

SB 126, AN ACT concerning the healing arts; relating to physician assistants; enacting the physician assistant licensure compact to provide interstate practice privileges.

Committee on Public Health and Welfare
(Public Health and Welfare)

127–

SB 127, AN ACT concerning the rules of evidence; relating to hearsay; expanding the exception to the hearsay rule for statements made to a physician

to other healthcare providers; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 60-460 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

128–

SB 128, AN ACT concerning social workers; relating to attorney-client privilege; creating an exception to certain mandatory reporting obligations for licensed social workers when working under the supervision of an attorney; permitting attorneys to require certain licensed social workers to keep ethical obligations of attorney-client privilege when working under the supervision of such attorney; amending K.S.A. 38-2224, 39-1402, 39-1403, 39-1431, 39-1432 and 65-6315 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 38-2223 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

129–

SB 129, AN ACT concerning judges; relating to retirement ages; raising the retirement age of district magistrate judges regularly admitted to practice law in Kansas serving in counties with 10,000 or fewer people; amending K.S.A. 20-2608 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

130–

SB 130, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to the Kansas pet animal act; updating provisions for operating an animal shelter or pound; making changes to certain defined terms; modifying authority pertaining to refusal to issue or renew and the modification, limitation, suspension or revocation of any license or permit; providing for making immediate actions to protect the public interest; requiring the posting of a cash or security bond to pay for the costs of caring for a seized or impounded pet animal; requiring certain licensees that cease to engage in licensed activity to notify the commissioner at least 10 days prior to ceasing business, or if extenuating circumstances exist, not later than the date such activity ceases; requiring a closing inspection to confirm that licensed activity has ceased prior to expiration of the license period; requiring certain additional rules and regulations; increasing the maximum amount of certain fees; clarifying the conditions required for a licensed veterinarian to act as or be a boarding or training kennel operator; changing the date during which a licensee or permit holder that is in the process of ceasing to do business may be issued a temporary closing permit; amending K.S.A. 47-1701, 47-1704, 47-1706, 47-1706a, 47-1707, 47-1709, 47-1712, 47-1715, 47-1721, 47-1723 and 47-1732 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources

(Agriculture and Natural Resources)

131–

SB 131, AN ACT concerning energy; relating to the state corporation

commission; requiring the commission to establish and enforce a code of conduct and agricultural mitigation protocols for the development, construction, operation and decommissioning of certain large energy facilities in rural areas of the state.

Committee on Utilities

(Utilities)

132–

SB 132, AN ACT concerning child care; relating to licensure of day care facilities, child care homes and child care centers; reducing license fees and training requirements; creating a process for day care facility licensees to apply for a temporary waiver of certain statutory requirements; authorizing the secretary of health and environment to develop and operate pilot programs to increase child care facility availability and capacity; establishing the Kansas office of early childhood; transferring administration of day care licensing, parent education programs and the child care subsidy program to the Kansas office of early childhood; creating the day care facilities and child care resource and referral agencies licensing fee fund and the day care criminal background and fingerprinting fund; defining youth development programs; amending section 1, as enacted by this act, section 3, as enacted by this act, section 5, as enacted by this act, section 7, as enacted by this act, section 9, as enacted by this act, section 11, as enacted by this act, section 13, as enacted by this act, section 15, as enacted by this act, K.S.A. 38-1901, 38-2103, 65-504, 65-505, 65-508, 65-508, as amended by section 54 of this act, 65-512, 65-527, 65-531, 72-4161, 72-4162, 72-4163, 72-4164 and 72-4166 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 48-3406, 65-503, 65-503, as amended by section 50 of this act, and 65-516 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Public Health and Welfare)

133–

SB 133, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to firearms; enacting the responsible gun ownership act; establishing the crime of unlawful storage of a firearm; providing penalties for violations thereof.

Senator Holscher

(Federal and State Affairs)

134–

SB 134, AN ACT concerning education; relating to employment files of teachers employed by a school district; authorizing school districts to request and receive an applicant teacher's employment files from another school district if such teacher was previously employed by such other school district; establishing which school district is responsible for and the custodian of teacher employment files under the Kansas open records act; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 45-220 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)

135–

SB 135, AN ACT concerning certain protection orders; relating to the protection from abuse act; providing precedence of child-related orders issued under the protection from abuse act; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 60-3107 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

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–(Third 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)

9–(First Day)

SB 9, AN ACT concerning United States public land surveys; relating to reports filed with the state historical society; extending the time to file such reports from 30 to 90 days; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 58-2011 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

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)

36-

SB 36, AN ACT concerning conservation districts; relating to the financing of operating conservation districts; increasing the cap on the amount of moneys disbursed by the division of conservation to conservation districts; providing an increased matching basis for state moneys disbursed to conservation districts based on amounts allocated by the board of county commissioners for such districts; amending K.S.A. 2-1907c and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)
(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)

4–

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, 1707
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. 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, 103, 107, 108, 109

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, 100, 105

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1604, 1605, 1607, 1608

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, 99

Interstate Cooperation–**Judiciary–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 30, 53, 54, 60, 61, 62, 70, 71, 84, 91, 94, 96, 110, 111

Local Government, Transparency and Ethics–

Senate Bills: Nos. 2, 7, 12, 37, 40, 66, 104

Organization, Calendar and Rules–**Public Health and Welfare–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 3, 19, 29, 31, 41, 67, 82, 88, 102

Senate Select Committee on Veterans Affairs–

Senate Bills: No. 106

Transportation–

Senate Bills: Nos. 17, 18, 97, 98

Utilities–

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

Ways and Means–

Senate Bills: Nos. 68, 86, 101

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 31, 2025**

Friday, January 31

9:00 a.m. Session – PRO FORMA

Transportation

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

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**
Friday, January 31
Meeting on call of the chair

Government Efficiency

9:30 a.m. **Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-5415** **144-S**
Friday, January 31
Meeting on call of the chair

Judiciary

10:30 a.m. **Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant-785-296-6817** **346-S**
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**
Friday, January 31
Meeting on call of the chair

Commerce

1:30 p.m. **Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-7370** **159-S**
Friday, January 31
Meeting on call of the chair

Education

1:30 p.m. **Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant-785-296-7476** **144-S**
Friday, January 31
Meeting on call of the chair

Doctor of the Day

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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

No meeting scheduled

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

Hearing on:

SB 97 — *Granting the purchasers of nonhighway vehicles the option to obtain a title for such vehicle.*

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 5

Meeting on call of the chair

Thursday, February 6

Presentation on Trucking 101

Travis Grauerholz, Kansas Motor Carriers Association

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 7

No meeting scheduled

Assessment and Taxation

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

Monday, February 3

Meeting on call of the chair

Tuesday, February 4

Request for bill introductions

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

546-S

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

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

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

Hearing on:

SB 104 — *Granting the Shawnee county board of county commissioners the discretion to create a citizens commission on local government.*

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 by staff on House Appropriations Committee budget action

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

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 86 — *Establishing the intercity passenger rail service program and making transfers annually to the passenger rail service revolving fund.*

Possible action on bills previously heard

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

No meeting scheduled

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** **144-S**

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

Final action on bills and confirmations previously heard

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 548-S**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

On-Call Committees**Legislative Post Audit Committee****12:00 p.m. Whitney Watson, Committee Assistant-785-431-0123 118-N**Monday, February 3*Performance audit:**Water certification programs (limited-scope)**IT security audit (executive session)**USD 501*

Doctor of the Day

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Monday, February 3

Lynn Fisher, MD, FAAFP, Wichita

Tuesday, February 4

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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*

