

House Committee Agenda

January 24, 2008

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Week of January 22 - 25, 2008

9:00 a.m.	Monday through Friday
Appropriations	Room 514-S
Commerce and Labor	Docking Room 784
Education	Room 313-S
Energy and Utilities	Docking Room 783
Taxation	Room 519-S

Appropriations

Shirley Jepson, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 a.m. Room 514-S

Thursday, January 24

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentation on proposed tax credits for deferred maintenance of Regents

institutions - Representative Kenny Wilk, Chairman of House Tax Committee

Quarterly Report on Deferred Maintenance for Regents Institutions – Diane Duffey,

Vice-President for Finance and Eric King, Facilities Director

Overview of Racing and Gaming Commission – Steve Martino, Executive Director

Commerce and Labor

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 a.m. Docking Room 784

Thursday, January 24

Briefing by the Department of Labor

HOUSE CALENDAR

Friday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Education

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6 -7672

9:00 a.m.

Room 313-S

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Thursday, January 24

Presentation by:

Rochelle Chronister, Chair, 2010 Commission Report

Presentation by:

Joe Glassman, Chair, Post Secondary Vocational Technical Authority

Possible introduction of bills

Energy and Utilities

Renaë Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:15 a.m.

Docking Room 783

Thursday, January 24

Hearing on:

HB 2637 - Telecommunications; pricing flexibility; lifeline service program

Friday, January 25

Board of Public Utilities Requested Report to the Legislature-

Mark Conklin-Chief Council & Human Resources Manager

Taxation

Rose Marie Glatt, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m.

Room 519-S

Thursday, January 24

Introduction of bills

Presentation on:

Disaster Declaration Procedure, Angee Morgan - Kansas Division of Emergency Management

Friday, January 25

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

HB 2640 - Income taxation; relating to credits; capital investments in businesses located in a city substantially damaged by disaster

HOUSE CALENDAR

1:30 p.m.	Monday through Friday
Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee	Room 431-N
Education Budget Committee	Room 514-S
Federal and State Affairs	Room 313-S
General Government Budget Committee	Room 531-N
Health and Human Services	Room 526-S
Transportation	Room 519-S
Transportation and Public Safety Budget	Room 527-S
Veterans, Military and Homeland Security	Docking Room 784

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee

Joyce Bishop, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

1:30 p.m. Room 431-N

Thursday, January 24

Hearing on:

HB 2158 - State fish, bluegill

Agency briefing:

Kansas State Fair

Friday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Education Budget Committee

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph. 6-7681

1:30 p.m. Room 514-S

Thursday, January 24

Meeting on call of the Chair

Federal and State Affairs

Jeannie Dillon, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m. Room 313-S

Thursday, January 24

Overview of Kansas Racing and Gaming:

Stephen Martino, Executive Director, Kansas Racing and Gaming

Bob Krehbiel, Chief Gaming Officer

General Government Budget Committee

Melba Waggoner, Assistant - Ph 6-7693

1:30 p.m. Room 531-N

Thursday, January 24

Meeting on call of the Chair

HOUSE CALENDAR

Friday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Health and Human Services

Chris Haug, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m.

Room 526-S

Thursday, January 24

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Transportation

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m.

Room 519-S

Thursday, January 24

Meeting on call of the Chair

Transportation and Public Safety Budget Committee

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph. 6-7639

1:30 p.m.

Room 527-S

Thursday, January 24

Meeting on call of the Chair

Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Thursday, January 24

Introduction of new bills

Report on results:

SB 9 - Documentation for drivers' license renewal

Carmen Alldritt, Director of Vehicles

3:30 p.m.

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Economic Development & Tourism

Elections and Governmental Organization

Governmental Efficiency and Technology

Insurance and Financial Institutions

Judiciary

Social Services Budget Committee

Monday through Friday

Docking Room 783

Room 519-S

Docking Room 784

Room 526-S

Room 527-S

Room 313-S

Room 514-S

HOUSE CALENDAR

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7500

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 783

Thursday, January 24

Informational report from Kansas Agriculture Products Development Division,
Kansas Department of Commerce
Introduction of bills

Economic Development and Tourism

Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

3:30 p.m. Room 519-S

Thursday, January 24

Stan Ahlerich, Kansas INC

Friday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Elections and Governmental Organization

Piper Cameron, Assistant - Ph-7699

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 784

Thursday, January 24

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

HB 2628 - Townships; sale of personal property

Friday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Government Efficiency and Technology

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m. Room 526-S

Thursday, January 24

Presentation by:

Don Heiman, Legislative Chief Information Technology Officer

Insurance and Financial Institutions

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 p.m. Room 527-S

Thursday, January 24

Commissioner Sandy Praeger, Kansas Insurance Department update
Introduction of bills

HOUSE CALENDAR

Judiciary

3:30 p.m. Cindy O'Neal, Assistant - Ph 6-5805 Room 313-S

Social Services Budget Committee

3:30 p.m. Judy Holliday, Assistant - Ph 6-7616 Room 514-S
Thursday, January 24
Meeting on call of the Chair

Select, On Call and Joint Committees

2010 Commission

10:00 a.m.. Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6-7672 Room 313-S

Friday, January 25

Presentations by:

Gary Sherrer, former Lt. Governor and Kansas Regent

Dr. Andy Tompkins, Dean, College of Education, Pittsburg State University

Mark Tallman, Kansas Association of School Boards

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January 28, 2008

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Week of January 28 - February 1, 2008

9:00 a.m.
Appropriations

Monday through Friday
Room 514-S

HOUSE CALENDAR

Commerce and Labor
Education
Energy and Utilities
Taxation

Docking Room 784
Room 313-S
Docking Room 783
Room 519-S

Appropriations

Shirley Jepson, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 a.m. Room 514-S

Tuesday, January 29

Introduction of proposed legislation

Overview of proposed Financial Management System – Duane Goossen, Secretary, Department of Administration

Presentation and discussion on results and impact of the disbanded central motor pool on certain agencies by:

Duane Goossen, Secretary, Department of Administration; Roger Werholtz, Secretary, Department of Corrections; Laura Howard, Deputy Secretary, Department of Social and Rehabilitative Services; Aaron Dunkel, Deputy Secretary, Department of Health and Environment

Overview of Governor’s Budget for FY 2009 - Legislative Research

Wednesday, January 30

Introduction of proposed legislation

Update by Attorney General’s Office on:

Tobacco Fund, Negotiations with Nebraska on Republican River issues and litigation with Colorado on Arkansas River

Presentation on impact of federal deferrals on SRS, Special Education, Medicaid, S-CHIP and caseloads

Thursday, January 31

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentation on Unified Operating Grant – Dr. Reginald Robinson, Board of Regents

Presentation on impact of early teacher retirement by:

Dr. Reginald Robinson, Board of Regents; Dr. Andy Tompkins, Dean of School of Education, PSU; and Dale Dennis, Department of Education

Friday, February 1

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentation by Steve Weatherford, Kansas Housing Resources Corporation

Kansas Academy of Mathematics and Science by Dr. Ed Hammond, Fort Hays State University

HOUSE CALENDAR

Commerce and Labor

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:15 a.m.

Docking Room 784

Monday, January 28

Meeting on call of the Chair

Tuesday, January 29

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, January 30

Briefing by The Department of Commerce

Thursday, January 31

Briefing by The Department of Commerce

Friday, February 1

Meeting on call of the Chair

Education

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6 -7672

9:00 a.m.

Room 313-S

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Tuesday, January 29

Meeting agenda to be determined

Wednesday, January 30

Briefing on:

Education scholarships by Ellis Foundation

Thursday, January 31

Hearing on:

HB 2605 - School finance; high density at-risk formula; linear transition
Calculation

Energy and Utilities

Renae Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:15 a.m.

Docking Room 783

Monday, January 28

Possible action on bills previously heard

HOUSE CALENDAR

Briefing on:

The KEEP program, Steve Weatherford, Kansas Development Finance Authority

Possible briefing on:

The 2007 KETA report, Mary Galligan, Kansas Legislative Research

Tuesday, January 29

Possible action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

HB 2632 - Energy efficiency, conservation and demand management programs at the Kansas Corporation Commission

Wednesday, January 30

Possible action on bills previously heard

Briefing on:

Individual Net Metering for Solar and Wind Energy, Bill Smalley

Thursday, January 31

Possible action on bills previously heard

Agenda to be announced

Friday, February 1

Possible action on bills previously heard

Agenda to be announced

Taxation

Rose Marie Glatt, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m.

Room 519-S

Monday, January 28 **NOTE ROOM CHANGE TO 313-S**

Presentation:

Motor Fuels Tax - *Future Viability?*

Deb Miller, Secretary of Transportation

Tuesday, January 29

Continuation of briefing by Deb Miller, Secretary of Transportation

Wednesday, January 30

Hearings on:

HB 2467 - Income tax credit for property taxes paid by taxpayers who are 65 years of age or older

HB 2362 - Income tax credit for certain expenditures related to living organ donations

HOUSE CALENDAR

Thursday, January 31

Staff Briefing on:

Corporate Tax Incentives - KDOR

Friday, February 1

Hearing on:

HB 2500 - Property tax exemption for certain housing for certain low income mothers

1:30 p.m.

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Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee

Joyce Bishop, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

1:30 p.m.

Room 431-N

Monday, January 28

Agency briefings:

Kansas Department of Health and Environment - Environment
Animal Health Department

Tuesday, January 29

Agency briefings:

Citizen's Utility Rate Payers Board
Kansas Corporation Commission

Wednesday, January 30

Agency briefings:

Department of Wildlife and Parks
Kansas, Incorporated

Thursday, January 31

Agency briefings:

Kansas Technology Enterprise Corporation
Department of Commerce

HOUSE CALENDAR

Friday, February 1

Meeting on call of the Chair

Education Budget Committee

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph. 6-7681

1:30 p.m.

Room 514-S

Tuesday, January 29

Agency presentation:

Wichita Center for Graduate Medical Education (WCGME), Lana Oleen

Federal and State Affairs

Jeannie Dillon, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m.

Room 313-S

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Thursday, January 31

Introduction of bills

Hearings on:

HB 2003 - Exception allowing day care homes to have double the amount of children licensed for during limited time periods before and after school

HB 2053 - Licensure of child care facilities by cities, counties and school districts

General Government Budget Committee

Melba Waggoner, Assistant - Ph 6-7693

1:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

Monday, January 28

Meeting on call of the Chair

Tuesday, January 29

Introduction of committee staff

Introduction of proposed legislation

Budget overview by:

J. G. Scott, Chief Fiscal Analyst, Legislative Research Department

Julian Efird, Principal Analyst

Wednesday, January 30

Meeting on call of the Chair

HOUSE CALENDAR

Thursday, January 31

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 1

Meeting on call of the Chair

Health and Human Services

Chris Haug, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m.

Room 526-S

Monday, January 28

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Meeting on call of the Chair

Transportation

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m.

Room 519-S

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Monday, January 28

NOTE ROOM CHANGE AND TIME CHANGE - 9:00 a.m.

Presentation on Motor Fuels Tax: *Future Viability*

Deb Miller, Secretary of Transportation, (Old Supreme Court Room 313-S)

Tuesday, January 29

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

HB 2622 - Motor vehicles, display of certain license plates

HOUSE CALENDAR

Wednesday, January 30

Introduction of bills

Presentation by KDOT on workplace safety

Thursday, January 31

Meeting on call of the Chair

Transportation and Public Safety Budget Committee

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph. 6-7639

1:30 p.m.

Room 527-S

Monday, January 28

Meeting on call of the Chair

Tuesday, January 29

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, January 30 **Tour scheduled from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

Tour of Topeka Correctional Facilities

Thursday, January 31

Tour scheduled from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Tour of Kansas Division of Emergency Management Office

Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Monday, January 28

Meeting on call of the Chair

Tuesday, January 29

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, January 30

Presentation by Major General Tod Bunting, Kansas National Guard:

Lessons learned from the 2007 disasters at Greensburg and Coffeyville

Thursday, January 31

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 1

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Agriculture and Natural Resources
Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7500

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 783
Monday, January 28
Introduction of bills

Tuesday, January 29
Commodity Commission Reports

Wednesday, January 30
Introduction of bills

Thursday, January 31
Introduction of bills

Economic Development and Tourism
Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

3:30 p.m. Room 519-S
Monday, January 28
Update on disaster relief by Steve Weatherford of KDFA

Tuesday, January 29
Hearing and possible action on:
HB 2603 - an act concerning income taxation; relating to credits

Wednesday, January 30
Joint meeting with Senate Commerce regarding Kansas Tourism Initiative

Thursday, January 31
Presentation by:
Commerce Secretary, David Kerr

Friday, February 1
Meeting on call of the Chair

HOUSE CALENDAR

Elections and Governmental Organization

Piper Cameron, Assistant - Ph 6 -7699

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Monday, January 28

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Meeting on call of the Chair

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Meeting on call of the Chair

Government Efficiency and Technology

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m.

Room 526-S

Monday, January 28

Presentation by:

Judicial Qualifications Commission and the Office of Disciplinary
Administrator

Tuesday, January 29

Presentation by:

Lana Oleen, Funding Issues, Wichita Graduate Medical Education

Wednesday, January 30

Follow-up presentation:

Eldon Rightmeier, DISC, Unified Communications

Thursday, January 31

Presentation by:

Barbara Hinton, Legislative Post Audit

Insurance and Financial Institutions

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

HOUSE CALENDAR

3:30 p.m. Room 527-S
Monday, January 28
Bill introductions

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Bill introductions

Judiciary

Cindy O'Neal, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 p.m. Room 313-S
**ANYONE WISHING TO APPEAR BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON ANY
OF THE ABOVE BILLS SHOULD CONTACT THE COMMITTEE
ASSISTANT 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE HEARING
EACH CONFEREE IS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE 25 COPIES OF WRITTEN
TESTIMONY**

Monday, January 28
Bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB 2545 - controlled substances, ecstasy and certain meth substances a felony

Action on:

SB 366 - traffic citations; methods of giving notice of failure to comply

Tuesday, January 29
Bill introductions

Hearings on:

HB 2618 - administrative procedure amendments

HB 2619 - change of Judge in civil cases

Possible action on any bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 30
Bill introductions

Hearings on:

HB 2642 - commission on judicial performance; access to court records;
immunity from liability

HB 2643 - resolving a conflict between two statutes concerning service of
process for garnishment on insurance companies

HOUSE CALENDAR

HB 2644 - revises sections of the guardianship and conservator act concerning the procedure for appointing a guardian or conservator
Possible action on any bills previously heard

Thursday, January 31

Bill introductions

Action on:

HB 2617 - mandatory implied consent for serious and fatality accidents

Social Services Budget Committee

Judy Holliday, Assistant - Ph 6-7616

3:30 p.m.

Room 514-S

Monday, January 28

Presentation on:

Oral Health Kansas Report-“Kansas Health Reform: Options for Adding Dental Benefits” Andrew Snyder and Shelly Gehshan, National Academy of State Health Policy

Tuesday, January 29

Overview of home and community based services and the frail elderly

Kathy Greenlee, Secretary, Kansas Department on Aging

Wednesday, January 30

Overview by Kathy Harding, Kansas Association for the Medically Underserved

Thursday, January 31

Overview of home and community based Services

Don Jordan, Secretary, Social and Rehabilitation Services

Friday, February 1

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Doctor of the Day

Phone 296-7397

Pager 224-2663

Room 502-S

Alternate Phone 296-2391 (Legislative Administrative Services)

Thursday, January 24

Doctor Bob Moser, Tribune

HOUSE CALENDAR

Friday, January 25

Doctor Vance Lassey, Holton

JUDY GRACE, Agenda Clerk

JANET E. JONES, Chief Clerk