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**House Committee Agenda  
February 5, 2009**

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**Week of February 2 - 6, 2009**

<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Monday through Friday</b>
<b>Appropriations</b>	<b>Room 143-N</b>
<b>Commerce and Labor</b>	<b>Docking Room 784</b>
<b>Education</b>	<b>Docking Room 711</b>
<b>Energy and Utilities</b>	<b>Docking Room 783</b>
<b>Taxation</b>	<b>Room 535-N</b>

**Appropriations**

Kathy Holscher, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 a.m. Room 143-N

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Commerce and Labor**

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 a.m. Docking Room 784

Thursday, February 5

Briefing by:

Blake Flanders, VP of Workforce Development, Kansas Board of Regents

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

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**Education**

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6 -7672

9:00 a.m. Docking Room 711  
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Thursday, February 5

**Sub-Committee meeting Deena Horst - Chair 9:00 a.m.  
Docking Room 711**

**HB 2008** - School medication aide act; certain persons authorized to administer epinephrine

**Energy and Utilities**

Renae Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:00 a.m. Docking Room 783

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

*Continued hearing on:*

**HB 2182** - *Requiring the Kansas air quality act to be consistent and uniform with the federal clean air act*

**HB 2224** - A utilities act relating to electric power purchase

**HB 2225** - Concerning the state corporation commission relating to compressed air energy storage

**Sub-Committee meeting on Renewables issues, Forrest Knox, Chair, 7:30-8:30 a.m. Docking Room 783**

Possible discussion on:

**HB 2013** - Establishing renewable portfolio standards for public utilities

**HB 2020** - Establishing the renewable energy incentive program

**HB 2038** - Establishing fossil-fuel electric generation standards and evaluating renewable, distributive generation and transmission technology

**HB 2043** - Establishing the net metering and easy connection act for wind generation

**HB 2051** - Establishing the net metering and easy connection act for solar generation

**Sub-Committee meeting on Energy Efficiency issues, Rob Olson, Chair NOON - 1:30 p.m. Docking Room 784**

**HB 2015** - Establishing energy efficiency standards for certain owned and leased property, equipment and vehicles

**HB 2036** - Granting the state corporation commission authority to convene stakeholders to study energy efficiency and storage issues

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**HB 2064** - Light pollution; night sky protection act

**HB 2116** - Requiring the state corporation commission to annually update base load projections; also requiring utilities to establish energy efficiency and loan management programs

**Sub-Committee meeting on KCC issues, Vern Swanson, Chair NOON- 1:15 p.m.**

**Docking Room 786**

*Discussion on:*

**HB 2035** - *Permitting members of large electric cooperatives to elect to be exempt from regulation by the KCC*

Friday, February 6 **8 am - Noon Room Docking Room 783**

**Sub-Committee meeting on Renewables issues, Forrest Knox, Chair, 9:00-11:00 a.m. Docking Room 783**

**Taxation**

Kathy Beavers, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m.

Room 535-N

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

**HB 2079** - Sales tax refund on certain purchasers of telecommunications machinery and equipment

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

**1:30 p.m.**

**Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget  
Corrections and Juvenile Justice  
Federal and State Affairs  
General Government Budget  
Health and Human Services  
Higher Education  
Transportation**

**Monday through Friday**

**Room 431-N  
Room 535-N  
Room 143-N  
Room 531-N  
Docking Room 784  
Docking Room 786  
Docking Room 783**

**Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget**

Diane Brian, Assistant Ph 6-7500

1:30 p.m.

Room 431-N

Thursday, February 5

*Budget report:*

*Duane Goossen, Director of the Budget*

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*Overview of agency duties of the Department of Commerce:*

*David Kerr, Secretary of Commerce*

*Budget presentation and agency comments on the Kansas State Fair*

Friday, February 6

*Presentation on the Western Kansas Weather Modification Program:*

*Walt Geiger*

*Dave Brenn*

**Corrections and Juvenile Justice**

Jackie Lunn, Assistant - Ph 6-7631

1:30 p.m.

Room 535-N

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Thursday, February 5

Hearings on:

**HB 2059** -- Proceeds derived from violation of the uniform controlled substances act or any substantially similar offense from another jurisdiction

**HB 2039** - Identification of defendant by unique DNA profile sufficient for reasonable certainty requirement of warrant

**HB 2040** - Giving the Kansas parole board the authority to defer subsequent parole hearings for up to 20 years for crimes involving two or more victims or a minor

**HB 2236**- Recodification of drug crimes

*Presentation on Sentencing Grid by:*

*Helen Pedigo, Executive Director, Kansas Sentencing Commission*

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

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**Federal and State Affairs**

Nikki Feuerborn, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m. Room 143-N

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Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB 19** - Concealed weapons; U.S. attorneys, county and district attorneys and assistants

**General Government Budget**

Ellen Martinez, Assistant - Ph 6-1769

1:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Health and Human Services**

Janet Grace, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Thursday, February 5

Economic Impact of Healthcare in Kansas presented by Dr. John Leatherman, Kansas State University  
Presentation by Angela Kreps, President, Kansas Bioscience Organization  
Jeff Southard, Vasogenx

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Higher Education**

Kay Scarlett, Assistant - Ph 6-7649

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 786

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

**HB 2004** - Regents institutions; participation in mandatory retirement plans, conditions

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**Transportation**

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 783

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Thursday, February 5

Hearings on:

**HB 2146** - Special overweight or oversize permits; increasing fees

**HB 2147** - Regulating traffic; removal of vehicles from highways

Possible action on bills previously heard

**1:30 p.m. Monday and Wednesday**  
**Vision 2020 Docking Room 711**

**1:30 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday**  
**Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security Docking Room 711**

**Veterans, Military and Homeland Security**

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 711

Thursday, February 5

Hearing and possible work on:

**HB 2085** - An act relating to the veterans claims assistance program; service grant eligibility requirements

**HB 2086** - An act relating to composition of the veterans claims assistance advisory board

**3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday**  
**Agriculture and Natural Resources Docking Room 783**  
**Education Budget Room 531-N**  
**Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight Room 535-N**  
**Judiciary Room 143-N**  
**Social Services Budget Docking Room 786**  
**Transportation and Public Safety Budget Room 136-N**

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**Agriculture and Natural Resources**

Pat Matzek, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 783

Thursday, February 5

Subcommittee meeting on:

**HB 2050** - Adjusting fees for water rights, applications for term permits for appropriating water

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Education Budget**

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph 6-7681

3:30 p.m. Room 531-N

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight**

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m. Room 535-N

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Judiciary**

Sue VonFeldt, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 p.m. Room 143-N

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Possible action on bills previously heard

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**Social Services Budget Committee**

Cyndie Rexer, Assistant - Ph 6-7685

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 786

Thursday, February 5

*Budget hearing on:*

*Commission of Veterans Affairs, including Veteran Affairs, Soldier's Home and Veteran's Home*

*Staff overview*

*Agency presentation*

**Transportation and Public Safety Budget**

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph 6-7639

3:30 p.m.

Room 136-N

Thursday, February 5

*Staff briefing/agency presentation:*

*Fire Marshal*

*Emergency Medical Services Board*

*Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training*

Friday, February 6

*Meeting canceled*

**3:30 p.m.**

**Economic Development and Tourism**

**Elections**

**Financial Institutions**

**Monday and Wednesday**

**Docking Room 711**

**Room 446-N**

**Docking Room 784**

**3:30 p.m.**

**Aging and Long Term Care**

**Insurance**

**Local Government**

**Tuesday and Thursday**

**Docking Room 711**

**Docking Room 784**

**Room 446-N**

**Aging and Long Term Care**

Judy Holliday, Assistant - Ph 6-7616

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

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**ROOM 161-W BY NOON THE DAY OF THE MEETING. MULTIPLE ATTACHMENTS OR PAGES OF TESTIMONY MUST BE COLLATED PRIOR TO SUBMISSION**

Thursday, February 5

Presentations by:

Anne Marie Hughey, Legislative and Policy Advocate, SKIL Resources, Inc.  
Carrie Greenwood, Program Coordinator, Kansas Youth Empowerment Academy

Hearing on:

**HB 2019** - Medicaid eligibility requirements; allow collateral assignment of life insurance proceeds

**Insurance**

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Thursday, February 5

Hearings on:

**HB 2089** - Life insurance, valuation of policies, reserves

**HB 2075** - Providing insurance coverage for colorectal cancer screening

**Local Government**

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

3:30 p.m.

Room 446-N

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Thursday, February 5

Hearings on:

**HB 2030** - Cities; annexation; board of county commissioners; agriculture land restriction

**HB 2031** - Cities; annexation; board of county commissioners decision; election required

**House Committee Agenda  
February 9, 2009**

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**Appropriations**

Kathy Holscher, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 a.m. Room 143-N

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Monday, February 9

Meeting on call of the Chair

Tuesday, February 10

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, February 11

Introduction of proposed legislation

Budget Committee Report on:

Commission on Veterans Affairs

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Thursday, February 12

Introduction of proposed legislation  
Budget Committee report on:  
    Animal Health Department  
    Department of Agriculture  
    Kansas State Fair Board  
Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 13

Introduction of proposed legislation  
Budget Committee report on:  
    Adjutant General  
    CPOST  
    Highway Patrol  
    Kansas Bureau of Investigation  
    State Fire Marshal  
    Emergency Medical Services Board  
    Kansas Parole Board  
    Sentencing Commission  
Possible action on bills previously heard

**Commerce and Labor**

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 784

Monday, February 9

Meeting on call of the Chair

Tuesday, February 10

Hearing on:

**HB 2142** - Cities; continuing education requirements for plumbers, electricians and certain mechanical contractors

Wednesday, February 11

Hearing on:

**HB 2238** - Amending the fairness in private construction contract act and the fairness in public construction contract act regarding retainage

Thursday, February 12

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 13

Meeting on call of the Chair

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**Education**

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6 -7672

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Tuesday, February 10

Hearings on:

**HB 2199** - Concerning school districts and students with dyslexia

**HB 2101** - School districts; supplemental general state aid for certain districts

Wednesday, February 11

Hearings on:

**HB 2227** - School districts; autism scholarships

**HB 2184** - Schools; Abstinence Plus (A+) Education Act

Thursday, February 12

Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

**Energy and Utilities**

Renaë Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:00 a.m. Docking Room 783

Monday, February 9

Hearing on:

**HB 2126** - Requiring telecommunications providers to provide call location information in emergency situations

Possible action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 10

Action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 11

Action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 12

Action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 13

Meeting on call of the Chair

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**Taxation**

Kathy Beavers, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m.

Room 535-N

Monday, February 9

Hearings on:

**HB 2172** - Permanent exclusion from sales taxation of certain cash rebates on sales or leases of new motor vehicles

**HB 2174** - Exclusion of certain social security benefits from Kansas adjusted gross income for income tax purposes for married couples filing a joint return or separate returns

Possible action on bills already heard

Tuesday, February 10

Hearings on:

**HB 2173** - Income tax credit for certain adoption expenses

**HB 2175** - Repealing statute which provides penalty for misclassification of employees

Possible action on bills already heard

Wednesday, February 11

Hearings on:

**HB 2176** - Sales tax exemption for Stephanie Waterman Tennis Foundation

**HB 2189** - Sales tax exemption for golden belt community concert association

**HB 2190** - Sales tax exemption for Steve King foundation

**HB 2191** - Income tax credit for certain services by volunteer firefighters or volunteer EMS providers

Possible action on bills already heard

Thursday, February 12

Hearings on:

**HB 2192** - Sales tax exemptions for Kansas state firefighters association.

**HB 2246** - Cities; neighborhood organizations; nuisance actions for city code violations

**HB 2247** - Cities; rehabilitation of abandoned houses; nonprofit corporations

Possible action on bills already heard

Friday, February 13

Meeting on call of the Chair

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<b>1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Monday through Friday</b>
<b>Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget</b>	<b>Room 431-N</b>
<b>Corrections and Juvenile Justice</b>	<b>Room 535-N</b>
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<b>Transportation</b>	<b>Docking Room 783</b>

**Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget**

Diane Brian, Assistant Ph 6-7500

1:30 p.m. Room 431-N

Monday, February 9

Budget presentation and agency comments on the Department of Agriculture  
Budget presentation and agency comments on the Animal Health Department

Tuesday, February 10

Committee recommendations on the following agency budgets:

Kansas State Fair  
Department of Agriculture  
Animal Health Department

Budget presentation and agency comments on the Board of Accountancy  
Budget presentation and agency comments on the Board of Veterinary Examiners  
Budget presentation and agency comments on the Department of Credit Unions  
Budget presentation and Agency comments on the Securities Commissioner  
Budget presentation and agency comments on the State Bank Commissioner

Wednesday, February 11

Committee recommendations on the following agency budgets:

Board of Accountancy  
Board of Veterinary Examiners  
Department of Credit Unions  
Securities Commissioner  
State Bank Commissioner

Budget presentation and agency comments on Kansas, Inc.

Budget presentation and agency comments on KTEC

Thursday, February 12

Budget presentation and agency comments on the Department of Commerce

Friday, February 13

Budget presentation and agency comments on the Department of Commerce

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**Corrections and Juvenile Justice**

Jackie Lunn, Assistant - Ph 6-7631

1:30 p.m.

Room 535-N

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Monday, February 9

Actions on:

**HB 2096** - Electronic solicitation, child 14 to 16 years of age

**HB 2097** - Criminal jury trials, alternate or additional juror selection

**HB 2098** - Kansas rape shield law, adding aggravated trafficking and electronic solicitation

**HB 2099** - Withdrawal of guilty plea, time limitation

Possible action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 10

Hearings on:

**HB 2060** - Violation of battery against a law enforcement officer causing bodily harm, sentence is presumed imprisonment

**HB 2113** - Assault and battery against court services officers

**HB 2234** - Sexual abuse, sex offenses, intent

**HB 2232** - Authorizing increased membership for corrections advisory boards

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 11

Hearings on:

**HB 2165** - Establishing recklessness as a standard in unlawfully hosting minors in a person's residence

**HB 2233** - Criminal procedure, tolling speedy trial time during appeal by the prosecution

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Thursday, February 12

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 13

Hearing on:

**HB 2207** - Criminal procedure, costs associated with supervision of the conditions of release of the appearance bond

**Federal and State Affairs**

Nikki Feuerborn, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m.

Room 143-N

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Hearing on:

**HB 2186** - Exceptions from amusement ride operation requirements for home-owned amusement rides

Tuesday, February 10

Hearing on:

**HB 2011** - Abortion; reporting; late term abortions reporting

Wednesday, February 11

Hearing on:

**HB 2076** -Woman's-right-to-know act

Thursday, February 12

Hearing on:

**HB 2166** - Health exceptions to the prohibition of late-term and partial birth abortions

**General Government Budget**

Ellen Martinez, Assistant - Ph 6-1769

1:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

Monday, February 9

Meeting on call of the Chair



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Tuesday, February 10

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Meeting on call of the Chair

**Health and Human Services**

Janet Grace, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Monday, February 9

Hearing on:

**HB 2162** - Marriage and family therapists educational requirements and psychologists application fees

Tuesday, February 10

Hearing on:

**HB 2198** - Health insurance, plans for small employers; cafeteria plans; high deductible plans

Wednesday, February 11

**Joint Committee Meeting with the Senate Public Health & Welfare and House Health and Human Services Landon Building Room 106**

Health Disparities presentation:

Kansas Department of Health and Environment

Thursday, February 12

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 13

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Higher Education**

Kay Scarlett, Assistant - Ph 6-7649

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 786

Monday, February 9

Hearing on:

**HB 2197** - State educational institutions; admission standards

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Tuesday, February 10

Discussions and possible actions on:

**HB 2004** - Regents institutions; participation in mandatory retirement plans, conditions

**HB 2007** - State educational institutions; waiver fees and tuition at undergraduate and graduate levels

Wednesday, February 11

Hearing on:

**HB 2228** - Private postsecondary institutions eligibility for the Kansas comprehensive grant program

Thursday, February 12

Discussion and possible action on:

**HB 2197** - State educational institutions; admission standards

**Transportation**

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 783

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Monday, February 9

Hearings on:

**HB 2131** - Disabled veterans license plates, defining disabled veterans

**HB 2132** - Regulating traffic; prohibiting certain texting

**HB 2135** - Regulating traffic, proceeding on red light

Possible action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 10

Presentation:

Secretary Miller, Part 1 of T-Link

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 11

Presentation:

Secretary Miller, Part 2 of T-Link

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Thursday, February 12

Hearings on:

**HB 2137** - Removal of county designation on license plates

**HB 2152** - Towed vehicles, lien thereon, city ordinance or county resolution

**HB 2178** - Abolishing Kansas turnpike authority, transferring to Kansas  
department of transportation

Possible action on bills previously heard

**1:30 p.m.** **Monday and Wednesday**  
**Vision 2020** **Docking Room 711**

**Vision 2020**

Mary Koles, Assistant - Ph 6-7654

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 711

Monday, February 9

Briefings, demonstrations, and discussions on health care delivery:  
telemedicine and telehealth monitoring

Wednesday, February 11

Briefings, demonstrations, and discussions on health care delivery:  
telemedicine and telehealth monitoring

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**Veterans, Military and Homeland Security**

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 711

Tuesday, February 10

Hearing on:

**HB 2171** - Veterans; Vietnam war medallion program

Thursday, February 12

Discussion on:

**HB 2171** - Veterans; Vietnam war medallion program

**3:30 p.m.** **Monday through Friday**  
**Agriculture and Natural Resources** **Docking Room 783**  
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**Agriculture and Natural Resources**

Pat Matzek, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 783

Monday, February 9

Hearing on:

**HCR 5004** - Urging Congress to oppose federal legislation interfering with a state's ability to direct the transport or processing of horses

Possible action on bills

Tuesday, February 10

Hearing on:

**HB 2121** - Amendments to department of agriculture fertilizer and pesticide programs, fixing fees, definitions

Action on:

**HB 2081** - Fixing fees charged by the secretary of agriculture for milk and dairy products

Possible action on bills

Wednesday, February 11

Hearing on:

**HB 2241** - Relating to the state corporation commission's regulation of oil and gas wells

Possible action on bills

Thursday, February 12

Hearing on:

**HB 2213** - Loan agreements pursuant to the veterinary training program for rural Kansas

Possible action on bills

Friday, February 13

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Education Budget**

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph 6-7681

3:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

Monday, February 9

Staff briefing and agency presentation:

State Historical Society - Jennie Chinn, Executive Director

Kansas Arts Commission - Llewellyn Crain, Executive Director

State Library of Kansas - Christie Brandau, State Librarian

Kansas School for the Deaf - Doctor Robert Maile, Superintendent

Kansas School for the Blind - Madeline Burkindine, Superintendent

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Tuesday, February 10

Continuation of agency presentation, if needed

Committee deliberations:

State Historical Society, Kansas Arts Commission, State Library of Kansas,  
Kansas School for the Deaf, Kansas School for the Blind

Agency presentation:

Department of Education - Dale Dennis, Deputy Commissioner

Wednesday, February 11

Continuation of Department of Education

Staff briefing and agency presentation:

Department of Education - Alexa Posny, Commissioner

Thursday, February 12

Continuation of Department of Education, if needed

Committee deliberations:

Department of Education

**Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight**

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m.

Room 535-N

Monday, February 9

Presentation by Kansas Department of Administration:

Martin Eckhardt, Division of Accounts and Reports

Peggy Hanna, Project Manager, State-wide Financial Management System

Tuesday, February 10

Hearing on:

**HB 2194** - State use law; school districts; exception

Wednesday, February 11

Hearing on:

**HB 2195** - Public records; certification of electronic records by the state archivist

Thursday, February 12

Hearing on:

**HB 2249** - Amendments to the Kansas Whistle Blower Act

Possible action on bills previously heard

**Judiciary**

Sue VonFeldt, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 p.m.

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Monday, February 9

Hearings on:

- HB 2109** - Kansas uniform health care decisions act
- HB 2144** - Establishing the community defense act
- HB 2167** - Landowners' bill of rights, utility company work on property

Tuesday, February 10

Hearings on:

- HB 2201** - Conditions on licensee if delinquent in child support
- HB 2208** - Requiring social and rehabilitation services to furnish a copy of all child in need of care information to county or district attorney
- HB 2210** - Child in need of care; jurisdiction in CINC proceedings
- HB 2211** - Child in need of care; placement of child in custody

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 11

Hearing on:

- HB 2204** - Affidavits and sworn testimony in support of probable cause for issuance of warrant are open court records following execution of a warrant or summons; certain exclusions

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 12

Hearings on:

- HB 2168** - Criminal use of weapons; allowing firefighters to carry switch-blade knives while engaged in the duties of their employment
- HB 2123** - Court of appeals judges appointed, by governor, subject to senate confirmation; creating a court of appeals nominating commission to evaluate nominees and make recommendations to the governor
- HCR 5005** - Governor appoints supreme court justices, senate confirms; nominating commission membership amended; commission evaluates nominees and makes recommendation

Possible action on bills previously heard

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**Social Services Budget Committee**

Cyndie Rexer, Assistant - Ph 6-7685

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 786

Monday, February 9

Budget hearing on Commission on Veterans Affairs

Public testimony

Deliberations and recommendations

Tuesday, February 10

Budget hearing on Kansas Neurological Institute and Parsons State Hospital

Staff overview

Agency presentation

Public testimony

Wednesday, February 11

Budget hearing on Larned State Hospital, Osawatomie State Hospital, Rainbow Mental Health Facility

Staff overview

Agency presentation

Public testimony

Thursday, February 12

Budget hearing on Kansas Neurological Institute, Parsons State Hospital, Larned State Hospital, Osawatomie State Hospital and Rainbow Mental Health Facility

Deliberations and recommendations

**Transportation and Public Safety Budget**

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph 6-7639

3:30 p.m.

Room 136-N

Monday, February 9

Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

Tuesday, February 10

Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

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Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

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Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

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**3:30 p.m.** **Monday and Wednesday**  
**Economic Development and Tourism** **Docking Room 711**  
**Elections** **Room 446-N**  
**Financial Institutions** **Docking Room 784**

**Economic Development and Tourism**

Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 711

Monday, February 9

Briefing on:

Workforce Development by the Department of Commerce

Wednesday, February 11

Briefings on:

Wild Life and Parks, Secretary Mike Hayden

Tourism, Becky Blake, Director of Travel and Tourism, Department of Commerce

Film industry, Peter Jasso, Director, Kansas Film Commissioner

**Elections**

Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-1754

3:30 p.m. Room 446-N

Monday, February 9

Hearings on:

**HB 2193** - Campaign finance; filing of certain reports by certain candidates for state office

**HB 2244** - Campaign finance; report of unitemized contributions

Wednesday, February 11

Hearing on:

**HB 2216** - State contracts; registration as lobbyist required

**Financial Institutions**

Joyce Bishop, Assistant - Ph 6-7679

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 784

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Monday, February 9

Hearings and possible action on:

**HB 2091** - Exempting modular homes from Kansas manufactured housing act

**HB 2092** - Prohibiting transfer fee covenants

**HB 2185** - Public moneys, reciprocal deposit program



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Wednesday, February 11

Meeting on call of the Chair

**3:30 p.m.**  
**Aging and Long Term Care**  
**Insurance**  
**Local Government**

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**Docking Room 784**  
**Room 446-N**

**Aging and Long Term Care**

Judy Holliday, Assistant - Ph 6-7616

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

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Tuesday, February 10

Hearings on:

**HB 2055** - Health care for seniors fund; senior services fund; disposition of additional lottery proceeds

**HB 2056** - Health care for seniors fund; disposition of additional tobacco litigation settlement proceeds

**HB 2057** - Enacting geriatric mental health act; establishing a geriatric mental health program

Thursday, February 12

Presentations by:

Jane Rhys, PhD., Executive Director, Kansas Council on Developmental Disabilities

Cindy Hermes, Director, Governmental and Public Affairs Division, Kansas Insurance Department

Possible action on bills previously heard

**Insurance**

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Tuesday, February 10

Hearings on:

**HB 2018** - Workers Compensation Insurance Rates

**HB 2087** - Kansas professional employer organization licensing act

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**HB 2214** - Insurance, risk-based capital requirements

Discussion and possible action:

**HB 2089** - Life insurance, valuation of policies, reserves

Thursday, February 12

Hearings on:

**HB 2041** - Title insurance, amending K.S.A. 40-2404

**HB 2054** - Title insurance, annual audits

Discussion and possible action on bills previously heard

**Local Government**

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

3:30 p.m.

Room 446-N

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Tuesday, February 10

Hearings on:

**HB 2032** - Cities; annexation; deannexation procedures

**HB 2084** - Cities; annexation; strip annexations restricted

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 12

**HB 2083** - Historical preservation; removal of environs review

**HB 2169** - Military installations, land use and zoning ordinances for buffer areas

Possible action on bills previously heard

**Select, On Call and Joint Committees**

**Joint Committee on State Building Construction**

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 2-7676

Noon

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Review of agency capital improvement budgets

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Thursday, February 12

Review of agency capital improvement budgets

**Select Committee on KPERS**

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

8:00 a.m.

Room446-N

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Monday, February 9

Hearings on:

**HB 2072** - Less reduction in disability benefits based on income for certain members of the Kansas police and firemen's retirement system

**HB 2073** - Authorization for KPERS purchase of service credit for certain service as journeyman above apprenticeship for certain teachers

**HB 2090** - KPERS, option for affiliation by counties for county detention officers; normal retirement date; associated costs

**Legislative Post Audit Committee**

Sharon Chandler, Assistant Ph 6-3792

12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Wednesday, February 11

Presentation of a Performance audit regarding Prioritizing State Programs in Kansas  
Presentation of Fiscal Year 2008 Statewide financial-compliance audit

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**Doctor of the Day**

Phone 296-7397

Pager 231-3434

Room 403-N

Thursday, February 5

Doctor Chuck Allred, Salina

Friday, February 6

Doctor Mike Kennedy, Kansas City

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