

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Representative Kenny Wilk at 9:00 a.m. on February 18, 2002, in Room 514-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representative McCreary, Excused
Representative Peterson, Excused

Committee staff present: Amy Kramer, Legislative Research
Becky Krahl, Legislative Research
Alan Conroy, Legislative Research
Paul West, Legislative Research
Deb Hollon, Legislative Research
Jim Wilson, Revisor of Statutes
Mike Corrigan, Revisor of Statutes
Nikki Feuerborn, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: None

Others attending: See attached

Chairman Wilk moved to introduce legislation regarding crimes for smoking in public places. Motion was seconded by Representative Neufeld. Motion carried.

Representative Landwehr moved to introduce legislation which would require six hours of continuing education for licensure and certification for plumbers and contractors. Motion was seconded by Representative Klein. Motion carried.

Representative Stone, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Secretary of State for FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 (Attachment 1). Motion was seconded by Representative Shriver. Motion carried.

Representative Stone, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Secretary of State for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 (Attachment 1). Motion was seconded by Representative Shriver. Motion carried.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Kansas Lottery FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 (Attachment 2). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Kansas Lottery FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 with recommendations (Attachment 2). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Pottorff, Chairperson of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Kansas Racing and Gaming Commission for FY 2002 and FY 2003 (Attachment 2). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Stone, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations on KPERS issues on **HB 2536, HB 2233**, and the Post-retirement Benefit Adjustment Study for FY 2002 and moved for the acceptance

of the report (Attachment 3). Motion was seconded by Representative Pottorff. Motion carried.

Representative Neufeld, Chairperson of the Social Services Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the state hospitals: Larned State Hospital, Osawatomie State Hospital, Rainbow Mental Health Facility, Kansas Neurological Institute and Parsons State Hospital and Training Center for FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 with recommendations (Attachment 4). Motion was seconded by Representative Henry. Motion carried.

Representative Henry, member of the Social Services Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the State Hospitals: Larned State Hospital, Osawatomie State Hospital, Rainbow Mental Health Facility, Kansas Neurological Institute and Parsons State Hospital and Training Center for FY 2003 with recommendations (Attachment 4).

Representative Ballard moved to amend the Budget Committee Report on the Governor's budget recommendations for state hospitals by adding the recommendation that adequate funding or facilities must be granted to the community services for the mentally ill who are being returned to the community from state hospitals to avoid them being placed in jails rather than receiving treatment. Motion was seconded by Representative Landwehr. Motion carried.

The Committee discussed the probable closing of the schools at KNI as they currently have 3 students enrolled, the downsizing of adult beds in state hospitals, reduction in programs at state hospitals, the problem of Rainbow Mental Health Facility not having a partnership with a community health center, the probable decreased funding from the federal government for state hospitals, and the difficulty of building and funding community mental health facilities to accommodate the needs of those mentally ill being returned to local situations.

Representative Henry moved for the adoption of the Social Services Budget Committee report on the Governor's recommendations for the state hospitals: Larned State Hospital, Osawatomie State Hospital, Rainbow Mental Health Facility, Kansas Neurological Institute, and Parsons State Hospital and Training Center for FY 2003 with recommendations and as amended (Attachment 4). Motion was seconded by Representative Bethell. Motion carried.

Representative Pottorff, Chairperson of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Board of Examiners in Optometry for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Shriver. Motion carried.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the State Board of Mortuary Arts for FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the State Board of Mortuary Arts for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the State Board of Pharmacy for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 with recommendations (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Stone, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Kansas Dental Board for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Kansas State Board of Barbering for FY 2002 and FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 and FY 2003 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative

Pottorff. Motion carried.

Representative Stone, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Kansas State Board of Cosmetology for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Feuerborn. Motion carried.

The Committee discussed the appropriateness of the abolishment of this board and placing its functions under the auspices of the Department of Health and Environment due to the health component, i.e. tattooing, cleanliness of facilities, licensing. There are currently 30 tattoo and piercing business sites in the state which require annual inspections.

Representative Pottorff, Chairperson of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Attorney General for FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Pottorff, Chairperson of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Attorney General for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 with recommendations and exceptions (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

The Committee discussed the loss of 51% of the revenue in the Crime Victims Compensation Fund and the Crime Victims Assistance Fund which both receive payment from traffic fines paid into the court. After traffic fines were tripled in the past legislation session, payment has decreased and diversionary agreements have been sought, thus causing a definite shortage from last year.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Insurance Department for FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Shriver, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Insurance Department for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 with notations (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Pottorff. Motion carried.

Representative Stone, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Health Care Stabilization Fund Board of Governors for FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 with an exception (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Pottorff. Motion carried.

Representative Stone, member of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Health Care Stabilization Fund Board of Governors for FY 2003 (Attachment 5).

Representative Stone moved to amend the report to include authorization to raise the official hospitality limit from \$300 to \$400 for the Health Care Stabilization Fund Board of Governors for FY 2003 as was authorized in the FY 2002 recommendations. Motion was seconded by Representative Shriver. Motion carried.

Representative Stone moved for the adoption of the amended Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the Health Care Stabilization Fund for FY 2003 as amended (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Shriver. Motion carried.

Representative Pottorff, Chairperson of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the State Treasurer for FY 2002 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2002 (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

Representative Pottorff, Chairperson of the General Government and Human Resources Budget Committee, presented the Budget Committee report on the Governor's budget recommendations for the State Treasurer for FY 2003 and moved for the adoption of the Budget Committee recommendations for FY 2003 with an adjustment (Attachment 5). Motion was seconded by Representative Stone. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned by the Chairman at 10:59 a.m. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 19, 2002.