

Approved: March 26, 2012

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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Marc Rhoades at 1:04 PM on Monday, March 19, 2012 in Room 346-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Sydney Carlin – excused
Richard Carlson – excused
Peggy Mast – excused
Clark Shultz – excused
Gene Suellentrop - excused

Committee staff present:

J.G. Scott, Chief Fiscal Analyst, Legislative Research Department
Michael Wales, Fiscal Analyst, Legislative Research Department
Jill Wolters, First Assistant Revisor, Office of Revisor of Statutes
Nobuko Folmsbee, Senior Assistant Revisor, Office of Revisor of Statutes
Cindy O'Neal, Administrative Assistant
Kathy Holscher, Committee Assistant

Chairman Rhoades opened discussion **on HB 2785 – Kansas Bioscience Authority; term limit, affiliation and conflict of interest.**

Representative Crum made a motion to remove the contents of SB 40 - Counties; certain contracts exempt from bidding, and add provisions of HB 2785 - Kansas Bioscience Authority; term limit, affiliation and conflict of interest. The motion was seconded by Representative Brown.

Discussion followed by committee members. It was noted that any further amendments to the bill may be addressed on the House floor.

Representative Crum renewed the motion. The motion carried.

Unless specifically noted, the individual remarks recorded herein have not been transcribed verbatim. Individual remarks as reported herein have not been submitted to the individuals appearing before the committee for editing or corrections.

CONTINUATION SHEET

Minutes of the HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS Committee at 1:04 PM on Monday, March 19, in Room 346-S of the Capitol.

Representative Crum made a motion to report **House Substitute for Senate Bill 40 by Committee on Appropriations -- Kansas bioscience authority; term limits, affiliation with KPERS and conflicts of interest** favorable for passage as amended. The motion was seconded by Representative McLeland. The motion carried.

Chairman Rhoades opened discussion on **HB 2442 – Relating to employment of disabled individuals and competitive bids for state contracts.** He stated that this bill was re-referred to the committee.

Representative Feuerborn made a substitute motion to eliminate the language in the bill that refers to e-verify. The motion was seconded by Representative Pottorff. The motion carried.

Representative Feuerborn made a motion for favorable passage of the bill as amended. The motion was seconded by Representative Pottorff. The motion carried.

Chairman Rhoades reported that the next committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 21st at 9:00 a.m.

The meeting adjourned at: 1:13 p.m.