Approved: February 23, 2015

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Ron Highland at 1:30pm on Tuesday, February 10, 2015, 112-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative Dennis Hedke – Excused

Representative Mark Kahrs, appointed substitute member to the committee

Committee staff present:

Sue Mollenkamp, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant

Tamera Lawrence, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Edward Penner, Legislative Research Department

Nick Myers, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

No conferees present

Others in attendance:

See Attached List

Chairman Highland referred to committee minutes for January 26 through 29. <u>Representative Barker moved and Representative Dierks seconded the acceptance of the minutes. The motion passed.</u>

<u>Discussion & possible action on: HB2034 — School district; reducing negotiable terms and conditions in the professional negotiations act.</u>

The Chairman asked Nick Myers to give a brief overview of **HB2034**. Mr. Myers answered questions from the committee

<u>Representative Barker moved and Representative Trimmer seconded favorably passing **HB2034** out of committee.</u>

<u>Representative Boldra moved and Representative Bridges seconded an amendment to strike the contents of HB2034 and replace it with the contents of HB2257 - amendments to the professional negotiations act</u>. Representative Grosserode asked for an explanation of <u>HB2257</u> so members could be clear about what its intent. Tamera Lawrence gave a brief overview of <u>HB2257</u>. There was discussion on the amendment. Representative Boldra closed on the amendment and the Chairman called for a vote. <u>The amendment failed</u>.

Not all committee members requested to have their vote on the amendment recorded. Representatives wishing to record their vote in favor of the amendment were:

Representative Trimmer Representative Lusk Representative Winn Representative Dierks

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Representative Ewy Representative Bridges Representative Boldra

Representatives wishing to record their vote against the amendment were:

Representative Kahrs

Representative Bradford

Representative Barton

Representative Rhoades

Representative Dove

Representative Macheers

Representative Lunn

Attention returned to the bill. There being no further discussion, Representative Barker closed on his original motion, and Chairman Highland called for a vote. *The motion to pass the bill out favorably passed.*

Not all committee members requested to have their vote on the bill recorded. Representatives wishing to record their vote in favor of **HB2034** were:

Representative Bradford

Representative Lunn

Representative Macheers

Representative Dove

Representative Rhoades

Representative Barton

Representatives wishing to record their vote opposing **HB2034** were:

Representative Trimmer

Representative Lusk

Representative Winn

Representative Dierks

Representative Ewy

Representative Bridges

Representative Boldra

The Chairman closed the hearing on **HB2034**.

Discussion & possible action on: HB2028 — Creating the Kansas education standards study

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Chairman Highland opened the hearing on <u>HB2028</u> and asked Tamera Lawrence to give an overview of the bill.

<u>Representative Lunn moved and Representative Bradford seconded passing the bill out of committee</u> favorably. There was discussion on the bill.

Representative Grosserode moved and Representative Bradford seconded **HB2028** be tabled. The motion passed.

The hearing on **HB2028** was closed.

The meeting adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

The House Education Committee will meet next on Wednesday, February 11, at 1:30 in Room 112-N of the Capitol.