

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Dennis Hedke at 9:00 am on Wednesday, February 03, 2016, 582-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative Randy Powell – Excused

Committee staff present:

Matt Sterling, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Erica Haas, Legislative Research Department

Cindy Lash, Legislative Research Department

Patricia Kready, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant

Nick Myers, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Steve Kearney for Lisa Disbrow, Waste Management

Gavin Kreidler, National Waste and Recycling Association

Gary Mason, Deputy Secretary for Environment, Kansas Department of Health and Environment

Others in attendance:

[See Attached List](#)

Bill introductions

Rep. Carmichael introduced a bill regarding pesticide application. *Rep. Carmichael moved to accept the bill, Rep. Kuether seconded, motion passed.*

Hearing on: HB2535 — Hazardous waste and the department of health and environment.

Chairman Hedke opened the hearing on **HB2535**.

Matt Sterling, Assistant Revisor of Statutes presented a bill brief. ([Attachment 1](#)) He stood for questions.

Steve Kearney gave favorable testimony to the bill, in lieu of Lisa Disbrow, Waste Management, who was unable to attend due to flight problems. ([Attachment 2](#)) He stood for questions.

Gavin Kreidler, National Waste and Recycling Association testified in favor of the bill. ([Attachment 3](#)) He stood for questions.

Gary Mason, Deputy Secretary for Environment, Kansas Department of Health and Environment presented neutral testimony on the bill. ([Attachment 4](#)) He stood for questions.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES of the Committee on Energy and Environment at 9:00 am on Wednesday, February 03, 2016 in Room 582-N of the Capitol.

Chairman Hedke closed the hearing on **HB2535**.

The meeting scheduled for Friday, February 5 has been cancelled. Meeting was adjourned at 9:52 am.

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