Approved: <u>April 01, 2015</u>

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Marvin Kleeb at 3:33pm on Monday, March 16, 2015, 582-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative Kathy Wolfe Moore – Excused

Representative Kasha Kelley – Excused

Representative Tom Sawver – Excused

Representative John Alcala – Excused

Committee staff present:

Phyllis Fast, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant

Chris Courtwright, Legislative Research Department

Chuck Reimer, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Scott Wells, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Richard Cram, Kansas Department of Revenue

Others in attendance:

See Attached List

Representative Louis Ruiz substituted for Ranking Minority Member Representative Tom Sawyer.

Informational briefing:

Richard Cram presented information to the Committee concerning the state's sales tax exemptions. The list consisted of fifteen (15) sales tax exemptions with the highest dollar amount, totaling over 97% of all sales tax exemptions monies. He stood for questions. (Attachment 1)

After all questions from the Committee were answered, Chairman Kleeb adjourned the meeting at 4:35 pm.