

MINUTES OF THE SENATE PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Michael O'Donnell at 3:19pm on Thursday, February 18, 2016, at the Rail on the third floor of the Capitol.

All members were present except:
Senator Susan Wagle – Excused

Committee staff present:
Randi Walters, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant
Scott Abbott, Office of Revisor of Statutes
Iraida Orr, Legislative Research Department
Whitney Howard, Legislative Research Department
Kyle Hamilton, Office of the Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:
No conferees present

Others in attendance:
No list available

Final action on bills previously heard

SB422 — Secretary for aging and disability services licensure of certain facilities and standards for treatment of certain individuals; background checks.

SB445 — Client assessment, referral and evaluation program amendments.

SB446 — State psychiatric hospital catchment area definitions.

Chairperson O'Donnell opened final action on **SB422**, **SB445**, and **SB446**. Chairperson O'Donnell explained that these were three Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS) bills that had a hearing during the February 16, 2016, committee meeting.

*Senator O'Donnell moved, Senator LaTurner seconded, to recommend **SB422**, **SB445**, and **SB446** favorably for passage.*

*Following discussion, Senator Haley made a substitute motion, Senator Kelly seconded, to table **SB422**, **SB445**, and **SB446**. Motion carried.*

The meeting was adjourned at 3:22 p.m.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES of the Committee on Public Health and Welfare at 3:19pm, at the Rail on the third floor of the Capitol on Thursday, February 18, 2016 in Room 118-N of the Capitol.

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