

MINUTES OF THE SENATE ELECTIONS AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Tim Huelskamp at 1:30 P.M. on March 19, 2008 in Room 423-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except Senator Wilson and Senator Betts

Committee staff present:

Martha Dorsey, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Ken Wilke, Revisor of Statutes
Jerry Donaldson, Legislative Assistant
Zoie Kern, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Representative Tim Owen, Steve Seawall, CPA

Others attending:

See attached list.

Senator Reitz called the meeting to order.

Ken Wilke gave summary on **HB 2697**.

Discussion.

Written testimony submitted for Carol Williams Executive Director of Ethics Commission on **HB 2697** (Attachment 1).

Discussion.

Hearing closed on **HB 2697**.

Open hearing on **HB 2331**.

Ken Wilke gave summary of **HB 2331**.

Discussion.

Senator Huelskamp resumed chair.

Representative Tim Owens gave testimony as a proponent to **HB 2331** (Attachment 2)

Discussion.

Written testimony on **HB 2331** submitted by Kent Olson, Director Division of Accounts and Reports - Kansas Department of Administration (Attachment 3).

Written testimony on **HB 2331** submitted by Shane Shields, Sumner County Clerk (attachment 4).

Steve Seawall, CPA from Topeka, Kansas gave testimony on **HB 2331** (Attachment 5).

Discussion.

Written testimony was submitted for Joan Wagon, chairperson for Kansas Department of Revenue on **HB 2331** (Attachment 6)

Closed hearing on **HB 2331**.

Working bill **HB 2683**.

Ken Wilke gave summary of amendment to **HB 2683**.

Discussion.

Senator Donovan moved and seconded by Senator Lynn to amend **HB 2683**.

Motion carried.

Senator Pyle moved and seconded by Senator Donovan to move out **HB 2683** favorably as amended.

Motion carried.

Working bill **HB 2804**.

Discussion.

Senator Lynn moved and seconded by Senator Donovan to put **HB 2804** on consent calendar.

Motion carried

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Zoie Kern, Committee Assistant

CONTINUATION SHEET

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