

Approved: May 24, 2002 (by letter)
Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Stephen Morris at 10:55 a.m. on May 2, 2002 in Room 123-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator David Adkins - excused

Committee staff present:

Alan Conroy, Chief Fiscal Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Deb Hollon, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Julian Efir, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Michael Corrigan, Assistant Revisor of Statutes
Judy Bromich, Assistant to the Chairman
Mary Shaw, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: None

Others attending: See attached list

Chairman Morris called the Committee's attention to discussion of:

HB 3009--Payroll deductions for state employees; changing the definition of employee

The Committee discussed the revised proposed amendments submitted by the Department of Administration regarding parking enforcement, commercial leasing and surplus real estate.

Senator Schodorf moved, with a second by Senator Jackson, to amend **HB 3009** and strike Section 1 of the bill regarding the amendment placed on the bill by the House concerning the Regents retirement plan. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Senator Feleciano moved, with a second by Senator Kerr, to adopt the proposed amendments by the Department of Administration (Attachment 1) pertaining to parking enforcement, commercial leasing and surplus real estate, and to exempt the Department of Commerce sale of the Travel Information Center at Olathe and that no proceeds from that sale shall be credited to the surplus real estate fund and not be applicable to real estate given as an endowment, bequest or gift to a state educational institution or the University of Kansas Medical Center and recommend **HB 3009** favorable for passage as amended. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Chairman Morris mentioned that he will write a letter to the Joint Committee on Pensions and Investments requesting that the committee address the issue of the amendment placed on **HB 3009** by the House relating to legislative service in 2001 concerning the Regents retirement plan.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:40 a.m. This was the final meeting of the 2002 Senate Committee on Ways and Means.