

Journal of the Senate

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS
Monday, March 9, 2020, 2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order by President Susan Wagle.

The roll was called with 39 senators present.

Senator Denning was excused.

Invocation by Reverend Cecil T. Washington:

Remembering and Acknowledging Our God Moments!
Psalm 29:1- 11

Lord God of Heaven and earth, Your compassionate, generous kindness has once again carried us through. You've maintained us. You've blessed us with a fair amount of health and You replenish daily a portion of our strength.

Lord, You've kept us, You've protected us from dangers; some seen and some unseen. When the waters of life have been troubling, You've been our bridge.

In times of struggle, You've been our champion. In times of gloom, You've been our delight. Even when time has been running out and we're trying to meet a deadline, it seems like You apply brakes to the clock.

Yet, there've been times Lord, when we've failed to acknowledge Your goodness. Please forgive us for times of ungratefulness. Sometimes, we have received credit and even been commended for what Your unseen Hand has accomplished. Lord, You're in the habit of overcoming our shortcomings and perfecting our imperfections.

You have miraculously helped us to complete tasks that we were unable to finish. Like the Psalmist in 29:1-11, help us to acknowledge with great gratitude Your loving care, guidance and protection. When we pause, as we do right now, to consider the depth and breadth of Your love, it is amazing and sometimes overwhelming.

It's just plain good to know we're in Your Hands. So Lord, to advance our good and the good of Your people, have Your way with us today. To Your glory and honor, I offer this prayer of praise and gratefulness in the Sacred name of Jesus. Amen and Amen!

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Wagle.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

SB 488, AN ACT concerning the Kansas energy office; requiring the director of such office to be confirmed by the senate, by Committee on Ways and Means.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President referred **SB 488** to the Committee on **Utilities**.

REPORT ON ENROLLED BILLS

SR 1765, SR 1766 reported correctly enrolled, properly signed and presented to the Secretary of the Senate on March 09, 2020.

On motion of Senator Petersen, the senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 10, 2020.

CHARLENE BAILEY, CINDY SHEPARD, *Journal Clerks*.
COREY CARNAHAN, *Secretary of the Senate*.

