

Journal of the Senate

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS
Friday, February 12, 2021, 2:30 a.m.

The Senate was called to order pro forma by Senator Brenda Dietrich.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

SB 235, AN ACT concerning education; relating to student attendance; enacting the back to school act; requiring school districts to provide for a full-time, in person attendance option, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

SB 236, AN ACT establishing the Kansas commission for the United States semiquincentennial in the department of wildlife, parks and tourism; prescribing commission membership, responsibilities, meetings and expiration; creating the Kansas commission for the United States semiquincentennial gifts and donations fund. , by Committee on Ways and Means.

SB 237, AN ACT concerning healthcare providers; relating to uncompensated care; requiring the secretary of health and environment to establish a task force for the study and reporting thereof, by Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

SB 238, AN ACT concerning the behavioral sciences; relating to the behavioral sciences regulatory board; professions regulated thereby; reducing certain licensing requirements; requiring board approval to provide clinical social worker supervision; expanding the board's grounds for discipline; expanding temporary permits to practice and imposing requirements for extension thereof; amending K.S.A. 65-5804a, 65-5807a, 65-5808, 65-5809, 65-6309a, 65-6311, 65-6314, 65-6404, 65-6405a, 65-6408, 65-6610, 65-6612, 65-6615, 74-5316a, 74-5324, 74-5363, 74-5367a and 74-5369 and K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 65-6306 and 65-6411 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

SB 239, AN ACT concerning public assistance; relating to food assistance; limitations; authorizing the secretary for children and families to request a waiver from work requirements in the food assistance program if there are insufficient jobs; amending K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 39-709 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

SB 240, AN ACT concerning state finances; relating to drug rebate revenues associated with medical assistance enrollees; requiring deposit thereof into the state general fund; reporting thereof, by Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

SB 241, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to former foster care youth; allowing for state-provided health insurance for children adopted out of foster care; amending K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 38-2001 and repealing the existing section, by

Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

SB 242, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; relating to consumer and mortgage lending; consolidating certain mortgage lending provisions and removing duplicate provisions from the uniform consumer credit code and incorporating such provisions into the Kansas mortgage business act; amending K.S.A. 16-207d, 16a-1-108, 16a-1-301, 16a-2-103, 16a-2-201, 16a-2-202, 16a-2-401, 16a-5-201 and 40-1209 and K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 9-2201, 9-2202, 9-2203, 9-2205, 9-2208, 9-2209, 9-2211, 9-2212, 9-2216a, 9-2220, 16-207, 16a-2-301, 16a-2-302, 16a-2-310, 16a-3-308, 16a-6-104 and 16a-6-108 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 16a-2-307, 16a-3-207 and 16a-3-308a and K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 16a-1-303 and 16a-2-303a, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

SB 243, AN ACT concerning transportation; relating to peer-to-peer vehicle sharing; establishing insurance requirements; liability; recordkeeping requirements; consumer protection provisions; enacting the peer-to-peer vehicle sharing program act; amending K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 50-656 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

SB 244, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to the regulation of pharmacy benefits managers; providing for enhanced oversight thereof; requiring licensure rather than registration of such entities; amending K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 40-3821, 40-3822, 40-3823, 40-3824, 40-3825, 40-3826, 40-3827, 40-3829 and 40-3830 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

SB 245, AN ACT concerning the state corporation commission; relating to electric public utilities; pertaining to financing therefor; authorizing the approval and issuance of energy transition bonds; enacting the Kansas grid resiliency, innovation and dependability act; amending K.S.A. 66-1239 and K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 84-9-109 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

SB 246, AN ACT concerning criminal procedure; relating to forensic evidence collection; providing procedures and limitations thereon; clarifying liability for unlawful conduct under the Kansas tort claims act; amending K.S.A. 22-2520, 22-2523 and 22-2524 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

SB 247, AN ACT concerning law enforcement; relating to certification and hiring of law enforcement officers; prohibiting hiring of officers fired for egregious offenses; requiring psychological testing and firearms and use of force training; amending K.S.A. 74-5605 and 74-5617 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Agriculture and Natural Resources: **HB 2103**.

Assessment and Taxation: **SB 222, SB 226, SB 228, SB 233, SB 234**.

Commerce: **SB 219**.

Education: **SB 221**.

Financial Institutions and Insurance: **SB 218, SB 225; HB 2063, HB 2064, HB 2074, HB 2134**.

Judiciary: **SB 220, SB 229, SB 230, SB 231; HB 2081, HB 2109**.

Public Health and Welfare: **SB 227**.

Transparency and Ethics: **HB 2050**.

Transportation: **SB 224; HB 2014.**

Utilities: **SB 223.**

Ways and Means: **SB 232.**

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Announcing passage of **HB 2001, HB 2120, HB 2121, HB 2165,**

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HB 2001, HB 2120, HB 2121, HB 2165 were thereupon introduced and read by title.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on **Commerce** recommends to the Senate the approval of **ERO No. 48** and the introduction and adoption of the Senate resolution that accompanies this report. SENATE RESOLUTION No. **SR 1709**—

By Committee on Commerce

A RESOLUTION approving Executive Reorganization Order No. 48, transferring the division of tourism and the office of the director of tourism from the Kansas department of wildlife, parks and tourism to the department of commerce.

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas: That Executive Reorganization Order No. 48 is hereby approved; and

Be it further resolved: That the secretary of senate shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the governor and the secretary of state; and

Be it further resolved: That the secretary of state shall cause this resolution to be published in the session laws to show permanently the approval of Executive Reorganization Order No. 48 by the Senate.

TRIBUTES

The Committee on **Organization, Calendar, and Rules** authorizes the following tributes for the week of February 8 through February 12, 2021:

Senator Dietrich: congratulating Christopher Wells on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Tanner Carter on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating James Woods on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Parker Wise on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Luke Webber on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Chase Newell on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Kaden Jueneman on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Alejandro Calderon on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Sage Adair on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, congratulating Zachary Sage on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

On motion of Senator Kloos, the senate adjourned pro forma until 2:30 p.m. February 15, 2021.

CHARLENE BAILEY, CINDY SHEPARD, *Journal Clerks.*

COREY CARNAHAN, *Secretary of the Senate.*

