SENATE CALENDAR

No. 13

Thursday, January 25, 2024 SENATE CONVENES at 2:30 PM

Order of Business

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

388-

SB 388, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system; employment after retirement; increasing the amount of retirant compensation subject to the statutory employer contribution rate; amending K.S.A. 74-4937 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-4914 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance (Financial Institutions and Insurance)

389-

SB 389, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to the farm animal and field crop and research facilities protection act; prohibiting entering or remaining on and knowingly making false statements to gain access to animal facilities and field crop production areas; providing penalties for violations therefor; removing the intent to destroy property; amending K.S.A. 47-1826 and 47-1827 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources (Agriculture and Natural Resources)

390-

SB 390, AN ACT concerning public health; relating to medical care; enacting the conscientious right to refuse act; prohibiting discrimination against individuals who refuse certain medical interventions and creating a civil cause of action against entities who discriminate based upon such medical care refusal; revoking the authority of the secretary of health and environment to order individuals to isolate or quarantine and impose penalties for violations

thereof; repealing K.S.A. 65-126, 65-127, 65-129 and 65-129c.

Committee on Public Health and Welfare (Public Health and Welfare)

391-

SB 391, AN ACT concerning public health; relating to infectious or contagious diseases; changing the authority of the secretary of health and environment and local health officers; naming the constitutional right to health freedom act; revoking the authority of the secretary to order individuals to isolate or quarantine and impose penalties for violations thereof; amending K.S.A. 65-116g, 65-118, 65-119, 65-128, 65-129b and 65-129d and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-101, 65-202 and 72-5180 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 65-126, 65-127, 65-129 and 65-129c.

Committee on Public Health and Welfare (Public Health and Welfare)

392-

SB 392, AN ACT concerning the prescription monitoring program; relating to the attorney general; granting the medicaid inspector general access to the prescription monitoring program database without a warrant; replacing the member of the program advisory committee representing the Kansas bureau of investigation with a member nominated by the office of the attorney general; amending K.S.A. 65-1690 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-1685 and 65-1689 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

393-

SB 393, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to sentencing; requiring automated expungement of certain records; sealing such records from public view and limiting disclosure thereof; amending K.S.A. 21-6614 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

394-

SB 394, AN ACT concerning consumer protection; relating to internet content that is harmful to minors; requiring age verification for access to such content; providing for civil penalties for violations; establishing a civil cause of action for damages, attorney fees and costs.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

395-

SB 395, AN ACT concerning the university of Kansas hospital authority; requiring prior approval by the legislature or the legislative coordinating council when the legislature is not in session, when purchasing, leasing, trading, exchanging or otherwise acquiring, constructing, repairing, remodeling or renovating any real property or facility outside of the state of Kansas;

(Ways and Means)

amending K.S.A. 76-3308 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Ways and Means

396-

SB 396, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system; employment after retirement; reducing the required waiting period to return to work for a period beginning July 1, 2024, and ending July 1, 2029; amending K.S.A. 74-4937 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-4914 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance (Financial Institutions and Insurance)

Reference of Appointments

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Consideration of Motions to Concur or Nonconcur

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Consideration of Appointments

By the Governor:

Brigadier General, Kansas National Guard Col. Nicholas Jaskolski

Commissioner, Kansas Corporation Commission Annie Kuether, to serve a term of four years

Member, Employment Security Board of Review
Dawn McClure, to serve until March 15, 2026
Pam Pierce, to serve until March 15, 2027

Member, Kansas Development Finance Authority
Alan Deines, to serve a term of four years

Jon Small, to serve a term of four years *Member, Kansas Lottery Commission*

Catherine Moyer, to serve a term of four years

Vicki Ryan, to serve a term of four years

Kenneth (Ed) Trimmer, to serve a term of four years

Member, Kansas Racing and Gaming Commission Mike Fleming, to serve a term of four years Larry Turnquist, to serve a term of four years Member, KPERS Board of Trustees

Emily Bowersock-Hill, to serve a term of four years

Brad Stratton, to serve a term of four years

Member, Pooled Money Investment Board

Patty Becker, to serve a term of four years

Craig Heideman, to serve a term of four years

Member, Public Employee Relations Board

Joni Franklin, to serve a term of four years

Keely Schneider, to serve a term of four years

Member, State Banking Board

Justin Nichols, to serve a term of three years

Member, State Board of Indigents' Defense Services

Michelle Ewert, to serve a term of three years

Member, University of Kansas Hospital Authority

Romano Delcore, to serve a term of four years

Elizabeth Henderson King, to serve a term of four years

Kevin Lockett, to serve a term of four years

Robba Moran, to serve a term of four years

Regent, Kansas Board of Regents

Alysia Johnston, to serve a term of four years

Neelima Parasker, to serve a term of four years

Secretary, Kansas Department of Transportation

Calvin Reed, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor

Superintendent, Kansas Highway Patrol

Erik Smith, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor (Confirmation Oversight) (Be Confirmed)

Consent Calendar

(Senate action to be taken on third day or thereafter)

Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

General Orders

ANTICIPATED END OF DEBATE CALENDAR

303-

SB 303, AN ACT concerning legal tender; establishing the Kansas legal tender act; reaffirmation of gold and silver coin as legal tender; providing an income taxation subtraction modification for gains from the sale of specie; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs)

(Be Passed) (Federal and State Affairs) (Be Passed as Amended)

336-

SB 336, AN ACT concerning health and environment; relating to underground storage tanks; removing the requirement for underground storage tank operating permits to be obtained annually; amending K.S.A. 65-34,135 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 65-34,130.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources (Agriculture and Natural Resources) (Be Passed as Amended)

2077-

HB 2077, AN ACT concerning information technology; requiring reporting of significant cybersecurity incidents; changing membership, terms and quorum requirements for the information technology executive council; relating to information technology projects and reporting requirements; information technology security training and cybersecurity reports; duties of the chief information security officer; requiring certain information to be provided to the joint committee on information technology; amending K.S.A. 46-2102, {74-5704,} 75-7201, 75-7202, 75-7205, 75-7206, 75-7208, 75-7209, 75-7210, 75-7211, 75-7237, 75-7238, 75-7239, 75-7240 and 75-7242 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Appropriations

(Ways and Means) (Be Passed as Amended)

2033-

HB 2033, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to children in need of care; juvenile crisis intervention centers; changing the criteria used to refer and admit juveniles; defining behavioral health crisis; amending K.S.A. 38-2202, 38-2231, 38-2243, 38-2302, 38-2330, 65-536 and 75-52,164 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice (Public Health and Welfare) (Be Passed as Amended)

2034-

HB 2034, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to procedures in investigations of child abuse or neglect; requiring a child abuse review and evaluation referral; creating a program in the department of health and environment for the training and payment for child abuse reviews and exams; defining child abuse review and evaluation providers, networks and examination and child abuse medical resource centers; amending K.S.A. 38-2202 and 38-2226 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care (Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2340 -

HB 2340, AN ACT concerning the behavioral sciences; requiring the behavioral sciences regulatory board to process applications within a certain time and establish an expedited application process; relating to licensure and regulation; professional counselors, social workers, marriage and family therapists, addiction counselors, behavior analysts, psychologists and master's level psychologists; decreasing the years of practice required for reciprocity licensure; providing reduced diagnosis and treatment continuing education requirements; establishing license categories for applicants from social work programs in candidacy for accreditation and for temporary reinstatement; extending the license period of temporary licenses; establishing a communitybased license for professional counselors, social workers, marriage and family therapists and psychologists; amending K.S.A. 65-5802, 65-5806, 65-6302, 65-6313, 65-6314, 65-6402, 65-6407, 65-6608, 65-6614, 65-6618, 65-7504, 65-7505, 74-5302, 74-5318, 74-5361, 74-5365, 74-5366, 74-5367 and 74-7501 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 65-5804a, 65-5807, 65-5808, 65-6306, 65-6309, 65-6322, 65-6404, 65-6405, 65-6406, 65-6411, 65-6610, 65-6611, 65-6613, 74-5310, 74-5315, 74-5316, 74-5363 and 74-5375 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 74-5339.

Committee on Health and Human Services (Public Health and Welfare) (Be Passed as Amended)

308-

SB 308, AN ACT concerning public employees; relating to hiring and promotion preferences for state employment; providing for a preference for persons with a disability; expanding the veterans preference to include remarried spouses of a deceased veteran who died while, and as a result of, serving in the armed forces and to include surviving spouses, whether remarried or not remarried of a prisoner of war; amending K.S.A. 73-201 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Ways and Means) (Be Passed)

104-

SB 104, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; relating to payments made

with credit and debit cards; allowing a surcharge for use of such cards; requiring notification to consumers of such surcharge; amending K.S.A. 12-16,125 and 72-1176 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 19-122 and 75-30,100 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 16a-2-403.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance

(Financial Institutions and Insurance) (Be Passed as Amended) (Ways and Means)

2293-

HB 2293, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to jailhouse witness testimony; requiring prosecutors to disclose their intent to introduce testimony from a jailhouse witness and to forward related information to the Kansas bureau of investigation; providing for confidentiality of such information; amending K.S.A. 45-229 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary) (Be Passed as Amended)

2338 -

HB 2338, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to sickle cell disease; designating sickle cell awareness week.

Committee on Health and Human Services (Public Health and Welfare) (Be Passed as Amended)

2106-

HB 2106, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to sales and compensating use tax; providing for a sales tax exemption for sales of property and services used in the provision of communications services; providing for a deduction for calculating tax owed when selling a motor vehicle that is purchased within 90 days of the sale of another vehicle; amending K.S.A. 12-199 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation

(Assessment and Taxation) (Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2069-

S Sub HB 2069, AN ACT concerning real property; relating to the conveyance thereof; prohibiting the conveyance of certain real property to foreign adversaries; establishing criminal penalties therefor; requiring the attorney general to investigate such conveyances.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary) (Be Passed)

63-

SB 63, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the campaign finance act; expanding the scope of permitted uses of campaign contributions to include

family caregiving services; amending K.S.A. 25-4157a and repealing the existing section.

Senators Corson, Blasi, Claeys, O'Shea, Pittman, Straub (Transparency and Ethics) (Be Passed as Amended) (Ways and Means)

2086-

HB 2086, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to election procedures; clarifying duties and qualifications of certain election officials; redefining certain election crimes; amending K.S.A. 10-120, 15-809, 19-303, 19-804, 19-3419, 19-3422, 19-3439, 25-105, 25-203, 25-208a, 25-211, 25-212, 25-213, 25-303, 25-308, 25-321, 25-432, 25-433, 25-604, 25-610, 25-901, 25-1115, 25-1122, 25-1214, 25-1903, 25-2005, 25-2008, 25-2018, 25-2021, 25-21a02, 25-2310, 25-2502, 25-2507, 25-26a03, 25-2702, 25-2704, 25-2705, 25-2706, 25-2805, 25-2812, 25-2905, 25-3002, 25-3005, 25-3104, 25-3107, 25-3201, 25-3301, 25-3303, 25-3304, 25-3801, 25-4004, 25-4005, 25-4148d, 25-4322, 25-4612, 25-4703, 25-4709 and 71-1415 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 19-3424, 25-3009 and 25-4414 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 25-222, 25-305b, 25-1709 and 25-1710.

Committee on Elections

(Federal and State Affairs) (Be Passed as Amended)

68-

SB 68, AN ACT concerning electric transmission lines; relating to construction and ownership of certain electric transmission lines; providing incumbent electric transmission owners a right of first refusal.

Committee on Utilities

(Utilities) (Be Passed as Amended) (Ways and Means)

23-

SB 23, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system; Kansas public employees retirement fund; investment standards; eliminating the statutory 15% alternative investment percentage limit thereto; requiring the board of trustees to set alternative investment percentage limit; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 74-4921 and repealing the existing section.

Joint Committee on Pensions, Investments and Benefits (Financial Institutions and Insurance)

(Be Passed) (Ways and Means)

2191-

HB 2191, AN ACT concerning the children's cabinet; authorizing the cabinet to establish a nonprofit corporation to raise funds to benefit the Dolly Parton's

imagination library book gifting program.

Committee on Appropriations

(Ways and Means) (Be Passed)

190-

SB 190, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; release prior to trial; requiring a waiver of extradition proceedings as a condition of release prior to trial for any person charged with a felony; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 22-2802 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary) (Be Passed)

Sub 249-

Sub SB 249, AN ACT concerning the offices of the state treasurer, the commissioner of insurance and the lieutenant governor; relating to the filling of a vacancy in such offices; requiring appointment of a person of the same political party as the incumbent; requiring senate confirmation of such appointment; amending K.S.A. 25-101b, 40-106 and 75-127 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs (Federal and State Affairs) (Be Passed)

Bills Adversely Reported

Status of Bills and Resolutions

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Senate bills passed in Senate: Nos. 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 37, 39, 40, 42, 44, 49, 53, 55, 59, 66, 73, 75, 83, 85, 91, 96, 98, 106, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 119, 120, 123, 127, 130, 131, 132, 143, 144, 147, 155, 169, 174, 180, 189, 194, 195, 205, 208, 209, 217, 219, 221, 228, 229, 232, 233, 243, 244, 248, 252, 265, 271, 287, 291, 297, 300, 301, 307, 314, 315
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Senate bills killed in Senate: Nos. 82, 152, 203, 210, 238, 295, 309

Senate bills passed by the House: Nos. 3, 8, 11, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 39, 42, 44, 49, 66, 73, 75, 83, 85, 106, 113, 114, 115, 116, 119, 120, 123, 131, 132, 144, 169, 174, 180, 189, 205, 208, 209, 217, 221, 228, 229, 243, 244

Senate bills killed in the House: Nos. 13, 194

Senate bills in conference: Nos. 14, 15, 18, 19, 27, 28, 73, 115

Senate bills awaiting the signature of the governor:

Senate bills signed by the Governor: Nos. 3, 11, 17, 24, 25, 39, 42, 44, 49, 66, 75, 85, 106, 113, 114, 116, 119, 120, 123, 131, 132, 144, 174, 180, 189, 205, 208, 217, 221, 228, 229, 243, 244

Senate bills becoming law without Governor's signature:

Senate bills vetoed by Governor: Nos. 8, 26, 169, 180, 209, 228

Senate bills line item vetoed by Governor: Nos. 25, 113

Senate bills becoming law notwithstanding Governor's veto:

Senate resolutions adopted: Nos. 1701, 1702, 1703, 1704, 1705, 1706, 1707, 1708, 1709, 1710, 1711, 1712, 1713, 1714, 1715, 1716, 1717, 1718, 1719, 1720, 1721, 1722, 1723, 1724, 1725, 1726, 1727, 1728, 1729, 1730, 1731, 1732

Senate resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted: Nos. 1601, 1602, 1603, 1611, 1612 Senate concurrent resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted by House: Nos. 1601, 1602, 1603, 1612 Senate concurrent resolutions killed in House:

House bills passed in the Senate: Nos. 2002, 2010, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2027, 2039, 2042, 2053, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2065, 2070, 2080, 2082, 2087, 2089, 2090, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2100, 2114, 2121, 2125, 2127, 2130, 2131, 2138, 2147, 2160, 2170, 2172, 2173, 2184, 2196, 2197, 2214, 2216, 2225, 2226, 2234, 2236, 2238, 2240, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2269, 2279, 2284, 2285, 2288, 2290, 2292, 2298, 2302, 2304, 2313, 2322, 2323, 2325, 2326, 2332, 2335, 2336, 2344, 2346, 2350, 2375, 2390, 2395

House bills killed in the Senate: No. 2141

House bills in conference: Nos. 2070, 2089, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2234, 2375 House concurrent resolutions adopted by the Senate: Nos. 5001, 5002, 5003, 5012, 5015, 5016, 5018, 5019

House concurrent resolutions killed in the Senate:

House concurrent resolutions in conference:

Bills in Senate Committees

Agriculture and Natural Resources-

Senate Bills: Nos. 71, 105, 331, 347

House Bills: No. 2047

Assessment and Taxation-

Senate Bills: Nos. 4, 7, 21, 22, 29, 30, 41, 52, 54, 56, 57, 58, 60, 61, 79, 80, 81, 89, 94, 97, 101, 110, 124, 125, 126, 128, 129, 136, 138, 164, 168, 178, 179, 196, 227, 230, 247, 263, 264, 274, 299, 306, 311, 313, 327, 332, 376, 377

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1604, 1613

House Bills: Nos. 2026, 2036, 2176, 2201, 2229, 2232, 2254, 2317, 2416,

2421, 2465

Commerce-

Senate Bills: Nos. 38, 47, 70, 140, 159, 165, 282, 325, 329, 333 House Bills: Nos. 2275, 2331, 2387, 2388, 2400, 2401, 2414

Confirmation Oversight-

Education-

Senate Bills: Nos. 31, 32, 48, 84, 102, 109, 122, 145, 167, 184, 185, 207, 226, 231, 255, 304, 316, 348, 351, 360, 386, 387

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1608

House Bills: No. 2132

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5004

Appointments:

Member, State Board of Regents:

Jonathan Rolph, term ends June 30, 2027

Federal and State Affairs-

Senate Bills: Nos. 1, 36, 64, 65, 69, 77, 92, 93, 99, 117, 133, 134, 135, 156, 157, 171, 177, 197, 200, 202, 218, 220, 222, 223, 224, 250, 251, 253, 254, 257, 259, 260, 262, 268, 269, 276, 285, 286, 290, 293, 296, 310, 321, 322, 323, 328, 343, 344, 358, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 373, 374, 375, 385

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1605, 1606, 1609, 1614

House Bills: Nos. 2056, 2124, 2291, 2314, 2376, 2378, 2412, 2422, 2436, 2438, 2439, 2446

Appointments:

Fire Marshal, State Fire Marshal:

Mark Engholm, at the pleasure of the Governor

Financial Institutions and Insurance-

Senate Bills: Nos. 16, 51, 62, 76, 199, 204, 236, 245, 256, 302, 338, 339, 340, 345, 356

House Bills: Nos. 2105, 2133, 2198, 2247

Interstate Cooperation–

Judiciary-

Senate Bills: Nos. 2, 9, 50, 72, 74, 87, 95, 100, 107, 108, 137, 141, 146, 149, 158, 160, 170, 182, 183, 186, 187, 188, 192, 193, 201, 211, 216, 237, 239, 240, 241, 242, 258, 261, 266, 267, 270, 279, 280, 283, 288, 289, 292, 298, 317, 318, 341, 361, 364, 372, 379, 380, 381

House Bills: Nos. 2017, 2018, 2023, 2144, 2392, 2398, 2443

Local Government-

Senate Bills: Nos. 86, 150, 162, 212, 273, 312, 346, 362, 383, 384

House Bills: No. 2083

Organization, Calendar and Rules-

Senate Resolutions: No. 1730

Public Health and Welfare-

Senate Bills: Nos. 12, 20, 43, 45, 103, 111, 118, 121, 139, 148, 161, 173, 175, 176, 181, 191, 206, 213, 225, 234, 235, 246, 277, 281, 294, 305, 319, 320, 352, 353, 354, 355, 363, 371

House Bills: Nos. 2140, 2179, 2194, 2260, 2408

Transparency and Ethics-

Transportation-

Senate Bills: Nos. 90, 142, 215, 334, 335, 337, 342, 349, 357, 359

House Bills: No. 2149

Utilities-

Senate Bills: Nos. 46, 78, 88, 154, 166, 214, 278, 284

Appointments:

Member, State Corporation Commission:

Andrew French, term ends March 15, 2028

Ways and Means-

Senate Bills: Nos. 10, 35, 67, 151, 153, 163, 172, 198, 272, 275, 324, 326, 330, 350, 378, 382

House Bills: Nos. 2418, 2449, 2452

Senate Committee Agenda

The following is a tentative schedule of Committees and is subject to change day-today. Committees not listed have no meetings scheduled.

New or changed material for the present week will be printed in *italics*.

On-call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda. Sub-Committees will be listed at the time of the Committee's regular meeting.

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2024 SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS SCHEDULE All Committees will meet Daily

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TIME		MEETING ROOM					
8:30 a.m.	Agriculture and Natural Resources	144-S					
	Public Health and Welfare	142-S					
	Transportation	546-S					
9:30 a.m.	Assessment and Taxation	548-S					
	Financial Institutions and Insurance	546-S					
	Local Government	142-S					
	Transparency and Ethics	142-S					
10:30 a.m.	Commerce	546-S					
	Federal and State Affairs	144-S					
	Judiciary	346-S					
	Ways and Means	548-S					
1:30 p.m.	Education	144-S					
•	Utilities	548-S					

Note: Senate committees: Interstate Cooperation, Organization, Calendar and Rules, Confirmation Oversight, and any subcommittees are not listed. These committees are "On-call" and will appear in Daily Calendars.

Senate Schedule Week of January 25 - 26, 2024

Thursday, January 25
2:30 p.m. Session
Friday, January 26
9:00 a.m. Session – PRO FORMA

Agriculture and Natural Resources

8:30 a.m. Patti Mills, Committee Assistant–785-296-7742

144-S

Thursday, January 25

Possible final action on:

SB 331 — Removing the definition of lead-free and an exception for leaded joints in the public water supply systems law and updating terminology relating to hazardous waste generated by certain persons.

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Public Health and Welfare

8:30 a.m. Donola Fairbanks, Committee Assistant-785-296-5123 142-S

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Youth Suicide Prevention

988 Suicide Hotline

Deliberation on agency budgets:

Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs Office

Kansas Guardianship Program

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Transportation

8:30 a.m. Florence Deeter, Committee Assistant–785-296-7355 546-S

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Briefing on:

Kansas Department of Transportation, Airport Facilities Inventory and Needs

Assessment Report

Review of:

Distracted Driving Laws, Jill Shelley, Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Assessment and Taxation

9:30 a.m. John Gauntt, Committee Assistant-785-296-2713 548-S

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 264 — Increasing the income tax credit amount for household and dependent care expenses.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 26

Meeting on call of the chair

Financial Institutions and Insurance

9:30 a.m. Suzanne Nelson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7367 546-S

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Overview and update, Kansas Public Employees Retirement System (KPERS), Alan Conroy, Executive Director, KPERS; Jarod Waltner, Planning and Research Officer, KPERS

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Local Government

9:30 a.m. Jackie Gutierrez, Committee Assistant–785-296-7377 142-S

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 362 — Repealing the expiration provisions of the Sedgwick county urban area nuisance abatement act.

Learning about the history and mechanics of local ad valorem tax reduction fund

Transparency and Ethics

9:30 a.m. Randi Walters, Committee Assistant-785-296-7389 142-S

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Commerce

10:30 a.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-7476 546-S

Thursday, January 25

Briefing on:

Results of the CEO poll on the top concerns for Kansas business owners, Alan Cobb, President/CEO, Kansas Chamber

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Federal and State Affairs

10:30 a.m. Sheila Wodtke, Committee Assistant–785-296-4335

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Budget hearings:

Kansas Lottery

Kansas Racing and Gaming Commission

Friday, January 26

Meeting on call of the chair

Judiciary

10:30 a.m. Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant–785-296-6817 346-S

Thursday, January 25

Update on:

Kansas Department of Corrections

Request for bill introductions

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Ways and Means

10:30 a.m. Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant-785-296-3775 548-S

Thursday, January 25

Time reserved for subcommittees

Friday, January 26

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Office of Administrative Hearings

Board of Indigents' Defense Services

Judicial Council

State Historical Society

State Library

Note: Ways and Means Subcommittees appear in alphabetical order at the end of the committee agenda listings

Education

1:30 p.m. Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant–785-296-7368

144-S

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Briefing on:

Legislative Post Audit Report Estimating the Cost of K-12 Education

Legislative Post Audit Report Evaluating At-Risk Expenditures and Statutory

Compliance

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Utilities

1:30 p.m. Susanne Murphy, Committee Assistant–785-296-7678 548-S

Thursday, January 25

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Competitiveness of Kansas Electric Rates, Justin Grady, Chief of Revenue

Requirements, Kansas Corporation Commission

Important Consumer Issues, David Nickel, Consumer Counsel, Citizens' Utility

Ratepayer Board

Friday, January 26

No meeting scheduled

Ways and Means Subcommittee on Corrections and Public Safety

9:30 a.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399

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Friday, January 26

Hearing continuation and deliberation on:

Department of Corrections System

Ways and Means Subcommittee on Legislative

10:30 a.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399

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Thursday, January 25

Hearing and deliberation on agency budget:

Office of the Governor

Legislative Coordinating Council

Legislative Research Department

Legislature

Legislative Division of Post Audit

Office of the Revisor of Statutes

Legislative Agencies

On-Call Committees

Joint Committee on State Building Construction

12:00 p.m. Judy Marks, Committee Assistant-785-296-7353

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Thursday, January 25

Budget presentation:

Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs

Judicial Branch

Kansas Highway Patrol

Department of Wildlife and Parks

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services/State Hospitals

Kansas State Fair

Kansas Bureau of Investigation

Doctor of the Day

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Thursday, January 25
Brian Comer, DO, Derby
Friday, January 26
No doctor scheduled

Senate Schedule Week of January 29 - February 2, 2024

Monday, January 29

2:30 p.m. Session

Tuesday, January 30

2:30 p.m. Session

Wednesday, January 31

2:30 p.m. Session

Thursday, February 1

2:30 p.m. Session

Friday, February 2

9:00 a.m. Session - PRO FORMA

Agriculture and Natural Resources

8:30 a.m. Patti Mills, Committee Assistant–785-296-7742

Monday, January 29

Budget hearing on:

Kansas State Fair

Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks

Possible budget recommendations on:

Kansas State Fair

Tuesday, January 30

Budget recommendations on:

Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks

Hearing on:

Kansas Water Office

Kansas Department of Health and Environment – Division of Environment

Wednesday, January 31

Budget hearing on:

Kansas Department of Agriculture

Possible budget recommendations on:

Kansas Department of Health and Environment – Division of Environment

Kansas Water Office

Thursday, February 1

Budget recommendations on:

Kansas Department of Agriculture

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Public Health and Welfare

8:30 a.m. Donola Fairbanks, Committee Assistant–785-296-5123

Monday, January 29

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Foster Care Update – Department for Children and Families

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 363 — Amending statutes regulating the practice of barbering regarding licensure, examination and fees.

Thursday, February 1

Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Transportation

8:30 a.m. Florence Deeter, Committee Assistant–785-296-7355 546-S

Monday, January 29

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, January 30

Hearing on:

Senate Transportation Budget

Wednesday, January 31

Hearing on:

SB 359 — Providing for the Kansas City Chiefs distinctive license plate.

SB 342 — Providing for the Sedgwick county zoo distinctive license plate.

Thursday, February 1

Informational briefing:

Motorola Solutions: License Plate Recognition

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Assessment and Taxation

9:30 a.m. John Gauntt, Committee Assistant–785-296-2713 548-S

Monday, January 29

Meeting on call of the chair

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 377 — Increasing the extent of property tax exemption for residential property from the statewide school levy, decreasing the normal rate of privilege tax, increasing the household and dependent care expenses income tax credit amount, exempting all social security benefits from Kansas income tax, increasing the Kansas standard deduction, providing for an annual sales tax holiday for certain sales of school supplies, computers and clothing, providing sales tax exemptions for children's diapers and feminine hygiene products and reducing the state rate of tax on sales of food and food ingredients to 0% on April 1, 2024.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 306 — Including losses from investments in technology-enabled fiduciary financial institutions in Kansas adjusted gross income for income tax purposes.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 2

Meeting on call of the chair

Financial Institutions and Insurance

9:30 a.m. Suzanne Nelson, Committee Assistant-785-296-7367 546-S

Monday, January 29

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Budget presentation and deliberations:

Kansas Public Employees Retirement System budget, Steven Wu, Kansas

Legislative Research Department

Office of Kansas State Treasurer, Chardae Caine, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Pooled Money Investment Board, Chardae Caine, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 356 — Requiring that per diem amounts, expenses and funding for examinations be reasonable and establishing a tiered fee structure for examinations of insurance companies and societies based on gross premiums.

Discussion and action on budgets:

Kansas Public Employees Retirement System

Office of Kansas State Treasurer

Pooled Money Investment Board

Thursday, February 1

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Local Government

9:30 a.m. Jackie Gutierrez, Committee Assistant-785-296-7377 142-S

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 346 — Restricting who can propose rezoning amendments to city and county zoning regulations.

SB 383 — Authorizing the board of directors for a drainage district to hold a meeting in executive session in accordance with the open meetings act.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 384 — Allowing ambulances in rural communities to operate with only the minimum personnel required by state law.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Transparency and Ethics

9:30 a.m. Randi Walters, Committee Assistant-785-296-7389 142-S

Monday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Hearing and deliberation on agency budget:

Kansas Board of Pharmacy

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

Board of Nursing

Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Update on:

Kansas Governmental Ethics Commission, Mark Skoglund, Executive Director

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Commerce

10:30 a.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-7476 546-S

Monday, January 29

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, January 30

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Commerce 2023 Annual Report

Thursday, February 1

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, February 2

Meeting on call of the chair

Federal and State Affairs

10:30 a.m. Sheila Wodtke, Committee Assistant–785-296-4335

Monday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Final action on:

SB 254 — Providing for the filling of a vacancy in the office of United States senator by a statewide party delegate convention.

Kansas Lottery and Kansas Racing and Gaming Commission budgets

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB 2446 — Prohibiting cities and counties from regulating plastic and other containers designed for the consumption, transportation or protection of merchandise, food or beverages.

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 253 — Authorizing home delivery by licensed retailers, licensed clubs and drinking establishments and restaurants and third-party delivery services.

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 368 — Prohibiting the use of any form of ranked-choice voting method for the conduct of elections.

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Judiciary

10:30 a.m. Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant-785-296-6817

Monday, January 29

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, January 30

Update on:

SB 228 — Requiring the secretary for aging and disability services to reimburse counties for certain costs when a person is in a county jail awaiting examination, evaluation or treatment for competency, modernizing statutes concerning county jails, removing the requirement that every county shall have a jail, modifying procedures used when district courts commit prisoners to jail in another county and when counties contract with city jails to keep prisoners and requiring a medical examination before certain United States prisoners or city prisoners are taken into custody of a county jail.

Ed Klumpp, Kansas Sheriffs Association; Kansas Association of Chiefs of Police; Kansas Peace Officers Association

Request for bill introductions

Wednesday, January 31

Undate on:

Kansas Sentencing Commission, Scott Schultz, Executive Director

Request for bill introductions

Thursday, February 1

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Ways and Means

10:30 a.m. Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant-785-296-3775

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Monday, January 29

Time reserved for subcommittees

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Kansas Lottery

Kansas Racing and Gaming Commission

Governmental Ethics Commission

Real Estate Appraisal Board

Real Estate Commission

Board of Examiners in Optometry

Briefing on:

2026 World Cup Event

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Emergency Medical Services Board

State Fire Marshal

Department of Corrections System

Office of the Governor

Update on:

Docking State Office Building and KDHE Lab, Department of Administration

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 1

Time reserved for subcommittees

Friday, February 2

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Abstracters' Board of Examiners

Kansas Dental Board

Kansas Board of Hearing Aid Examiners

Legislative Coordinating Council

Legislative Research Department

Legislature

Legislative Division of Post Audit

Office of the Revisor of Statutes

Legislative Agencies

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Education

1:30 p.m. Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant–785-296-7368

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Monday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 387 — Providing for the continued enrollment of students who attend a school district of nonresidence pursuant to the school district open enrollment law.

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 386 — Requiring enrollment under the Kansas school equity and enhancement act to be determined using the current school year or the preceding school year and requiring any district that closed a school building in the preceding school year to use the current year enrollment count.

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 360 — Allowing a taxpayer to elect the taxable year in which a subtraction modification for contributions to a 529 program account, ABLE account or first-time home buyer savings account would be applied and authorizing the state treasurer to appoint a 529 program advisory council.

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Technical Colleges By the Numbers

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

Utilities

1:30 p.m. Susanne Murphy, Committee Assistant–785-296-7678

548-S

Monday, January 29

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Briefing by staff on:

Kansas Corporation Commission and Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board agency budgets, Luke Drury, Sr. Fiscal Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Wednesday, January 31

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Robocalls, Fran Oleen, Deputy Attorney General, Public Protection Division Transmission Cost Allocation, Bill Dowling, VP of Engineering and Energy Supply, Midwest Energy

Thursday, February 1

Request for bill introductions

Possible final action on:

Kansas Corporation Commission and Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board agency budgets, Luke Drury, Sr. Fiscal Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department Presentation on:

Overview on 911 System's Implementation, Chris Clark, Legislative Post Audit Audit of the Kansas 911 System, David Brevitz, Brevitz Consulting Services

Friday, February 2

No meeting scheduled

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12:00 p.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant-785-296-7399 548-S

Tuesday, January 30

Hearing on agency budget:

Kansas Bureau of Investigation

Kansas Highway Patrol

Wednesday, January 31

Deliberation on agency budget:

Kansas Bureau of Investigation

Kansas Highway Patrol

Ways and Means Subcommittee on Executive

10:30 a.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399 548-S

Monday, January 29

Hearing and deliberation on agency budget:

Office of the Attorney General

Kansas Insurance Department

Office of the Secretary of State

Ways and Means Subcommittee on Human Services

10:30 a.m. Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399 548-S

Thursday, February 1

Hearing on agency budget:

State institutions for mental health

State institutions for intellectual disabilities

On-Call Committees

Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations

8:00 a.m. Carol Robertson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7676 159-S

Friday, February 2

Hearing on:

Office of State Fire Marshal

Kansas Department of Health and Environment

Kansas Department of Revenue

Board of Accountancy

Department for Children and Families

Department for Aging and Disability Services

Legislative Post Audit Committee

12:00 p.m. Nicole Blanchett, Committee Assistant-785-296-3793

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Wednesday, January 31

Presentation on:

Department of Commerce

Legislative Post Audit Committee Awareness Training

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Monday, January 29
No doctor scheduled
Tuesday, January 30
No doctor scheduled
Wednesday, January 31

David Smith, MD, FAAFP, Overland Park

Thursday, February 1
Brian Wolfe, MD, Iola
Friday, February 2
No doctor scheduled

Laurie Varner & Nancy Reddy, Calendar Clerks

Corey Carnahan, Secretary of the Senate