

# SENATE CALENDAR

No. 23

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Thursday, February 8, 2024  
SENATE CONVENES at 2:30 PM

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## Order of Business

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ROLL CALL

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INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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### Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

474–

**SB 474**, AN ACT concerning cities; relating to initiation of ordinances by petition; eliminating the administrative ordinance limitation; amending K.S.A. 12-3013 and repealing the existing section.

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

475–

**SB 475**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; eliminating school district open enrollment requirements; authorizing school districts to determine nonresident student enrollment; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-3122, 72-3124, 72-3127 and 72-5132 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-3123 and 72-3126.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Education)

476–

**SB 476**, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; creating a crime for operating a motor vehicle at a speed of 100 miles per hour or more and providing a penalty therefor; amending K.S.A. 8-255 and 8-2116 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Transportation  
(Transportation)

477–

**SB 477**, AN ACT concerning the division of vehicles; relating to drivers' licenses and identification cards; providing for digital drivers' licenses and digital identification cards and regulating the use therefor.

Committee on Transportation  
(Transportation)

**478–**

**SB 478**, AN ACT concerning employment security law; relating to the definition of benefit year, temporary unemployment, wages, statewide average annual wage and statewide average weekly wage; referencing certain new definitions for purposes of the annual determination by the secretary of the maximum weekly benefit amount; requiring electronic filing of wage reports, contribution returns and payments and interest assessments for employers with 25 or more employees; establishing minimum qualifications for candidates for membership on the employment security board of review and initial review of such candidates by the director of unemployment; extending when the mandatory combination of rates and the establishment of a new account due to a business acquisition must occur from the beginning of the following quarter to the beginning of the following year; making certain changes to the schedules governing employer contribution rates; removing obsolete language pertaining to the employment security interest assessment fund and abolishing such fund; requiring the secretary to create an audit process within the new unemployment insurance information technology system to permit employers to submit reports regarding work search, the my reemployment plan and claimants who do not provide notification or appear for scheduled interviews; providing for notices by the secretary to active employers regarding work search noncompliance reporting options; confirming the legislative coordinating council's authority to extend the new unemployment insurance information technology system's implementation date retroactively and as often as deemed appropriate by the council; requiring the secretary to notify the council of the need for an extension; authorizing the secretary to extend temporary unemployment for limited periods upon request by employers and allowing for additional temporary unemployment when requested by employers engaged in certain industries; requiring the secretary to annually post on the secretary's website certain additional calculations and data; changing the timing of employer benefit charge notices from annually to quarterly; removing the exemption for benefit charges less than \$100; amending K.S.A. 44-704, 44-705, 44-709, 44-710, 44-710b, 44-717, 44-771, 44-772 and 44-774 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 44-703, 44-710a and 44-775 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Commerce

(Commerce)

**479–**

**SB 479**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to teachers; defining teachers for purposes of the Kansas public employees retirement system; transferring teachers from the Kansas public employees retirement system act of 2015 to the Kansas public employees retirement system act of 2009; amending K.S.A. 74-49,301 and repealing the existing section.

Senators Kloos, Baumgardner, Blasi, Erickson, Thompson

(Education)

**480–**

**SB 480**, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to the state board of tax

appeals; authorizing teleconference or video conference hearings in the small claims and expedited hearings division; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-2433f and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation  
(Assessment and Taxation)

**481–**

**SB 481**, AN ACT concerning Kansas state university; renaming Kansas state university polytechnic campus as Kansas state university - Salina; requirements for admission and credential and degree programs; amending K.S.A. 74-3209, 76-156a, 76-205, 76-213, 76-218, 76-751, 76-754, 76-756 and 76-7,126 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Ways and Means  
(Ways and Means)

**482–**

**SB 482**, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to tax levy rates; providing that county clerks are not required to send revenue neutral rate notices to property owners of exempt property; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-2988 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Ways and Means  
(Assessment and Taxation)

**483–**

**SB 483**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; creating the crime of interference with a security camera in a correctional institution and providing criminal penalties therefor.

Committee on Judiciary  
(Judiciary)

**484–**

**SB 484**, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to exemptions; providing exemptions for certain personal property including watercraft, marine equipment, off-road vehicles, motorized bicycles and certain trailers; amending K.S.A. 79-213 and 79-5501 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Ways and Means  
(Assessment and Taxation)

**485–**

**SB 485**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the tax credit for low income students scholarship program; authorizing students attending public schools with low proficiency scores and certain private elementary and secondary students to participate in such program; amending K.S.A. 72-4351 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-4352 and 72-5132 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Education  
(Education)

**2495–**

**HB 2495**, AN ACT making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2024, and June 30, 2025, for state agencies; authorizing certain transfers and increasing expenditure limitations to the foregoing; funding of the

fiscal year 2024 salary increase for certain state employees.

Committee on Appropriations

(Ways and Means)

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## Reference of Appointments

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MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

## Consideration of Motions to Concur or Nonconcur

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REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

## Consideration of Appointments

*By the Governor:*

*Member, State Board of Regents:*

Jonathan Rolph, term ends June 30, 2027

(Education)

(Be Confirmed)

*Member, State Corporation Commission:*

Andrew French, term ends March 15, 2028

(Utilities)

(Be Confirmed)

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## Consent Calendar

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

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## Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

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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****1737–**

**SR 1737**, A RESOLUTION affirming Texas Governor, Greg Abbott's right to defend the state of Texas from unrestrained illegal immigration.

Senators Masterson, Alley, Baumgardner, Billinger, Blasi, Bowers, Claeys, Erickson, Fagg, Gossage, Kerschen, Kloos, Longbine, O'Shea, Peck, Petersen, Ryckman, Shallenburger, Steffen, Straub, Thompson, Tyson, Warren, Wilborn  
(Committee of the Whole)

**347–**

**SB 347**, AN ACT concerning wildlife and parks; relating to the wildlife and parks commission; requiring senate confirmation of appointees thereto; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 32-805 and repealing the existing section.

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

**363–**

**SB 363**, AN ACT concerning barbers; relating to the examination and licensure thereof; creating a senior status license; providing for certain licensure fees; amending K.S.A. 65-1808, 65-1809, 65-1810, 65-1812, 65-1815, 65-1817, 65-1819, 65-1820a and 65-1825a and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Local Government  
(Public Health and Welfare)  
(Be Passed)

**430–**

**SB 430**, AN ACT concerning workers compensation; relating to coverage under the act, notice, benefits, liability limitations, definitions, evidentiary standards, hearings, admission of evidence, procedures, settlements and other matters; providing coverage for members of the Kansas national guard under the workers compensation act; limiting reduction to awards for functional impairment on the basis of preexisting impairment to preexisting impairment to the same physical structure as the body part injured; limiting reductions to benefits based on retirement benefits; defining registered mail; requiring a judicial determination of dependency for immediate payment of death benefit; increasing the maximum amount of death benefits; extending the time period for payments to dependent children when in schools; providing for a yearly adjustment to the maximum death benefit to commence in 2027; increasing the minimum weekly payment for permanent total disability; adding certain functional impairment requirements to the determination of permanent total disability; increasing the minimum weekly payment amount for temporary total

disability; providing that loss of use of a scheduled member shall be the percentage of functional impairment the employee sustained on account of the injury; reducing the percentage of functional impairment required for eligibility for permanent partial general disability compensation; increasing employers' maximum liability for permanent total disability, temporary total disability, permanent or temporary partial disability and permanent partial disability and providing for a yearly adjustment in such maximum liability limits to commence in 2027; applying an employer's credit for voluntary payments of unearned wages to any award; increasing the maximum employer liability for unauthorized medical care; increasing the evidentiary standard for future medical treatment after maximum medical improvement in certain circumstances; limiting proceedings for post-award medical benefits; creating a presumption that no costs or attorney fees be awarded when requests for post-award medical benefits are provided within 30 days; defining money for purposes of the average weekly wage; excluding the first week of employment in the calculation of an employee's average weekly wage under certain circumstances; allowing payment of certain benefits by electronic funds transfer or payment card; increasing employer liability for expenses of claimant for required examinations; establishing procedures for neutral healthcare examinations and for the exchange of medical reports between parties; providing for the admission of medical reports without necessity of additional foundation subject to compliance with certain procedures; extending deadlines for notice to an employer by an employee of injury; eliminating the three-year deadline for a claimant's motion to extend time for proceeding to avoid dismissal for lack of prosecution; prohibiting an award from including future medical treatment unless a specified standard of proof is met; clarifying certain language referencing a claimant; providing a procedure for expedited settlement on written stipulations by means of a form established by the director of workers compensation; allowing the record of hearings by digital recording and transcription by either a court reporter or a notary public; providing that certified reporters fees be taxed as costs if no record is taken; providing for the workers compensation fund to implead a principal as a party in a proceeding; providing for certain other changes to the workers compensation act; amending K.S.A. 44-501, 44-508, 44-510b, 44-510c, 44-510d, 44-510e, 44-510f, 44-510h, 44-510k, 44-511, 44-512, 44-515, 44-516, 44-519, 44-520, 44-523, 44-525, 44-526, 44-531, 44-534a, 44-552 and 44-566a and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Commerce

(Commerce)  
(Be Passed)

**368–**

**SB 368**, AN ACT concerning elections; prohibiting the use of any form of ranked-choice voting methods in elections.

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

**2446–**

**HB 2446**, AN ACT concerning cities and counties; prohibiting the regulation of plastic and other containers designed for the consumption, transportation or protection of merchandise, food or beverages.

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

**Sub 60–**

**Sub SB 60**, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; providing exemptions for custom meat processing services, purchases for the construction or repair of buildings used for human habitation by the Kansas state school for the blind and the Kansas state school for the deaf, certain purchases and sales by the Johnson county Christmas bureau association and certain purchases by doorstep inc; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)

**366–**

**SB 366**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to advance voting ballots; requiring that county election officers receive a request for an application for an advance voting ballot prior to mailing such application to such voter; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 25-1122 and repealing the existing section.

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

**41–**

**SB 41**, AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use taxation; relating to the collection and remittance of taxes; providing a credit to retailers.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed)

**142–**

**SB 142**, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to the duty of drivers approaching stationary vehicles; providing a penalty for unlawful passing

thereof; amending K.S.A. 8-2118 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)

(Be Passed)

**362–**

**SB 362**, AN ACT repealing K.S.A. 19-26,120; relating to the expiration of the Sedgwick county urban area nuisance abatement act.

Committee on Local Government

(Local Government)

(Be Passed)

**172–**

**SB 172**, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system and systems thereunder; increasing the lump-sum death benefit; amending K.S.A. 74-4989 and 74-49,315 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Ways and Means)

(Be Passed)

(Ways and Means)

(Be Passed)

**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)

**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)

**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)

**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)

**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 community-based 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)

**387–**

**SB 387**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; open enrollment; providing for continued enrollment of students who attend a school district of nonresidence; allowing parents to appeal the denial of an open enrollment application; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-3123 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**386–**

**SB 386**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the Kansas school equity and enhancement act; requiring school district enrollment to be determined

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using the current school year or preceding school year enrollment; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-5132 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)

(Be Passed as Amended)

**360–**

**SB 360**, AN ACT concerning tax-advantaged savings programs; allowing the taxpayer to elect the taxable year in which a subtraction modification for contributions to 529 qualified tuition accounts, ABLE accounts or first-time home buyer savings accounts would be applied; authorizing the state treasurer to appoint a 529 program advisory committee; amending K.S.A. 75-644 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Education

(Education)

(Be Passed as Amended)

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## **Bills Adversely Reported**

## Status of Bills and Resolutions

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, 331

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, 18, 19, 27, 28, 73, 115

Senate bills awaiting the signature of the governor: No. 15

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, 1734, 1735, 1736, 1738

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, 389, 417

House Bills: No. 2047

#### **Assessment and Taxation–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 4, 7, 21, 22, 29, 30, 52, 54, 56, 57, 58, 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, 403, 421, 429, 435, 436, 451, 452, 453, 454, 466, 468

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1604, 1613

House Bills: Nos. 2026, 2036, 2201, 2229, 2232, 2254, 2317, 2416, 2421, 2465

#### **Commerce–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 38, 47, 70, 140, 159, 165, 282, 325, 329, 330, 333, 464, 467

House Bills: Nos. 2275, 2331, 2387, 2388, 2400, 2401, 2414, 2545

#### **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, 401, 407, 427, 428, 437, 438, 465, 469, 470

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1608

House Bills: No. 2132

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5004

#### **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, 367, 369, 370, 373, 374, 375, 385, 409, 411, 431, 432, 446, 471

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1605, 1606, 1609, 1614, 1617

Senate Resolutions: No. 1733

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

#### **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, 388, 396, 397, 398, 405, 406, 423, 447

House Bills: Nos. 2103, 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, 392, 393, 394, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 418, 419, 420, 425, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 448, 458, 463, 472, 473

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1616

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

**Local Government–**

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

House Bills: Nos. 2083, 2176

**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, 371, 390, 391, 404, 433, 434, 449, 450, 460, 461

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

**Transparency and Ethics–****Transportation–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 90, 215, 334, 335, 337, 342, 349, 357, 359, 399, 400, 402, 408, 410, 424, 426, 459, 462

House Bills: No. 2149

**Utilities–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 46, 78, 88, 154, 166, 214, 278, 284, 422, 443, 455, 456, 457

**Ways and Means–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 10, 35, 67, 151, 153, 163, 198, 272, 275, 324, 326, 350, 378, 382, 395, 445

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1615

House Bills: Nos. 2418, 2449, 2452

**Senate Committee Agenda**

The following is a tentative schedule of Committees and is subject to change day-to-day. 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**

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
1:30 p.m.	Ways and Means	548-S
	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 February 8 - 9, 2024**

Thursday, February 8

2:30 p.m. Session

Friday, February 9

12:00 p.m. Session – PRO FORMA

**Agriculture and Natural Resources**

**8:30 a.m.** Patti Mills, Committee Assistant–785-296-7742 **144-S**

Thursday, February 8

Presentation on:

Kansas State Fair

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Public Health and Welfare

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

Thursday, February 8

Hearing on:

**SB 404** — Permitting the use of expedited partner therapy to treat a sexually transmitted disease.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Transportation

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

Thursday, February 8

Budget recommendations on:

Department of Transportation

Hearing on:

**SB 410** — Designating a portion of United States highway 69 as the Ken W Brock memorial highway.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Assessment and Taxation

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

Thursday, February 8

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 376** — Extending the time period for the single city port authority income tax credit.

**SB 421** — Providing a sales tax exemption for exploration place, inc.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 9

Meeting on call of the chair

### Financial Institutions and Insurance

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

Thursday, February 8

Hearing on:

**SB 423** — Reducing the number of appointed board members on certain insurance-related governing boards and the frequency of meetings of the the committee on surety bonds and insurance.

**HB 2105** — Enacting the Kansas earned wage access services act, establishing requirements, duties and prohibitions for persons engaged in earned wage access

services and providing for the administration of such act by the office of the state bank commissioner.

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Local Government

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

Thursday, February 8

Update on:

**SB 162** — Creating the Riley county unincorporated area nuisance abatement act to establish procedures for the removal and abatement of nuisances in the unincorporated areas of the county and the assessment of the costs for such abatement.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

### Transparency and Ethics

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

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Commerce

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

Thursday, February 8

Hearing and recommendations on agency budget (continued):

Department of Commerce

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Federal and State Affairs

**10:30 a.m.** Sheila Wodtke, Committee Assistant—785-296-4335 144-S

Thursday, February 8

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 375** — Prohibiting the use of generative artificial intelligence to create false representations of candidates in election campaign media or of state officials.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 9

Meeting on call of the chair

### Judiciary

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

Thursday, February 8

Hearing on:

**SB 292** — Updating statutes related to the Kansas army and air national guard, providing for the appointment of a state judge advocate and providing for the adjustment of death and disability benefits.

**HB 2392** — Updating the Kansas code of military justice relating to certain definitions, unlawful acts and punishment requirements thereof.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Ways and Means

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

Thursday, February 8

Time reserved for subcommittees

Friday, February 9

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Office of the State Bank Commissioner

Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board

Kansas Department of Credit Unions

Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board

Kansas Corporation Commission

Department of Transportation

Possible action on bills previously heard

**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, February 8

Hearing on:

**SB 407** — Requiring the state board of education to authorize teaching licenses for individuals who complete an alternative teacher certification program.

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

### Utilities

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

Thursday, February 8

Presentation on:

Electric Cooperatives Overview and Challenges Faced by Co-ops

Speakers from Kansas Electric Cooperatives, Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, and Sunflower Electric Power Corporation

Friday, February 9

No meeting scheduled

**Ways and Means Subcommittee on  
Executive**

**9:30 a.m.** Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399 548-S  
Friday, February 9  
Deliberation on agency budget:  
Department of Administration

**Ways and Means Subcommittee on  
Higher Education**

**10:30 a.m.** Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant–785-296-7399 548-S  
Thursday, February 8  
Hearing on agency budget:  
Postsecondary Education System

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**Doctor of the Day**

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Thursday, February 8  
No doctor scheduled  
Friday, February 9  
No doctor scheduled

**Senate Schedule  
Week of February 12 - 16, 2024**

Monday, February 12  
2:30 p.m. Session – PRO FORMA  
Tuesday, February 13  
2:30 p.m. Session  
Wednesday, February 14  
2:30 p.m. Session  
Thursday, February 15  
2:30 p.m. Session  
Friday, February 16  
9:00 a.m. Session – PRO FORMA

**Agriculture and Natural Resources**

**8:30 a.m.** Patti Mills, Committee Assistant–785-296-7742 144-S  
Monday, February 12  
Bill hearing:  
SB 389 — Prohibiting entering or remaining on and knowingly making false statements to gain access to animal facilities and field crop production areas, providing penalties therefor and removing the intent to destroy property in the farm animal and field crop and research facilities protection act.

Tuesday, February 13

Bill hearing:

**SB 417** — Removing the secretary of wildlife and park's authority to exercise the right of eminent domain.

Wednesday, February 14

Meeting scheduled – agenda to be announced

Thursday, February 15

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, February 16

No meeting scheduled

### Public Health and Welfare

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

Monday, February 12

Meeting on call of the chair

Tuesday, February 13

Hearing on:

**SB 434** — Exempting the practice of hair removal by sugaring from the definition of cosmetology.

**SB 461** — Creating the laser hair removal act to restrict the performance of laser hair removal to certain medical professionals.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 14

Hearing on:

**SB 390** — Enacting the conscientious right to refuse act to prohibit discrimination against individuals to refuse medical care and creating a civil cause of action based on such discrimination; repealing the authority of the secretary of health and environment to quarantine individuals and impose associated penalties.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Hearing on:

**SB 391** — Enacting the constitutional right to health freedom act to regulate the activities of the secretary of health and environment related to public health functions; repealing statutes relating to the secretary's authority to quarantine individuals and impose associated penalties.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 16

Meeting on call of the chair

### Transportation

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

Monday, February 12

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 13

Possible action on bills previously heard

Briefing on:

United States and Kansas construction outlook, Ken Simonson, Economist

Wednesday, February 14

Hearing on:

**SB 424** — Providing for geographic positions or locations of points within the state of Kansas under the Kansas plane coordinate system act.

**SB 399** — Requiring vehicle dealers and salvage vehicle dealers to file monthly reports by the 25th day of the month.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 16

No meeting scheduled

**Assessment and Taxation****9:30 a.m. John Gauntt, Committee Assistant—785-296-2713 548-S**Monday, February 12

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 452** — Excluding certain school district bond and interest levies from increased property tax homestead refund claim amounts.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 13

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 332** — Providing for the distribution of local ad valorem tax reduction fund (LAVTRF) moneys from the state to residential property taxpayers in the form of rebates.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 14

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 468** — Prohibiting cities and counties that grant or approve certain property tax exemptions or tax increment financing from exceeding their revenue neutral rates for property tax purposes.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 453** — Excluding social security payments from household income and expanding eligibility related to increased property tax homestead property tax refund claims.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 16

Meeting on call of the chair

**Financial Institutions and Insurance****9:30 a.m. Suzanne Nelson, Committee Assistant—785-296-7367 546-S**Monday, February 12

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 13

Pending referral, bill hearing on:

Updates to the Uniform Commercial Credit Code (UCCC)

Revisor memorandum and bill overview, and proponent testimony from the Office of the State Bank Commissioner

Wednesday, February 14

Pending referral, bill hearing on:

Updates to the Uniform Commercial Credit Code (UCCC)

Other proponent, opponent, and neutral testimony

Thursday, February 15

Final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 16

No meeting scheduled

### Local Government

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

Tuesday, February 13

Hearing continuation on:

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

Potential final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Hearing continuation on:

**HB 2176** — Creating the Arkansas city area public library district act and the Udall area public library district act, requiring an election for the creation of such district and authorizing unified school districts No. 470 and 463 to levy a tax on behalf of such library district.

Potential final action on bills previously heard

### Transparency and Ethics

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

Monday, February 12

No meeting scheduled

Wednesday, February 14

Presentation on:

Secretary of State's Office

Friday, February 16

No meeting scheduled

### Commerce

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

Monday, February 12

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 13

Hearing on:

**SB 333** — Removing the expiration provision for the state use law committee.

Wednesday, February 14

Hearing on:

**SB 330** — Eliminating the requirement to conduct a recurring 911 implementation audit, a recurring KPERS audit and certain economic development incentive audits.

Thursday, February 15

Hearing on:

**HB 2545** — Providing for the sale of property not retrieved by an occupant after notice, allowing electronic signatures and delivery for rental agreements, defining property that has no commercial value, providing for the deemed effectiveness of rental agreements not signed or delivered by an owner or occupant and specifying custody of abandoned or towed property under the self-service storage act.

**SB 467** — Increasing the membership appointed by the governor on the council on travel and tourism and updating the house committee assignment required for house members from the committee on agriculture and natural resources to the committee on commerce, labor and economic development; reducing the required allocation of funds from the department of commerce's matching grant program for the promotion of tourism by public and nonprofit entities and removing the restriction on the percentage of such funds granted to a single entity.

Friday, February 16

No meeting scheduled

**Federal and State Affairs****10:30 a.m. Sheila Wodtke, Committee Assistant—785-296-4335****144-S**Monday, February 12

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 373** — Prohibiting the use of public moneys for lobbying activities.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 13

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 370** — Requiring legislative approval of any national heritage area or national historic trail in the state of Kansas and prohibiting state funding of any national heritage area or national historic trail unless such funding is first approved by the legislature of the state of Kansas.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 14

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 431** — Directing the capitol preservation committee to approve plans for a memorial honoring Emil Joseph Kapaun.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 367** — Prohibiting the use of funds provided by the United States government for the conduct of elections and election-related activities unless approved by the legislature.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 16

Meeting on call of the chair

### Judiciary

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

**346-S**

Monday, February 12

Hearing on:

**SB 425** — Providing for child support orders for unborn children from the date of conception.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 13

Hearing on:

**SB 458** — Specifying that certain drug offenses do not give rise to forfeiture under the Kansas standard asset seizure and forfeiture act, requiring courts to make a finding that forfeiture is not excessive, restricting actions prior to commencement of forfeiture proceedings, requiring probable cause affidavit filing and review to commence proceedings, increasing the burden of proof required to forfeit property to clear and convincing evidence, providing persons involved in forfeiture proceedings the ability to request a jury trial, authorizing courts to order payment of attorney fees and costs for certain claimants and requiring the Kansas bureau of investigation to submit forfeiture fund financial reports to the legislature.

Wednesday, February 14

Hearing on:

**SB 448** — Establishing procedures in the Kansas code of procedure for municipal courts related to determination of an accused person's competency to stand trial and requiring the secretary for aging and disability services to reimburse counties for the costs of keeping persons in the custody of a county jail awaiting examination, evaluation or treatment.

**SB 381** — Authorizing the board of county commissioners of any county that is not the most populous county in a multiple-county judicial district to appoint a coroner to serve as the district coroner for the county at the expense of the county.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Hearing on:

**SB 420** — Eliminating the element of concealment from the crime of breach of privacy related to installing or using a device to photograph or record another identifiable person under or through the clothing being worn by that other person or another identifiable person who is nude or in a state of undress.

**SB 473** — Authorizing a notice to appear that meets certain requirements to serve as a lawful complaint under the Kansas code of criminal procedure.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 16

Meeting scheduled – agenda to be announced

### Ways and Means

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

**548-S**

Monday, February 12

Time reserved for subcommittees

Tuesday, February 13

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

- Kansas Department of Agriculture
- Kansas Department of Health and Environment – Division of Environment
- Kansas Water Office
- Kansas Public Employees Retirement System
- Office of the State Treasurer
- Pooled Money Investment Board
- Kansas Bureau of Investigation
- Kansas Highway Patrol

Briefing on:

- Kansas Airport Facilities Inventory and Needs Assessment, Kansas Department of Transportation

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 14

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

- Kansas Department of Commerce
- Board of Accountancy
- Kansas State Board of Mortuary Arts
- Board of Veterinary Examiners
- Kansas Human Rights Commission
- Judicial Branch

Hearing on:

- SB 272** — Increasing the transfer from the state highway fund to the public use general aviation airport development fund.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Time reserved for subcommittees

Friday, February 16

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

- Office of the Secretary of State
- Kansas State School for the Blind
- Kansas State School for the Deaf
- Kansas State Department of Education
- Kansas Guardianship Program
- Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs Office
- Department of Administration

Possible action on bills previously heard

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### Education

**1:30 p.m.**     **Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant–785-296-7368**     **144-S**

Monday, February 12

Budget hearing:

    Kansas School for the Blind

    Kansas School for the Deaf

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Tuesday, February 13

Budget hearing:

    Kansas State Department of Education

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 14

Deliberation on agency budget:

    Kansas School for the Blind

    Kansas School for the Deaf

Hearing on:

**SB 438** — Eliminating the requirement to subtract other aid from the state payment in the AO-K program.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 15

Deliberation on agency budget:

    Kansas State Department of Education

Hearing on:

**SB 437** — Establishing the Kansas education enrichment program to provide educational awards to elementary and secondary school students for qualifying expenses for educational goods and services.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 16

No meeting scheduled

### Utilities

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

Monday, February 12

No meeting scheduled

Tuesday, February 13

Presentation on:

    Electric Transmission and Wholesale Energy Markets in Kansas, Alan Claus

    Anderson and Andrew Schulte, Polsinelli Energy Practice Group

Wednesday, February 14

Hearing on:

**SB 455** — Authorizing electric public utilities to retain certain electric generating facilities in the utility's rate base.

Thursday, February 15

Hearing on:

**SB 456** — Establishing a rebuttable presumption against retirement of fossil fuel-fired electric generating units, requiring the state corporation commission to report on such retirements and extending the timelines for the commission to make a determination regarding rate-making treatment for generating or transmission facilities.

Possible final action on bill previously heard:

**SB 455** — Authorizing electric public utilities to retain certain electric generating facilities in the utility's rate base.

Friday, February 16

No meeting scheduled

### **Ways and Means Subcommittee on Higher Education**

**Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant—785-296-7399**

Monday, February 12 NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 9:30 A.M. AND ROOM  
CHANGED TO 546-S

Hearing on agency budget:

Postsecondary education system

Tuesday, February 13 NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 12:00 P.M. AND ROOM  
CHANGED TO 548-S

Deliberation on:

Postsecondary education system

### **Ways and Means Subcommittee on Human Services**

**Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant—785-296-7399**

**548-S**

Monday, February 12 NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 10:30 A.M.

Hearing on agency budget:

Health Care Stabilization Fund Board of Governors

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services

Wednesday, February 14 NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 12:00 P.M.

Deliberation on agency budget:

Health Care Stabilization Fund Board of Governors

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services

Thursday, February 15 NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 10:30 A.M.

Hearing on agency budget:

Kansas Department of Health and Environment – Division of Health

Department for Children and Families

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**Doctor of the Day**

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Monday, February 12

Aaron Sinclair, MD, Wichita

Tuesday, February 13

No doctor scheduled

Wednesday, February 14

No doctor scheduled

Thursday, February 15

No doctor scheduled

Friday, February 16

No doctor scheduled

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