MINUTES OF THE HOUSE INSURANCE COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Clark Shultz at 3:45 p.m. on February 21, 2011, in Room 152-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Anthony Brown - Excused

Committee staff present:

David Wiese, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Ken Wilke, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Melissa Calderwood, Legislative Research Department Cindy Lash, Kansas Legislative Research Department Sue Fowler, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Bob Tomlinson – Kansas Insurance Department

Others attending:

See attached list.

Discussion and action on:

HB 2075 Insurance department Anti-fraud program; extension of exception to open records act disclosure

Representative Grant moved to pass **HB 2075** out favorably. Seconded by Representative Hermanson. Motion passed.

HB 2076 Increasing the amount of time in which filings made to the commissioner of municipal pools must be reviewed

David Wiese, Office of Revisor of Statutes, gave a brief outline of **HB 2076**. line of **HB 2076**.

Representative Fawcett moved to pass **HB 2076** out favorably. Seconded by Representative Montgomery. Motion passed.

HB 2077 Increasing the amount of time worker's compensation pools have to file their end of year financial statements

Representative Hermanson moved to pass **HB 2077** out favorably. Seconded by Representative Grant. Motion passed.

HB 2139 Workers compensation insurance rates

Ken Wilke, Office of Revisor of Statutes, gave a brief outline of **HB 2139**.

Representative Hermanson moved to pass **HB 2139** out favorably. Seconded by Representative Grant. Representative Proehl made a substitute motion to amend (Attachment 1) **HB 2139**. Seconded by Representative Montgomery. Representative Grant moved to pass **HB 2139** out favorably as amended. Seconded by Representative Fawcett. Motion passed.

Representative Grant moved without objection to pass the February 16, 2011 committee minutes as written.

Next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 2, 3:30 P.M. in Room 152-S in Capitol.

Meeting adjourned at 4:50 p.m.