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MINUTES OF THE JOINT HOUSE & SENATE TAXATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Co-Chairman of the Joint Committee, Senator Les Donovan, at 10:15 am on Thursday, January 12, 2012, in Room 346-S of the Capitol.

All members of the House Taxation Committee were present.

Committee staff present:

Gordon Self, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Scott Wells, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Chris Courtwright, Kansas Legislative Research Department Chris Sevedge, Kansas Legislative Research Department Phyllis Fast, Committee Assistant Allen Jeffus, Office Assistant

Conferees attending were:

Jeff Colyer, Lt. Governor of Kansas Nick Jordan, Secretary of Kansas Department of Revenue (KDOR) Dr. Art Hall, Director of the Center for Applied Economics, University of Kansas School of Business (CAE, KUSB)

Others attending: See attached list.

Lt. Governor Jeff Colyer presented preliminary remarks.

Secretary Nick Jordan, KDOR, presented Governor Brownback's "The Brownback Pro-Growth Plan: Making the State Income Tax Flatter, Fairer and Simpler". (Attachment 1)

Dr. Art Hall, Director of CAE, KUSB), presented "Every Business Matters". (Attachment 2)

Gary Allerheiligen, CPA, was unable to present his written comments. (Attachment 3)

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for 10:00 am, Tuesday, January 17, 2012, in DSOB 783.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 am.

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