

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MADAM PRESIDENT:

The Committee on **Commerce** recommends **SB 187** be amended on page 2, in line 26, by striking "which" and inserting ". Whenever the workers compensation administrative law judge nominating and review committee or the workers compensation board nominating committee, or words of like effect, is referred to or designated by a statute, contract or other document, such reference or designation shall be deemed to apply to the workers compensation and employment security boards nominating committee. The workers compensation and employment security boards nominating committee";

On page 6, in line 24, after "board." by inserting "Whenever the workers compensation board, or words of like effect, is referred to or designated by a statute, contract or other document, such reference or designation shall be deemed to apply to the workers compensation appeals board.";

On page 9, in line 23, by striking "three" and inserting "two"; in line 29, by striking "a majority comprised of not less than three of the members"; in line 30, by striking "hearing the case" and inserting "at least three board members";

On page 12, in line 12, after "for" by inserting "appointment to"; also in line 12, after "review" by inserting ", subject to confirmation by the senate as provided by K.S.A. 75-4315b, and amendments thereto"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Chairperson