

MINUTES OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Stephen Morris at 11:20 a.m. on April 3, 2003, in Room 123-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: All present

Committee staff present:

Alan Conroy, Director, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
J. G. Scott, Chief Fiscal Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Martha Dorsey, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Melissa Calderwood, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Julian Efird, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Carolyn Rampey, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Amy Deckard, Kansas Legislative Research Department  
Michael Corrigan, Assistant Revisor of Statutes  
Judy Bromich, Administrative Analyst  
Mary Shaw, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Ed Van Petten, Executive Director, Kansas Lottery

Others attending: See attached list

Chairman Morris opened the public hearing on:

**SB 280—Establishing veterans' benefit lottery game with the proceeds credited to certain veteran's programs**

Staff briefed the committee on the bill.

Chairman Morris welcomed Ed Van Petten, Executive Director, Kansas Lottery, who explained what the new veteran's benefit game tickets would look like, discussed instant tickets with the Committee and public service announcements. (No written testimony was provided.)

There being no further conferees to come before the committee, the Chairman closed the public hearing on **SB 280**.

Senator Adkins suggested that the ticket be offered for sale only from Memorial Day through Veterans Day. Committee discussion followed.

Senator Feleciano moved, with a second by Senator Adkins, to amend SB 280 with a clause that the game be active beginning the Monday before Memorial Day and run through the Saturday following Veterans Day with publication in the Kansas Register and a two-year sunset. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Senator Feleciano moved, with a second by Senator Adkins, a technical balloon amendment regarding SB 280 (Attachment 1). Motion carried on a voice vote.

Senator Feleciano moved, with a second by Senator Jordan, to recommend SB 280 favorable for passage as amended. Motion carried on a roll call vote.

Chairman Morris opened the public hearing on:

**HB 2418—Delay of phased in increase of court of appeals to 14 judges**

Staff briefed the committee on the bill.

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There being no conferees to come before the committee, the Chairman closed the public hearing on **HB 2418**.

Senator Jordan moved, with a second by Senator Jackson, to remove the amendment that were placed on **HB 2418** by the House and use the language of **SB 259** with the technical change. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Senator Adkins moved, with a second by Senator Jackson, to recommend **HB 2418** favorable for passage as amended. Motion carried on a roll call vote.

Chairman Morris opened the public hearing on:

**HB 2456—Attorney general, transferring moneys between items of appropriation for purposes of interstate water rights**

Staff briefed the committee on the bill.

There being no conferees to come before the committee, the Chairman closed the public hearing on **HB 2456**.

Senator Bunten moved, with a second by Senator Jordan, to recommend **HB 2456** favorable for passage. Motion carried on a roll call vote.

The meeting adjourned at 12:00 noon. The next meeting is scheduled for April 3, 2003, later in the afternoon.