

MINUTES OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL FINANCE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Kathe Decker at 9:30 A.M. on March 6, 2006 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Carolyn Rampey, Kansas Legislative Research
Theresa Kiernan, Revisor of Statutes Office
Ann Deitcher, Committee Secretary

HB 2986 - concerning school districts; relating to school finance.

Representative Winn proposed an amendment to **HB 2986**. (Attachment 1).

It was moved by Representative Winn and seconded by Representative Gordon to make this amendment to HB 2986. The motion passed on a voice vote.

A proposal to amend **HB 2986** was made by Representative Winn. (Attachment 2).

A motion to amend HB 2986 was made by Representative Winn and seconded by Representative Crow. The motion failed on a voice vote.

Representatives, Crow, Phelps and Winn wished to be recorded as yes votes.

Representative Winn asked that an amendment be made to **HB 2986** on page 2, line 17 with the insertion of the words "at risk" following "of" and the deletion of the words "or reduced price".

A motion was made by Representative Winn and seconded by Representative Crow that these amendments be made as well as the amendments listed in (Attachment 3). The motion carried on a voice vote.

Theresa Kiernan offered a list of "clean-up amendments" to **HB 2986**. (Attachment 4).

It was moved by Representative Crow and seconded by Representative O'Neal to adopt these amendments. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Representative Decker moved for an amendment on line 41 of page 10 by deleting the words "the same as" and replacing them with "comparable to". The motion was seconded by Representative Gordon and passed on a voice vote.

A conceptual amendment was made by Representative DeCastro and seconded by Representative O'Neal that would assure the inclusion of 9th grade vocational education students. The motion passed on a voice vote.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m. The next meeting of the Select Comm. is scheduled for Thursday, March 9, 2006.