

Journal of the House

FIRST DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TOPEKA, KS, Monday, January 13, 2014, 2:00 p.m.

This being the day fixed by the constitution of the State of Kansas for the assembling of the 2014 session of the legislature, the House was called to order at 2:00 p.m. by Speaker Ray Merrick.

Speaker Merrick announced that the Rev. Eunice Brubaker, Church of the Nazarene District Coordinator for Church Plants, Topeka, will serve as Chaplain of the House.

Prayer Chaplain Brubaker:

God of all heaven and earth,
on this opening day I stand before you
and ask for Your blessing upon this 2014 legislative session.
I pray for a spirit of community
where each one will consider
how they may encourage one another...
be patient with one another...
to do nothing out of selfish ambition,
but in humility consider others first...
to not look after their own individual interests,
but the interest of others.
As Aristotle once spoke of community,
“the whole is greater than the sum of its parts.”
I pray these members will accomplish more working together
than they would working individually,
putting everyone’s strengths together
to produce a greater work.
I pray this in Your Name, Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Carlson.

The roll was called with 121 members present.

Reps. Peterson and Petty were excused on verified illness.

Reps. Houston and Kleeb were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, KRIS KOBACH, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that Kent

Thompson, Iola, Kansas, was appointed by the Governor effective October 16, 2013, for the unexpired term of State Representative for the 9th Legislative District, to fill the vacancy created by the death of Ed Bideau.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done at the City of Topeka, this 16th day of October, A.D. 2013.

KRIS W. KOBACH
Secretary of State

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, KRIS KOBACH, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that John Carmichael, Wichita, Kansas, was appointed by the Governor effective October 16, 2013, for the unexpired term of State Representative for the 92nd Legislative District, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Nile Dillmore.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done at the City of Topeka, this 16th day of October, A.D. 2013.

KRIS W. KOBACH
Secretary of State

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, KRIS KOBACH, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that Steven Antihimides, Wichita, Kansas, was appointed by the Governor effective December 2, 2013, for the unexpired term of State Representative for the 98th Legislative District, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Phil Hermanson.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done at the City of Topeka, this 2nd day of December, A.D. 2013.

KRIS W. KOBACH
Secretary of State

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, KRIS KOBACH, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that Adam Lusker, Frontenac, Kansas, was appointed by the Governor effective December 12, 2013, for the unexpired term of State Representative for the 2nd Legislative District, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Bob Grant.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done at the City of Topeka, this 12th day of December, A.D. 2013.

KRIS W. KOBACH
Secretary of State

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, KRIS KOBACH, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that Erin Davis, Olathe, Kansas, was appointed by the Governor effective January 10, 2014, for the unexpired term of State Representative for the 15th Legislative District, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Robert Montgomery.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done at the City of Topeka, this 10th day of January, A.D. 2014.

KRIS W. KOBACH
Secretary of State

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This letter is to advise you that the Office of Chief Clerk has received the following communications during the interim since adjournment of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature:

From Derek Schmidt, Kansas Attorney General, pursuant to K.S.A. 50-628, the annual report of the Consumer Protection Division.

From Alan D. Conroy, Executive Director of KPERS, the required annual Sudan Divestment Report to the Joint Committee on Pensions, Investments and Benefits.

From Bob Jurgens, Assessment & Restoration Section, Bureau of environment Remediation, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, in accordance with K.S.A. 49-512(h), Treece Relocation Assistance Project Monthly Expenditure/Income Report for the June reporting period.

From Bob Jurgens, Assessment & Restoration Section, Bureau of environment Remediation, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, in accordance with K.S.A. 49-512(h), Treece Relocation Assistance Project Monthly Expenditure/Income Report for the July reporting period.

From Bob Jurgens, Assessment & Restoration Section, Bureau of environment Remediation, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, in accordance with K.S.A. 49-512(h), Treece Relocation Assistance Project Monthly Expenditure/Income Report for the August reporting period.

From Bob Jurgens, Assessment & Restoration Section, Bureau of environment Remediation, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, in accordance with K.S.A. 49-512(h), Treece Relocation Assistance Project Monthly Expenditure/Income Report for the September reporting period.

From Dennis L. Mesa, Executive Director, Kansas Housing Resources Corporation, the financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013, and the annual report of achievements for 2012.

From Derek Schmidt, the 2013 annual report of the Kansas State Child Death Review Board.

From Ed Eilert, Chairman, Johnson County Education Research Triangle, its Annual Report concerning the financial activities of the Authority.

From Bob Jurgens, Assessment & Restoration Section, Bureau of environment Remediation, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, in accordance with

K.S.A. 49-512(h), Treece Relocation Assistance Project Monthly Expenditure/Income Report for the October reporting period.

From Tim Shallenburger, President, Kansas Development Finance Authority, in accordance with K.S.A. 74-8913, the K DFA's annual financial report for Fiscal Year 2013.

From Bob Jurgens, Chief of Assessment and Restoration Section, Bureau of Environmental Remediation, the Treece Relocation Assistance Trust Fiscal Year 2013 Auditors' Report and Financial Statements. The audit is for the July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013 reporting period.

From Kristen Basso, KPERS Communications Officer, the Kansas Public Employees Retirement System's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for fiscal year 2013. The CAFR is available at <http://www.kpers.org/annualreport2013.pdf>.

From DeAnn Hill, Chief Financial Officers, the 60th Annual Financial Report of the State of Kansas for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013. It is available at <http://www.da.ks.gov/ar/finrept/default.htm>.

From Robert Moser, MD, Secretary and State Health Office, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, inspection results and recommendation regarding state children's institutions as directed by K.S.A. 65-176.

From Scott W. Miller, Director of Investments, in compliance with K.S.A. 75-4422(h), the Annual Report of the Pooled Money Investment Board for Fiscal Year 2013.

From the Office of Governor Sam Brownback:
 Executive Directive No. 13-442, Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds.
 Executive Directive No. 13-443, Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds.
 Executive Directive No. 13-444, Authorizing Fund Transfers.
 Executive Directive No. 13-445, Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds and Authorizing a Fund Transfer.
 Executive Directive No. 13-446, Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds.
 Executive Directive No. 13-447, Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds.
 Executive Directive No. 13-448, Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds.
 Executive Directive No. 13-449, Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds.
 Executive Order No. 13-02, Declaring a Drought Watch, Drought Warning or Drought Emergency for certain counties, replacing Executive Order 12-08.
 Executive Order No. 13-03, Offering a Governor's Reward.

Also, from Derek Schmidt, Kansas Attorney General, the Crime Victims Compensation Board Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013.

From Derek Schmidt, Kansas Attorney General, the Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation Unit Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013.

The complete reports are kept on file and open for inspection in the office of the Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

The following prefiled resolution was introduced and read by title:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. **HR 6037**—

By Representatives Rubin, Bradford, Bridges, Christmann, Clayton and Grosserode

A RESOLUTION relating to the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 2013-2014 biennium; amending Rules 1306, 1902, 1905, 2507, 2509, 2902 and 3703, relating to voting.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That Rule 1306 be amended to read as follows:

Rule 1306. Voting in Committees.

(a) All final actions by a committee shall be taken at a called meeting while the Legislature is in session. The final action taken shall be recorded in the committee minutes. *The committee chairperson may establish rules of the committee that require all votes of members be recorded in the committee minutes. If no such action is taken by the committee chairperson,* an individual member's vote may be recorded at the member's request.

(b) The committee chairperson may vote but shall not be required to vote unless the committee is equally divided. If the chairperson's vote makes the division equal, the question shall be lost.

(c) An action formally taken by a committee cannot be altered in the committee except by reconsideration and further formal action of the committee.

(d) A motion to take from the table may be adopted by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members present at any called meeting of the committee.

Be it further resolved: That Rule 1902 be amended to read as follows:

Rule 1902. Committee of the Whole; Normal Procedure.

Bills and resolutions shall be considered in the Committee of the Whole as follows: If the standing committee has recommended that the bill or resolution be amended, the standing committee report shall first be considered, and if it is adopted, the bill as amended by the committee report shall be considered section by section, and as each section is considered, amendments from the floor are in order to that section. If the committee report is not adopted, or if the committee has recommended no amendments, the bill, without committee amendments, shall be considered section by section, and as each section is considered, amendments from the floor are in order to that section. After a section has been once considered, no amendment thereto shall be in order until the whole bill shall have been considered section by section. After the original bill, together with standing committee amendments if any, has been considered section by section, the chairperson shall announce, "Amendments to the bill generally are in order," and amendments not before offered may be made to any part of the bill. A motion that when the committee arises it report a bill favorably, or report a bill favorably as amended, shall not be in order until all other motions have been disposed of, and such a motion shall not be offered as a substitute motion. A motion to strike the enacting clause is in order at any stage until the final vote is announced. The motion to strike the enacting clause may be debated upon the merit of the proposition, and shall not be subject to amendment or substitution. *Pursuant to Rule 2507,* a roll call vote shall be taken upon a motion to strike the enacting clause.

Be it further resolved: That Rule 1905 be amended to read as follows:

Rule 1905. Striking Bills and Resolutions from the Calendar While in Committee of the Whole.

(a) While in Committee of the Whole, a motion to strike a bill or resolution from the

calendar shall be in order only after the chairperson has announced that the next order of business is such bill or resolution and has recognized a member to carry it.

(b) A motion to strike a bill from the calendar under this Rule 1905: (1) Shall require a vote of a majority of the members present for adoption; and (2) shall be subject to roll call in accordance with ~~subsection (e)~~ of Rule 2507, but shall not be subject to a call of the House under Rule 2508.

Be it further resolved: That Rule 2507 be amended to read as follows:

Rule 2507. When Roll Call Vote to be Taken.

(a) A roll call vote shall be taken ~~for the passage of any bill.~~

~~(b) A roll call vote shall be taken for the adoption of any concurrent resolution to amend the Constitution of the state of Kansas, to call a Kansas constitutional convention, to extend a session of the Legislature in even-numbered years, to ratify any amendment of the Constitution of the United States, to make any application for Congress to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States and when required by the joint rules of the House and Senate. A roll call vote is not required for on any question except on a motion to adjourn, a motion to recess, a motion to adopt a committee report, or a motion to rise and report or the adoption of concurrent resolutions pertaining to commendations or acknowledgments, unless required under subsection (e) (b) of Rule 2507.~~

(c) A roll call vote shall be taken for the adoption of any House resolution to adopt, amend or revoke any rule of the House or to reject any executive reorganization order.

(d) A roll call vote shall be taken to concur in Senate amendments to any bill or concurrent resolution or to adopt any conference committee report other than a report agreeing to disagree.

~~(e)~~ (b) A roll call vote shall be taken on any question on demand of 15 members, unless a roll call vote is already pending.

Be it further resolved: That Rule 2509 be amended to read as follows:

Rule 2509. Voice Vote; Division of the Assembly.

~~Except~~ When a roll call vote is not required *pursuant to Rule 2507*, a voice vote shall be taken ~~on all questions~~. Any member may call for a division of the assembly to determine the vote by the voting system.

Be it further resolved: That Rule 2902 be amended to read as follows:

Rule 2902. House Resolutions; Introduction and Consideration.

(a) House resolutions, except for those changing rules of the House or approving or rejecting executive reorganization orders, shall lay over at least one legislative day before action is taken thereon ~~and do not~~. *All resolutions shall require a roll call vote unless required under subsection (e) of Rule 2507.*

(b) House resolutions shall be considered under the order of business consideration of motions and House resolutions offered on a previous day, except House resolutions to: (1) Adopt, amend or revoke any rule of the House; or (2) when the resolution has been referred to a standing committee and reported favorably. Resolutions under subparts (1) and (2) shall take a place on General Orders when favorably reported or when referred to the Committee of the Whole by the Speaker.

Be it further resolved: That Rule 3703 be amended to read as follows:

Rule 3703. Printing.

Resolutions to which this Article 37 apply shall be printed and are subject to ~~subsection (e)~~ of Rule 2507.

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

On emergency motion of Rep. P. Davis, **HR 6038**, by Reps. Merrick and P. Davis, as follows, was introduced and adopted:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. HR 6038—

A RESOLUTION relating to the organization of the House of Representatives.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives notify the Senate that the House is organized with the following officers:

Ray Merrick, speaker,
 Peggy Mast, speaker pro tem,
 Gene Vickrey, majority leader,
 Paul Davis, minority leader,
 Susan Kannarr, chief clerk,
 Hal Hudson, sergeant at arms,
 and awaits the pleasure of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

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On emergency motion of Rep. P. Davis, **HR 6039**, by Reps. Merrick and P. Davis, as follows, was introduced and adopted:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. HR 6039—

A RESOLUTION relating to assignment of seats of the House of Representatives.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That the members of the 2014 regular session of the legislature shall occupy the same seats assigned pursuant to 2013 House Resolution No. 6002 of the 2013 Special Session of the legislature with the following exceptions:

Lunn, seat No. 25, Lusker, seat No. 33, Carlin, seat No. 36, Carmichael, seat No. 76, Kiegerl, seat No. 81, Erin Davis, seat No. 87, Estes, seat No. 99, Thompson, seat No. 100, Anthimides, seat No. 124.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following prefiled bills and resolution were introduced and read by title:

HB 2417, AN ACT concerning economic development; relating to rural opportunity zones; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 74-50,222 and repealing the existing section, by Representatives Kelly, Houser, Peck and Proehl.

HB 2418, AN ACT concerning the adult care home licensure act; pertaining to rules and regulations; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 39-925 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations.

HB 2419, AN ACT concerning fire districts in Johnson county and city annexation; amending K.S.A. 19-3623f and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 13-796, 13-797, 13-798, 13-799, 13-7,100 and 13-7,101, by Representative Merrick.

HB 2420, AN ACT concerning school crossing guards; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 8-15,104 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Merrick.

HB 2421, AN ACT enacting the fourth amendment preservation and protection act of

2014, by Representative Hildabrand.

HB 2422, AN ACT concerning property taxation; defining watercraft; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 79-5501 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Brunk.

HB 2423, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to sentencing of certain sex offenders to a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment of 50 years or imprisonment for life without parole; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 21-6626 and 21-6627 and repealing the existing sections, by Representative Whipple.

HB 2424, AN ACT designating the junction of K-14 highway and 16th road as the Robert G. (Bob) Bethell interchange, by Representative Christmann.

HB 2425, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to probation and postrelease supervision; violation sanctions; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 22-3716 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Joint Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice Oversight.

HB 2426, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to DNA evidence; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 21-2511 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Joint Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice Oversight.

HB 2427, AN ACT concerning public health; relating to the alcohol or other drug addiction treatment act; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 65-4024a and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Joint Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice Oversight.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. **HCR 5020**—

By Representatives Rubin, Bradford, Bridges, Christmann,
Clayton, Doll, Grosserode and Rothlisberg

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION relating to the Joint Rules of the Senate and the House of Representatives 2013-2014; amending Joint rule 3 relating to conference committee procedure.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas, the Senate concurring therein: That Joint rule 3 shall be amended to read as follows:

Joint rule 3. Conference committee procedure. (a) *Action by house of origin of bill or concurrent resolution amended by other house.* When a bill or concurrent resolution is returned to the house of origin with amendments by the other house, the house of origin may: (1) Concur in such amendments; (2) refuse to concur in such amendments; or (3) refuse to concur in such amendments and request a conference on the bill or concurrent resolution.

(b) *Concurrence by house of origin; concurrence prior to taking action on conference committee report by other house; final action; effect of failure of motion to concur.* The house of origin of any bill or concurrent resolution may concur in any amendments made by the other house, except that if the bill or concurrent resolution has been referred to a conference committee such action may only be taken prior to the taking of final action upon the conference committee report upon such bill or concurrent resolution by the other house. A vote in the house of origin of any bill or concurrent resolution on a motion to concur in amendments to such bill or concurrent resolution by the other house shall be considered action on the final passage of the bill or concurrent

resolution and the affirmative and negative votes thereon shall be entered in the journal. If the motion to concur is upon amendments to a bill or concurrent resolution for which a conference committee has been appointed and action has not been taken upon the report of such committee by the other house and such motion fails, the bill or concurrent resolution shall not be deemed to have been killed thereby and the motion to concur may be renewed but not on the same legislative day. If the motion to concur is upon amendments to a bill or concurrent resolution for which a conference committee has not been appointed and such motion fails, the bill or concurrent resolution shall be deemed to be killed.

(c) *Motion to nonconcur; when considered final action; effect of adoption of motion.* A vote in the house of origin of any bill or concurrent resolution on a motion to nonconcur or to refuse to concur in amendments to such bill or concurrent resolution by the other house which is not coupled with a request for the appointment of a conference committee shall be considered action on final passage of the bill or concurrent resolution and the affirmative and negative votes thereon shall be entered in the journal, and the bill or concurrent resolution shall be deemed killed on the adoption thereof.

(d) *House of origin refusal to concur or nonconcur; request for conference; procedure.* When a bill or concurrent resolution is returned by either house to the house of origin with amendments, and the house of origin refuses to concur or to nonconcur therein, a conference may be requested by a majority vote of the members present and voting. Such request shall be transmitted to the other house by message which shall include the names of the conferees on the part of the requesting house. Upon receipt of any such message, the receiving house may, in like manner, approve such conference, and shall thereupon notify the requesting house by message stating the names of its conferees.

(e) *Membership; appointment; chairperson; house of origin of substitute or materially changed bill or concurrent resolution; meetings of conference committee.* Each conference committee shall consist of three members of the senate and three members of the house of representatives, unless otherwise fixed by agreement of the president of the senate and speaker of the house. Senate members shall be appointed by the president of the senate and house members shall be appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives. The president or the speaker may replace any conferee previously appointed by such person. Not less than one member appointed from each house shall be a member of the minority political party of such house except when such representation for such house is waived by the minority leader of such house. In all cases, the first-named member of the house of origin of the bill or concurrent resolution assigned to the committee shall be chairperson of the conference committee. The house of origin of a substitute bill or substitute concurrent resolution shall be the house in which the bill or concurrent resolution in its original form was introduced. The chairperson of a conference committee on a bill or concurrent resolution the subject matter of which has been ruled to be materially changed shall be a member of the house which amended the bill or concurrent resolution to materially change the subject matter. Each conference committee shall meet on the call of its chairperson. All meetings of conference committees shall be open to the public and no meeting shall be adjourned to another time or place in order to subvert such policy.

(f) *Conference committee reports; subject matters which may be included; report not subject to amendment; house which acts first on report; copies of reports; reports*

considered under any order of business. Except as otherwise provided, only subject matters which are or have been included in the bill or concurrent resolution in conference or in bills or concurrent resolutions which have been passed or adopted in either one or both houses during the current biennium of the legislature may be included in the report of the conference committee on any bill or concurrent resolution except in any appropriations bill there may be included a proviso relating to any such item of appropriation. Only one additional bill or part of a bill in conference or in a bill which has passed in either one or both houses during the current biennium of the legislature may be included in the report of the conference committee on any bill. A conference committee report shall not be subject to amendment. The original signed conference committee report shall be submitted to and acted upon first by the house other than the house of origin of the bill or concurrent resolution. Except when a conference committee report is an agree to disagree coupled with a request that a new conference committee be appointed or is a recommendation to accede to or recede from all amendments of the second house, electronic and paper copies of the report shall be made available to all members of the house considering the report not later than 30 minutes before the time of its consideration, except that if the report is more than six pages in length no paper copies will be required to be distributed to individual members provided that at least 10 paper copies of the report are made available to members at the clerk's or secretary's desk at the front of the respective house. By written notice, the majority leader may direct the clerk or secretary to increase from six pages to some greater number of pages the size of conference committee reports that need not be distributed by paper copies to individual members pursuant to this rule. The affirmative vote of $\frac{2}{3}$ of the members present in the house at the time of consideration of the report shall be sufficient to dispense with distribution of copies of the conference committee report to all members of that house. Reports of conference committees may be received and considered under any order of business.

(g) *Signatures required on conference committee reports.* All initial conference committee reports other than an agreement to disagree coupled with a request that a new conference committee be appointed shall be signed by all of the conferees. All initial conference committee reports which are an agreement to disagree coupled with a request that a new conference committee be appointed shall be signed by a majority of the conferees appointed in each house. If a conference committee report which is an agreement to disagree coupled with a request that a new conference committee be appointed is not adopted, a subsequent conference committee report shall be signed by all conferees unless a subsequent conference committee report which is an agreement to disagree coupled with a request that a new conference committee be appointed is adopted, in which case a conference committee report subsequent to the adoption of such report shall be signed by a majority of the conferees appointed in each house. All other conference committee reports shall be signed by a majority of the conferees appointed in each house.

(h) *Vote to adopt conference committee report final action; effect of failure of motion to adopt conference committee report.* The vote to adopt the report of a conference committee, other than a report of failure to agree coupled with a recommendation for appointment of a new conference committee, shall be considered final action on the bill or concurrent resolution and the affirmative and negative votes thereon shall be entered in the journal. If the motion fails, the bill or concurrent

resolution shall be deemed to be killed. If the motion on a conference committee report which is an agreement to disagree coupled with a request that a new conference committee be appointed fails, the bill or concurrent resolution shall not be deemed to have been killed thereby and remains in conference.

(i) *Report of conference committee unable to agree; effect of failure to request new conference committee; effect of failure of motion to adopt report requesting new conference committee.* If a conference committee upon any bill or concurrent resolution is unable to agree, it shall report that fact to both houses. Such report may request that a new conference committee be appointed thereon. If the committee so reports but fails to request the appointment of a new conference committee thereon, the bill or concurrent resolution shall be deemed to have been killed upon the adoption by either house of such report. If the motion to adopt a report requesting the appointment of a new conference committee fails, the bill or concurrent resolution shall be deemed to be killed.

(j) Bills or concurrent resolutions under consideration by conference committees and reports thereof; carryover from odd-numbered to even-numbered year. Bills or concurrent resolutions under consideration by a conference committee, or a report of which has been filed but no action taken thereon in either house, at the time of adjournment of a regular session of the legislature held in an odd-numbered year shall remain alive during the interim and may be considered by the committee and legislature as the case may be at the regular session held in the following even-numbered year.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

On motion of Rep. P. Davis, **HCR 5021**, by Reps. Merrick and P. Davis, as follows, was introduced and adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 5021 –

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION relating to a committee to inform the governor that the two houses of the legislature are duly organized and ready to receive communications.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas, the Senate concurring therein: That a committee of two members from the Senate and three members from the House of Representatives be appointed to wait upon the governor, and inform the governor that the two houses of the legislature are duly organized and are ready to receive any communications the governor may have to present.

In accordance with **HCR 5021**, Speaker Merrick appointed Reps. Ryckman, Jr., Seiwert and Meier to wait upon the Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

On motion of Rep. P. Davis, **HCR 5022**, by Reps. Merrick and P. Davis, as follows, was introduced and adopted.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION providing for a joint session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of hearing a message from the Governor.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas, the Senate

concurring therein: That the Senate and the House of Representatives meet in joint session in Representative Hall at 6:00 p.m. on January 15, 2014, for the purpose of hearing the message of the Governor.

Be it further resolved: That a committee of two members from the Senate and three members from the House of Representatives be appointed to wait upon the Governor.

Be it further resolved: That a committee of two members from the Senate and three members from the House of Representatives be appointed to wait upon the Lieutenant Governor.

In accordance with **HCR 5022**, Speaker Merrick appointed Reps. Ryckman, Jr., Seiwert and Ballard to escort the Governor.

Reps. Schwab, O'Brien and Henry to escort the Lt. Governor.

Reps. Crum, Johnson and Carlin to escort the Supreme Court.

Reps. Hedke, Shultz and Victors to escort the Senate.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Speaker Merrick announced the prefiled bills and resolutions have been referred and will appear in tomorrow's journal.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Speaker Merrick introduced Dr. Mary Beth Miller to the members of the House. Dr. Miller practices medicine in St. Francis, Kansas. She grew up in Nebraska, receiving her BS in Medical Technology from the University of Nebraska, working in the lab for twelve years. She entered KU Medical School in 1996 and completed residency in Salina in 1999. She is board certified in Family Medicine, with a special interest in Geriatrics.

In addition to serving as Chief of Staff at Cheyenne County Hospital, Dr. Miller serves in several other medical positions, as well as serving on the local school board. Dr. Miller is married and has three children, all Jayhawks. She serves on the steering committee of the Kansas Health Collaborative and is the current president of the Board of the Kansas Academy of Family Practice.

The association sponsors the doctor of the day program and provides daily assistance for health concerns of those serving the Statehouse during the session.

Upon unanimous consent, the House referred back to the regular business, Introduction of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2428, AN ACT concerning elections; enacting the Kansas protection against voter suppression act; amending the crime of perjury; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 21-5903 and 25-2309 and repealing the existing sections, by Representative Ward.

HB 2429, AN ACT concerning the Kansas water appropriation act; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 82a-741 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations.

On motion of Rep. Vickrey, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 14, 2014.

CHARLENE SWANSON, *Journal Clerk*.

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk*.

