

Journal of the Senate

FOURTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS
Thursday, January 17, 2013, 2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order by President Susan Wagle.
The roll was called with forty senators present.
Invocation by Father Don Davidson:

Heavenly Father,

We give you thanks most gracious God for the beauty of the earth, sky and sea; for the richness of the plains and rivers; for the songs of the birds and for the loveliness of flowers. We praise you for these good gifts and though we are often so busy we may not notice, we thank you for the wonder of your creation.

In the name of our Creator. Amen

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Susan Wagle.

POINT OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

Senator Longbine recognized the Flint Hills Regional Leadership class from Geary, Riley and Pottawatomie counties.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

SB 37, AN ACT concerning the Kansas home inspectors professional competence and financial responsibility act; amending K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 58-4501 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Commerce.

SB 38, AN ACT concerning elections, dealing with advance voting; amending K.S.A. 25-1136 and repealing the existing section, by Senator V. Schmidt.

SB 39, AN ACT concerning crimes, criminal procedure and punishment; relating to unlawful possession of prescription drugs; amending K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 21-5708 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

SB 40, AN ACT concerning crimes, criminal procedure and punishment; relating to DNA evidence; amending K.S.A. 21-2512 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

SB 41, AN ACT concerning crimes, criminal procedure and punishment; relating to sentencing; relating to possession of a firearm during a drug crime; amending K.S.A.

2012 Supp. 21-6805 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

SB 42, AN ACT concerning crimes, criminal procedure and punishment; relating to sentencing; relating to possession of a firearm during a drug crime; amending K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 21-6805 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

SB 43, AN ACT concerning water; relating to the Kansas water office; comprehensive plan, by Joint Committee on Energy and Environmental Policy.

SB 44, AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to the identification and instruction of pupils with dyslexia, by Senator Abrams.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Commerce: **SB 31**.

Ethics, Elections and Local Government: **SB 33**.

Federal and State Affairs: **SB 28, SB 34, SB 35, SB 36**.

Financial Institutions and Insurance: **SB 24, SB 25, SB 26, SB 30**.

Judiciary: **SB 29; SCR 1605**.

Ways and Means: **SB 27, SB 32**.

REPORT ON ENGROSSED BILLS

SCR 1603 reported correctly engrossed January 17, 2013.

REPORT ON ENROLLED BILLS

SCR 1603 reported correctly enrolled, properly signed and presented to the Secretary of State on January 17, 2013.

SR 1704 reported correctly enrolled, properly signed and presented to the Secretary of the Senate on January 17, 2013.

On motion of Senator Bruce, the Senate adjourned until 8:00 a.m., Friday, January 18, 2013.

HELEN MORELAND, ROSE MARIE GLATT, CHARLENE BAILEY, *Journal Clerks*.

DIANE MINEAR, *Secretary of the Senate*.

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