

Journal of the Senate

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS
Friday, February 28, 2014, 8:30 a.m.

The Senate met proforma with Vice President Jeff King in the chair.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was referred to Committee as indicated:

Senate Select Committee on KPERS: **SB 425**.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Under the authority of the Senate President, Vice President Jeff King withdrew **SB 262** from the Committee on **Ways and Means**, and rereferred the bill to the Committee on **Commerce**.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 341, SB 369, SB 378** from the Committee on **Ways and Means**, and rereferred the bills to the Committee on **Education**.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 385** from the Committee on **Ways and Means**, and rereferred the bill to the Committee on **Transportation**.

The Vice President withdrew **S Sub HB 2101** from the Calendar under the heading of **General Orders**, and rereferred the bill to the Committee on **Utilities**.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 301, SB 334, SB 335, SB 380, SB 392, SB 401**, from the Calendar under the heading of **General Orders**, and referred the bill to the Committee on **Ways and Means**.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 292, SB 405** from the Committee on **Commerce**, and referred the bills to the Committee on **Ways and Means**.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 196** from the Committee on **Education**, and referred the bill to the Committee on **Ways and Means**.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 190, SB 259** from the Committee on **Judiciary**, and referred the bills to the Committee on **Ways and Means**.

The Vice President withdrew **SB 388** from the Committee on **Local Government**, and referred the bill to the Committee on **Ways and Means**.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Announcing passage of **HB 2417, HB 2433, HB 2445, HB 2480, HB 2482, HB 2487, HB 2489, HB 2545, HB 2552, HB 2568, HB 2576, HB 2580, HB 2595, HB 2596, HB 2612, HB 2651, HB 2655, HB 2684**.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HB 2417, HB 2433, HB 2445, HB 2480, HB 2482, HB 2487, HB 2489, HB 2545, HB 2552, HB 2568, HB 2576, HB 2580, HB 2595, HB 2596, HB 2612, HB 2651, HB 2655, HB 2684 were thereupon introduced and read by title.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on **Assessment and Taxation** recommends **SB 298** be amended by substituting a new bill to be designated as "Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 298," as follows:

"Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 298

By Committee on Assessment and Taxation

"AN ACT concerning the recording of certain documents and instruments; relating to certain fees paid thereon to the register of deeds; mortgage registration tax; amending K.S.A. 79-3102 and K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 28-115 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 79-3101, 79-3102, as amended by section 2 of 2014 Substitute for Senate Bill No. 298, 79-3103, 79-3104, 79-3105, 79-3106, 79-3107, 79-3107a and 79-3107b and K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 79-3107c. "; and the substitute bill be passed.

Committee on **Ways and Means** recommends **HB 2338** be amended by substituting a new bill to be designated as "Substitute for HOUSE BILL NO. 2338," as follows:

"Senate Substitute for HOUSE BILL NO. 2338

By Committee on Ways and Means

"AN ACT concerning the judicial branch; relating to docket fees; making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015, for the judicial branch; creating the electronic filing and management fund; allowing the allocation of a budget for each judicial district court administration; authority and power of the chief judge of each judicial district; relating to district courts and the court of appeals; selection of chief judge; relating to vacancies in the office of judge of the district court and the office of district magistrate judge; longevity bonuses for judicial branch employees; amending K.S.A. 20-162, 20-318, 20-319, 20-329, 20-342, 20-343, 20-345, 20-346a, 20-349, 20-361, 20-2909, 20-2911, 20-2914, 20-3011, 25-312a and 60-729 and K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 20-367, 21-6614, 22-2410, 28-172a, 38-2312, 59-104, 60-256, 60-2001, 61-2704 and 75- 5541 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 21-6614d, 38- 2312c and 60-2001b."; and the substitute bill be passed.

ENGROSSED BILLS

SB 10, SB 274, SB 309, SB 310, SB 311, SB 312; Sub SB 343; SB 352, SB 359 reported correctly engrossed February 27, 2014.

TRIBUTES

The Committee on **Organization, Calendar and Rules** authorizes the following tributes for the week of February 24-28, 2014:

Senator Apple: congratulating Samuel Delos Smith on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout;

Senator Faust-Goudeau: remembering John (Jack) Jonas Jr. for his service to the City of Wichita and the State of Kansas, remembering Linda Joslin for her service to the City of Wichita and the State of Kansas;

Senator Haley: remembering Mike Peterson for his service in the House of Representatives and for his contributions to the State of Kansas;

Senator Kelly: congratulating James and Barbara Decker on their 60th Wedding Anniversary, congratulating Howard and Doris Baker on their 65th Wedding Anniversary; and

Senator Ostmeyer: congratulating Kinsey Volk on receiving the Prudential Spirit of Community Award.

On motion of Senator Bruce, the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 5, 2014.

ROSE MARIE GLATT, CHARLENE BAILEY, CINDY SHEPARD, *Journal Clerks*.
COREY CARNAHAN, *Secretary of the Senate*.

