

SENATE CALENDAR

No. 54

Tuesday, March 26, 2024
SENATE CONVENES at 10:00 AM

Order of Business

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

1621–

SCR 1621, A PROPOSITION to amend section 1 of article 11 of the constitution of the state of Kansas; relating to property taxation; authorizing the legislature to limit property tax increases or provide property tax exemptions for residential property owned by and the principal place of residence of lawful permanent residents of Kansas who are 62 years of age or older or disabled.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)

2731–

HB 2731, AN ACT concerning education; relating to statewide assessments; requiring the state board of education to submit annual reports to the legislature on certain statistics of students who take such assessments; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-5170 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)

2829–

HB 2829, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; relating to the armed forces of the United States; clarifying the definition of armed forces; updating the definition thereof to include the space force; amending K.S.A. 44-706, 48-3401 and 65-1116 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 48-3407, 48-3408, 48-3601 and 65-6129 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation

(Ways and Means)

2830–

HB 2830, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; relating to disabled veterans; prescribing documentation requirements to determine eligibility for

benefits derived from a service-connected disability.

Committee on Taxation

(Ways and Means)

2831–

HB 2831, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; relating to disabled veterans; requiring that federal disability determinations be probative; prohibiting state agencies and municipalities from reconsidering a veteran's disability determination.

Committee on Taxation

(Ways and Means)

Reference of Appointments

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Consideration of Motions to Concur or Nonconcur

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Consideration of Appointments

By the Governor:

Member, State Civil Service Board:

Jordan Massey, term ends March 15, 2026

(Federal and State Affairs)

(Be Confirmed)

Consent Calendar

(Senate action to be taken on third day or thereafter)

537–(Third Day)

SB 537, AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use tax; relating to city and countywide retailers' sales tax; providing countywide retailers' sales tax authority for Neosho county for purposes of roadway and bridge construction, maintenance and improvement; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 12-187, 12-189

and 12-192 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed)

2604--(Third Day)

HB 2604, AN ACT concerning civil procedure for limited actions; relating to the small claims procedure act; increasing the maximum dollar amount of a small claim thereunder; amending K.S.A. 61-2703 and 61-2706 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2605--(Third Day)

HB 2605, AN ACT concerning the board of indigents' defense services; relating to appointed counsel; increasing the maximum rate paid to appointed counsel; amending K.S.A. 22-4507 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2614--(Third Day)

HB 2614, AN ACT concerning administrative rules and regulations; requiring state agencies to provide notice of revocation thereof; removing certain abolished or inactive state agencies from the five-year state agency review requirement; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-426 and 77-440 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Elections

(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

2615--(Third Day)

HB 2615, AN ACT concerning the publication of state laws and rules and regulations; relating to the publishing, printing and distributing thereof; removing state printer from timeline requirements for printing session laws; providing statewide elected officials and legislators to receive statute books and supplements upon request; requiring all administrative rules and regulations to be published electronically and eliminating the printing of volumes and supplements thereof; providing for the authenticating, preparing of searchable base and setting of prices of administrative rules and regulations by the secretary of state; amending K.S.A. 45-315, 77-165, 77-423, 77-429 and 77-435 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-138 and 77-430 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 77-424 and 77-428 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-430a and 77-431.

Committee on Elections

(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

2632--(Third Day)

HB 2632, AN ACT concerning the law enforcement memorial advisory committee; expanding the membership thereof; amending K.S.A. 75-2251 and

repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed)

2634--(Third Day)

HB 2634, AN ACT concerning water; relating to groundwater management districts; providing an additional corrective control provision for the chief engineer to consider when issuing orders of designations for local enhance management areas and intensive groundwater use control areas; amending K.S.A. 82a-1038 and 82a-1041 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Water

(Agriculture and Natural Resources)

(Be Passed)

2660--(Third Day)

HB 2660, AN ACT concerning business entities; authorizing a change of registered office address by a current occupant under the business entity standard treatment act; changing the information required in an amendment to the articles of incorporation for a cooperative; relating to filings with the secretary of state; modifying requirements for business entity information reports; eliminating references to a certificate of fact; modifying filing requirements for registration of foreign covered entities; amending K.S.A. 17-2036, 17-2718, 17-4615, 17-4634, 17-4677, 17-7002, 17-7503, 17-7504, 17-7505, 17-7506, 17-76,136, 17-76,139, 17-7903 and 17-7931 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 56-1a605, 56-1a606, 56-1a607, 56a-1001, 56a-1201 and 56a-1202 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Elections

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed)

2781--(Third Day)

HB 2781, AN ACT concerning the crime victims compensation board; relating to claims for compensation; allowing compensation for criminally injurious conduct; increasing the amount of awards and increasing the amount that can be transferred from the crime victims compensation fund to the crime victims assistance fund in each fiscal year; amending K.S.A. 75-752 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-7305 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed)

1620--(First Day)

SCR 1620, A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION approving the creation of a port authority in Wyandotte County and Kansas City, Kansas.

Senator Haley

(Commerce)

(Be Adopted)

Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

386–

SB 386, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the Kansas school equity and enhancement act; requiring school district enrollment to be determined using the current school year or preceding school year enrollment; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-5132 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Ways and Means)

427–

SB 427, AN ACT concerning education; relating to boards of education; requiring school districts to publicly list the names and email addresses of current board members; authorizing local school board members to add new items to board meeting discussions, ask questions or engage in discussion with members of the public and access school property; authorizing members of the public to address school boards at board meetings; authorizing payment of annual dues to any not-for-profit organization that provides services to member school districts; amending K.S.A. 72-1145 and 72-1416 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-1138 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Education

(Education)
(Ways and Means)
(Education)
(Be Passed as Amended)

488–

SB 488, AN ACT concerning the attorney general; relating to the office of the inspector general and the powers, duties and responsibilities thereof; expanding the power of the inspector general to investigate and audit all state cash, food and health assistance programs; amending K.S.A. 75-7427 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Public Health and Welfare

(Public Health and Welfare)
(Ways and Means)
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

524–

SB 524, AN ACT concerning water; specifying when irrigation district board of director elections may be conducted by mail ballot; authorizing the board of directors to set the term for such elected members; defining dam for both agriculture and nonagriculture use; clarifying structures that are water obstructions; providing a civil penalty for violations; amending K.S.A. 42-706, 82a-301 and 82a-305a and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2353–

HB 2353, AN ACT concerning the care and treatment act for mentally ill persons; increasing the time allowed for an initial continued treatment order; adding criteria to determine when outpatient treatment may be ordered; amending K.S.A. 59-2958, 59-2959 and 59-2969 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 59-2967 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2477–

HB 2477, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to environmental remediation; increasing the maximum reimbursement from the Kansas agricultural remediation fund from \$200,000 to \$300,000 for an eligible person; increasing the amount available to the Kansas agricultural remediation board for administrative overhead expenses from \$150,000 to \$175,000; amending K.S.A. 2-3708 and 2-3710 and repealing the existing sections.

Representative Rahjes

(Agriculture and Natural Resources)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2484–

HB 2484, AN ACT concerning the behavioral sciences; relating to social work; enacting the social work licensure compact to provide interstate practice privileges; requiring applicants for social work licensure to submit to a criminal history record check; authorizing the behavioral sciences regulatory board to establish a fee for a license with compact practice privileges; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-6314 and repealing the existing section.

Representative S. Ruiz

(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed)

2501–

HB 2501, AN ACT designating the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe #3415 as the official state steam locomotive and the Abilene & Smoky Valley Railroad as the official state heritage railroad.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2560–

HB 2560, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; relating to the state banking code; providing when an application is considered abandoned or expired; allowing an originating trustee to have such trustee's principal place of business outside of Kansas; amending K.S.A. 9-535, 9-806, 9-1721 and 9-2107 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Pensions
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2577–

HB 2577, AN ACT concerning state moneys; relating to the investment and

management thereof; providing discretionary authority to the state treasurer to transfer moneys certified as equivalent to the aggregate net amount received for unclaimed property to the board of trustees of the Kansas public employees retirement system and to liquidate such moneys for investment by the pooled money investment board or for necessary payments to owners of unclaimed property; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-2263 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Pensions
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2590–

HB 2590, AN ACT concerning pipeline safety; relating to the state corporation commission; state pipeline safety program; violations; updating the maximum penalties that may be imposed by the commission to comply with requirements of the federal pipeline and hazardous materials safety administration; amending K.S.A. 66-1,151 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications
(Utilities)
(Be Passed)

2661–

HB 2661, AN ACT concerning boards of county commissioners; relating to vacancies created by an increase in the number of commissioner districts; providing for the staggering of terms of commissioners elected to fill such vacancies; amending K.S.A. 19-202, 19-203, 19-203a, 19-204 and 19-204a and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Local Government
(Local Government)
(Be Passed)

2663–

HB 2663, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to title insurance; allowing title insurance agents to submit escrow, settlement and closing funds through certain real-time or instant payment systems; amending K.S.A. 40-1137 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Insurance
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2665–

HB 2665, AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to violations of the uniform act regulating traffic on highways; increasing criminal penalties for a driver who leaves the scene of a vehicular accident when the accident results in the death of any person or more than one person, if the driver knew or reasonably should have known that such accident resulted in injury or death; amending K.S.A. 8-1602 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2703–

HB 2703, AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to at-risk programs and services; including placement in the custody of the secretary for children and families as a criteria for eligibility for such programs and services; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-5153a and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)

(Be Passed)

2749–

HB 2749, AN ACT concerning abortion; relating to reports on abortions performed in this state; requiring the reporting of the reasons for each abortion performed at a medical care facility or by a healthcare provider; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-445 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Health and Human Services

(Public Health and Welfare)

(Be Passed)

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 11, I move to withdraw **SB 554** from the Committee on Federal and State Affairs and the bill be placed on the calendar under the heading of General Orders.

Senator Sykes

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

General Orders**2583–**

HB 2583, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to crimes against the public morals; increasing the criminal penalty for harming or killing certain dogs and horses; requiring restitution for such crime to include veterinary medical treatment, funeral and burial expenses and replacement of such animal; amending K.S.A. 21-6416 and 21-6604 and repealing the existing sections.

Representatives Hawkins, Owens

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2483–

HB 2483, AN ACT concerning audits; relating to the legislative division of post audit; eliminating the requirement for such division to conduct a recurring

911 implementation audit and a recurring Kansas public employees retirement system audit limiting recurring economic development incentive audits to new programs providing more than \$50,000 of annual incentives that have not previously been audited and have been recommended for review by the house or senate commerce committees; amending K.S.A. 12-5377 and 46-1137 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 46-1136.

Committee on Legislative Post Audit Committee
(Commerce)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2551–

HB 2551, AN ACT concerning certain claims against the state; making appropriations; authorizing certain transfers; imposing certain restrictions and limitations; directing or authorizing certain disbursements, procedures and acts incidental to the foregoing.

Joint Committee on Special Claims Against the State
(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2124–

S Sub HB 2124, AN ACT concerning alcoholic liquor; relating to microbreweries; permitting the sale of beer and hard cider manufactured by the licensee to retailers, public venues, clubs, drinking establishments, holders of temporary permits and caterers; allowing the sale of such beer and hard cider in unopened containers to consumers at special events monitored and regulated by the division of alcoholic beverage control; amending K.S.A. 41-308b, 41-410, 41-601, 41-701, 41-702, 41-703, 41-706, 41-708, 41-709, 41-728, 41-1101, 41-1202 and 41-2642 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 41-1201 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

2487–

HB 2487, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to controlled substances; providing immunity from prosecution for certain drug crimes when persons seek or provide medical assistance related to the use of a controlled substance.

Representatives Hoheisel, Alcalá, Probst, Proctor
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2690–

HB 2690, AN ACT concerning emergency communication services; establishing the state 911 board; abolishing the 911 coordinating council; transferring the powers, duties and functions of the 911 coordinating council to the state 911 board; authorizing the board to appoint an executive director and other employees to carry out the powers, duties and functions of the board; abolishing the 911 operations fund, the 911 state grant fund and the 911 state fund and establishing the state 911 operations fund, the state 911 grant fund

and the state 911 fund in the state treasury; authorizing governing bodies of cities or counties to contract for the provision of 911 PSAP services with another governing body of a PSAP; increasing the amount of 911 fee distributions to PSAPs and governing bodies; amending K.S.A. 12-5362, 12-5363, 12-5364, 12-5365, 12-5366, 12-5367, 12-5368, 12-5368, as amended by section 16 of this act, 12-5368, as amended by section 17 of this act, 12-5369, 12-5370, 12-5371, 12-5372, 12-5374, 12-5374, as amended by section 23 of this act, 12-5374, as amended by section 24 of this act, 12-5375, 12-5375, as amended by section 26 of this act, 12-5375, as amended by section 27 of this act, and 12-5377 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 12-5364, as amended by section 12 of this act, 12-5378 and 12-5379.

Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications
(Utilities)

(Be Passed as Amended)

532-

SB 532, AN ACT concerning education; relating to literacy; establishing the Kansas blueprint for literacy; creating a literacy advisory committee; directing the state board of regents to appoint a director of literacy education and develop a comprehensive assessment system; requiring the state board of regents and the state board of education to collaborate on a literacy micro-credential and professional development; authorizing the state board of regents to recommend diagnostic and formative literacy assessments; authorizing university presidents and deans of education oversight over postsecondary literacy courses; requiring a plan to establish centers of excellence in reading.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation

(Education)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2715-

HB 2715, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to the powers, duties and responsibilities of the commissioner of insurance; authorizing the commissioner of insurance to set the amount of certain fees; requiring the publication of such fees in the Kansas register; amending K.S.A. 40-205a, 40-218, 40-252, 40-2133, 40-504, 40-956, 40-22a04, 40-2604, 40-2702, 40-3213, 40-3304, 40-3812, 40-3813, 40-4103, 40-4116, 40-4323, 40-4334, 40-4503, 40-5003 and 40-5509 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 40-3823, 40-3824, 40-4209, 40-4302 and 40-4903 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 40-3217.

Committee on Insurance

(Financial Institutions and Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2648-

HB 2648, AN ACT concerning administrative rules and regulations; requirements for adoption of rules and regulations; providing that agency adjudications shall not be used to establish policies that are rules governing future private conduct that have the force of law; relating to economic impact statements; requiring legislative ratification for certain rules and regulations;

requiring the director of the budget to review an agency's determination of implementation and compliance costs and disapprove proposed rules and regulations with incomplete or inaccurate economic impact statements; removing a requirement that legislative post audit conduct an audit in 2026 pertaining to economic impact statements; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-415, 77-416 and 77-420 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
(Commerce)
(Be Passed)

2787–

HB 2787, AN ACT concerning property and casualty insurance; relating to the Kansas insurance guaranty association act; updating certain definitions, terms and conditions thereto; establishing continuity of guaranty fund coverage when a policy is transferred from one insurer to another and of guaranty fund coverage related to cybersecurity insurance; authorizing the commissioner of insurance to reduce the number of members of the association's board of directors; amending K.S.A. 40-2903, 40-2905, 40-2906 and 40-2910 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Insurance
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)
(Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2144–

S Sub HB 2144, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; creating the crime of organized retail crime and providing criminal penalties for violation thereof; relating to theft; increasing penalties for theft of certain property; relating to the Kansas racketeer influenced and corrupt organization act; including organized retail crime in the definition of racketeering activity; relating to the attorney general; authorizing the attorney general to prosecute specified crimes that are part of an alleged course of criminal conduct that occurred in two or more counties; amending K.S.A. 21-5801 and 21-6328 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-702 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2607–

HB 2607, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to the Kansas department of agriculture; the Kansas pesticide law; the Kansas chemigation safety law; requiring supervision and training for uncertified applicators; clarifying definition of governmental agency; requiring applicants to file certificates of liability insurance or surety bonds in lieu of letters of credit or proof of an escrow; government agency certification for pesticide applications in the sodium cyanide predator control category; requiring direct supervision of registered pest control technicians by a certified commercial applicator when applying restricted use pesticides; expanding applicability of civil penalty provisions to any person or entity that violates the Kansas pesticide law;

adding additional categories of qualification for certification and licensing; updating private applicator certificate requirements; allowing the secretary to establish a training program for initial certification of private applicators as an alternative to a written examination; requiring additional information in statements of service or contracts; government agencies to maintain records relating to each application of pesticide made by such government agency; applying the same criminal penalty to certified private applicators as other persons for violations of the Kansas pesticide law; removing the secretary's authority to deny, suspend, revoke or modify a permit if an applicant, registrant or permit holder has been convicted or pled guilty to a state or federal felony; amending K.S.A. 2-2438a, 2-2440, 2-2440b, 2-2440e, 2-2443a, 2-2444a, 2-2445a, 2-2446, 2-2448, 2-2449, 2-2450, 2-2455, 2-2461, 2-2467a and 2-3310 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2547–

HB 2547, AN ACT concerning schools; relating to student health; authorizing the maintenance of emergency medication kits for certain life-threatening conditions; requiring a prescription for distribution of emergency medication to schools; providing requirements for the administration of emergency medication by school personnel, training; exempting certain persons from the practice of healing arts and civil liability if acting in good faith; amending K.S.A. 65-1680, 65-2872b and 72-6283 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Health and Human Services
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2446–

HB 2446, AN ACT concerning cities and counties; prohibiting the regulation of plastic and other containers designed for the consumption, transportation or protection of merchandise, food or beverages.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Commerce)
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

2628–

HB 2628, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to child fatality records; requiring the secretary for children and families to release certain information related to a child fatality when criminal charges are filed with a court alleging that a person caused such fatality; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 38-2212 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2754–

HB 2754, AN ACT concerning counties; relating to public health; authorizing

counties to exempt from the requirement to perform school safety inspections; amending K.S.A. 19-101a and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-202 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed)

2675–

HB 2675, AN ACT concerning children and minors; enacting the uniform nonparent visitation act; removing provisions related to grandparent and stepparent visitation rights; repealing K.S.A. 23-3301, 23-3302, 23-3303 and 23-3304.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)
(Be Passed as Amended)

ANTICIPATED END OF DEBATE CALENDAR

407–

SB 407, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the state board of education; authorizing teaching licenses for individuals who complete an alternative teacher certification program.

Committee on Education

(Education)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Ways and Means)

S Sub 2047–

S Sub HB 2047, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to the farm animal and field crop and research facilities protection act; prohibiting entering or remaining on and knowingly making false statements to gain access to animal facilities and field crop production areas; providing penalties for violations therefor; removing the intent to destroy property; amending K.S.A. 47-1826 and 47-1827 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)
(Be Passed)

2751–

HB 2751, AN ACT concerning the Kansas department for aging and disability services; relating to licensure of providers of disability services; authorizing the department to condition or restrict a license therefor; granting the secretary authority to grant regulation waivers unrelated to health and safety; adding a definition of day service provider; authorizing correction orders and civil fines to be appealed to the secretary; amending K.S.A. 39-2004, 39-2009, 39-2013 and 39-2016 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Health and Human Services
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

529–

SB 529, AN ACT creating the Dwayne Peaslee technical training center district act; authorizing submission of the question of creating the Dwayne Peaslee technical training center district to the voters of Douglas county; providing for the establishment of such district, if approved, and the powers and duties of its board of directors; authorizing such district to levy a tax not exceed 0.5 mills on the tangible taxable property of the district.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Ways and Means)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2755–

HB 2755, AN ACT concerning appearance bonds; relating to release prior to trial; requiring compensated sureties who post bond in municipal court to comply with certain requirements; requiring a minimum bond premium in district court; providing reasons for suspending or terminating authorization of a compensated surety; amending K.S.A. 12-4301 and 22-2809b and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed as Amended)

428–

SB 428, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; boards of education; requiring attendance center needs assessments to be conducted by the board and include input from board members, teachers, school site councils and administrators; requiring that board members receive certain state assessment data; identifying allocations of moneys in the district budget and budget summary; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-1163 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)

(Ways and Means)

(Education)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2777–

HB 2777, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to {licensed} care facilities; prohibiting the state fire marshal and the marshal's representatives from wearing or operating a body camera during an on-site inspection at a {licensed} care facility creating an exception thereto for certain photographic evidentiary images.

Committee on Health and Human Services

(Public Health and Welfare)

(Be Passed as Amended)

544–

SB 544, AN ACT concerning postsecondary education; relating to scholarship programs; establishing the Kansas education opportunity scholarship program to replace the Kansas ethnic minority scholarship program; amending K.S.A. 74-3284, 74-3285, 74-3286, 74-3287, 74-3288 and 74-3289 and repealing the

existing sections.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Education)
(Be Passed as Amended)

552–

SB 552, AN ACT concerning the state board of regents; enacting the Kansas campus restoration act; relating to deferred maintenance and demolition of facilities at postsecondary educational institutions; authorizing the board to adopt rules and regulations; establishing the Kansas campus restoration fund in the state treasury; authorizing certain transfers from the state general fund to the Kansas campus restoration fund; requiring annual reports be submitted to certain committees of the legislature; amending K.S.A. 74-3201b and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Ways and Means
(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2490–

HB 2490, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to juvenile offenders; providing for evaluation of a juvenile's academic record, dyslexia screening and reading level assessment; limiting overall case length limit extensions to two extensions and 60 days per extension; amending K.S.A. 38-2360 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 38-2391 and repealing the existing sections.

J. Russell (Russ) Jennings Joint Committee on Corrections and Juvenile
Justice Oversight

(Judiciary)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2784–

HB 2784, AN ACT concerning adult care homes; relating to continuing care retirement communities; transferring authority for certification of such facilities from the Kansas insurance department to the Kansas department for aging and disability services; amending K.S.A. 39-923, 40-2231, 40-2232, 40-2233, 40-2234, 40-2235 and 40-2238 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 39-936 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Health and Human Services
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

542–

SB 542, AN ACT making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2025, and June 30, 2026; relating to the Kansas department for aging and disability services; creating a grant program to fund proposed homeless shelter infrastructure; establishing requirements for such grants to be awarded; creating the homeless shelter infrastructure grant fund in the state treasury; requiring cities and counties to adopt ordinances and resolutions regarding camping and vagrancy; prohibiting the transportation of certain

individuals; providing for exceptions thereof.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed as Amended)

110–

SB 110, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to Kansas adjusted gross income; eliminating the income limitation to receive the subtraction modification exempting social security benefits; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing section.

Senator Blasi

(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

Sub 254–

Sub SB 254, AN ACT concerning the office of United States senator; relating to the filling of a vacancy in such office; requiring appointment of a person of the same political party as the incumbent; requiring senate confirmation of such appointment; amending K.S.A. 25-318 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

S Sub 2436–

S Sub HB 2436, AN ACT concerning abortion; relating to unlawful coercion to obtain an abortion; creating the crime of coercion to obtain an abortion; providing the penalties therefor; providing for enhanced criminal penalties for offenses committed with the intent to compel a woman to obtain an abortion; amending K.S.A. 21-6804 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

Sub 249–

Sub SB 249, AN ACT concerning the offices of the state treasurer, the commissioner of insurance and the lieutenant governor; relating to the filling of a vacancy in such offices; requiring appointment of a person of the same political party as the incumbent; requiring senate confirmation of such appointment; amending K.S.A. 25-101b, 40-106 and 75-127 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

2682–

HB 2682, AN ACT concerning motor carriers; relating to the Kansas uniform commercial drivers' license act; authorizing the director of vehicles to adopt rules and regulations for participation in the federal motor carrier safety administration's drug and alcohol clearinghouse program; disqualifying a person's commercial driving privileges when such person has violated or is in

noncompliance with the requirements of the clearinghouse.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)

(Be Passed)

2711–

HB 2711, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system and systems thereunder; membership waiting period for direct support positions of community service providers; employment after retirement; increasing the amount of retiree compensation subject to the statutory employer contribution rate; providing an exemption for retirees employed by a community developmental disability organization or a community service provider affiliated with a community developmental disability organization in a licensed professional nurse, licensed practical nurse or direct support position; increasing the earnings limit for members of the Kansas police and firemen's retirement system; amending K.S.A. 74-4937, 74-4957 and 74-4957a and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-4911 and 74-4914 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Pensions

(Financial Institutions and Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2422–

S Sub HB 2422, AN ACT concerning gaming; relating to certification of gaming suppliers by the Kansas racing and gaming commission; exempting certain suppliers from such certification requirements; limiting adoption of rules and regulations by the commission; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-8751 and 74-8772 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Federal and State Affairs)

(Be Passed)

S Sub 2416–

S Sub HB 2416, AN ACT concerning adoption; relating to the expenses thereof; enacting the adoption savings account act; allowing individuals to establish adoption savings accounts with certain financial institutions; providing eligible expenses, requirements and restrictions for such accounts; requiring the secretary of revenue to adopt certain rules and regulations; granting nonexclusive marketing authority to the state treasurer; establishing addition and subtraction modifications for contributions to such accounts under the Kansas income tax act; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation

(Assessment and Taxation)

(Be Passed)

2618–

HB 2618, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the election crime of false representation of an election official; requiring specific intent of the offender as an element of such criminal offense; amending K.S.A. 25-2438 and repealing

the existing section.

Committee on Elections

(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2168–

HB 2168, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to industrial hemp; reducing maximum license and registration fee amounts to \$800; amending K.S.A. 2-3906 and 2-3907 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)
(Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2645–

S Sub HB 2645, AN ACT concerning postsecondary education; relating to scholarship programs; removing limits on Kansas nursing service scholarship awards and modifying the interest rate terms and repayment obligations for such awards; abolishing the nursing service scholarship review committee; modifying financial limitations on Kansas hero's scholarship awards and broadening eligibility requirements for such awards; amending K.S.A. 74-3292, 74-3293, 74-3294, 74-3295, 74-3296, 74-3297 and 74-3298 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-4364 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 74-3299.

Committee on Education

(Education)
(Be Passed)

2358–

HB 2358, AN ACT concerning public health; relating to the uniform vital statistics act; certification of an individual's cause of death; permitting cause of death certifiers to provide certification thereto; amending K.S.A. 65-2401 and 65-2412 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2527–

HB 2527, AN ACT concerning public utilities; relating to the state corporation commission; authorizing public utilities to defer to a regulatory asset and recover depreciation expenses relating to certain rate base additions; establishing a cap on such cost recovery and limiting the time that such cost recovery may be implemented by a public utility; authorizing new economic development electric rates for large facilities; limiting the time that such economic development rates for large facilities may be implemented by a public utility; prohibiting any revenue lost through the implementation of economic development rates from being imputed into the electric public utility's revenue requirement; authorizing a rate adjustment mechanism for the construction of new gas-fired electric generating facilities; limiting the time that such rate adjustment mechanism may be implemented by a public utility; extending the timeline for the commission to make a determination of

ratemaking principles and treatment prior to a public utility constructing or acquiring a stake in an electric generation or transmission facility; establishing procedural requirements to support the timely completion of such proceedings; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 66-101j and 66-1239 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications
(Utilities)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2491–

HB 2491, AN ACT concerning the law enforcement training center; abolishing the law enforcement training center fund; transferring all moneys and liabilities of such fund to the state general fund; crediting moneys to the state general fund that had previously been credited to the law enforcement training center fund; amending K.S.A. 8-145, 8-1,177, 12-4117, 20-362 and 74-5619 and repealing the existing sections.

J. Russell (Russ) Jennings Joint Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice
Oversight

(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed)

2601–

HB 2601, AN ACT concerning driving; relating to driving under the influence; requiring certain persons on a third or subsequent conviction thereof to participate in a multidisciplinary model of services for substance use disorders; amending K.S.A. 8-1567 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2543–

HB 2543, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to livestock marks and brands; requiring approval of livestock brand applications by the animal health commissioner; submission of brand application and registration fees; increasing the maximum amount for brand registration and renewal fees; amending K.S.A. 47-417 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)
(Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2056–

S Sub HB 2056, AN ACT concerning firearms; relating to the possession thereof; clarifying the eligibility requirements to obtain a license to carry a concealed handgun under the personal and family protection act; requiring that a license be surrendered to the attorney general upon suspension or revocation of such license; amending K.S.A. 75-7c07 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-7c04 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

2578–

HB 2578, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to certified community behavioral health clinics; providing for renewal certification of programs and treatments that have been previously certified or accredited; amending K.S.A. 39-2019 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Health and Human Services
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed)

2570–

HB 2570, AN ACT concerning employment security law; relating to the definition of benefit year, temporary unemployment, wages subject to assessment for employer contributions, statewide average annual wage and statewide average weekly wage; referencing certain new definitions for purposes of the annual determination by the secretary of the maximum weekly benefit amount; requiring electronic filing of wage reports, contribution returns and payments and interest assessments for employers with 25 or more employees; establishing minimum qualifications for candidates for membership on the employment security board of review and initial review of such candidates by the director of unemployment; extending when the mandatory combination of rates and the establishment of a new account due to a business acquisition must occur from the beginning of the following quarter to the beginning of the following year; making certain changes to the schedules governing employer contribution rates; removing obsolete language pertaining to the employment security interest assessment fund and abolishing such fund; requiring the secretary to create an audit process within the new unemployment insurance information technology system to permit employers to submit reports regarding work search, the my reemployment plan and claimants who do not provide notification or appear for scheduled interviews; providing for notices by the secretary to active employers regarding work search noncompliance reporting options; confirming the legislative coordinating council's authority to extend the new unemployment insurance information technology system's implementation date retroactively and as often as deemed appropriate by the council; requiring the secretary to notify the council of the need for an extension; authorizing the secretary to extend temporary unemployment for limited periods upon request by employers and allowing for additional temporary unemployment when requested by employers engaged in certain industries; requiring the secretary to annually post on the secretary's website certain additional calculations and data and to prepare an annual certification memorandum; changing the timing of employer benefit charge notices from annually to quarterly; removing the exemption for benefit charges less than \$100; providing that school bus drivers employed by private contractors are eligible for workshare; allowing a one-time write off for negative account balance employers by the secretary of such employers negative reserve account balance as of August 21, 2025; extending the publication deadline for contribution rate tables prepared by the secretary; providing that the secretary

suspend state unemployment benefits for claimants who are receiving federal unemployment benefits; amending K.S.A. 44-704, 44-705, 44-706, 44-709, 44-710, 44-710b, 44-717, 44-757, 44-771, 44-772 and 44-774 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 44-703, 44-710a and 44-775 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
(Commerce)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2453–

HB 2453, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to dentists and dental hygienists; enacting the dentist and dental hygienist compact to provide interstate practice privileges for dentists and dental hygienists.

Committee on Appropriations
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed)

2741–

HB 2741, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to supervision of offenders; updating the terms of supervision for offenders on probation and postrelease supervision; amending K.S.A. 21-6607, 22-2907 and 22-3717 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

2549–

HB 2549, AN ACT concerning adoption; relating to the Kansas adoption and relinquishment act, adoption, termination of parental rights; requiring notice of a hearing on a petition for adoption, petitions to be filed as part of a petition for adoption or in connection with an adoption; setting requirements for petitions filed separately from adoption proceedings; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 59-2133 and 59-2136 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

505–

SB 505, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system; making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025; authorizing certain transfers from the state general fund to the Kansas public employees retirement fund; increasing the retirement benefit multiplier for members who are security officers of the department of corrections; amending K.S.A. 74-4915 and 74-49,205 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Ways and Means
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2536–

HB 2536, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to the revised Kansas code for care of children; establishing SOUL family legal permanency as a permanency option for children in need of care who are 16 years of age or

older; allowing courts to establish SOUL family legal permanency; defining SOUL family legal permanency; reconciling definition of behavioral health crisis in the revised Kansas code for care of children; amending K.S.A. 38-2234, 38-2263, 38-2264, 38-2266 and 38-2268 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 38-2202, 38-2203 and 38-2255 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 38-2202a.

Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed)

2579–

HB 2579, AN ACT concerning health professions and practices; relating to the board of emergency medical services; authorized activities; authorizing distribution of non prescription over-the-counter medications; amending K.S.A. 65-6144 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Health and Human Services
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed)

S Sub 2232–

S Sub HB 2232, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to certain net operating losses; allowing a carryback on loss from the sale of certain historic hotels; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-32,143 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed)

2254–

HB 2254, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to land devoted to agricultural use; including properties used for registered agritourism activities as land devoted to agricultural use for purposes of classification; accounting for adverse influences in the valuation of agricultural land; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-1476 and repealing the existing section.

Representative Neelly
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2317–

S Sub HB 2317, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; providing a sales tax exemption for sales of over-the-counter drugs; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed)

2229–

HB 2229, AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use tax; relating to motor vehicles; providing for a deduction for calculating tax owed when selling a motor vehicle that is purchased within 120 days of the sale of another

vehicle; amending K.S.A. 12-199 and repealing the existing section.

Representatives Turner, Resman

(Assessment and Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2499–

HB 2499, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; prohibiting the use of a mobile telephone while operating a vehicle in a school zone or a road construction zone or by individuals under 18 years of age; amending K.S.A. 8-2118 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

468–

SB 468, AN ACT concerning property tax; relating to tax levy rates; prohibiting cities and counties that grant or approve certain property tax exemptions from exceeding their revenue neutral rates; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-2988 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation

(Assessment and Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2596–

HB 2596, AN ACT concerning controlled substances; adding and removing certain substances in schedules I, II, IV and V of the uniform controlled substances act; making conforming changes to the criminal code definition of fentanyl-related controlled substances; amending K.S.A. 21-5701 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-4105, 65-4107, 65-4111 and 65-4113 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Health and Human Services

(Public Health and Welfare)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2588–

HB 2588, AN ACT concerning electric public utilities; relating to net metering; increasing the system-wide capacity limit for facilities subject to net metering; requiring such facilities to be appropriately sized based on the customer's expected load; establishing requirements for exporting power to a utility from a facility subject to net metering; amending K.S.A. 66-1264, 66-1265, 66-1266 and 66-1267 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications

(Utilities)

(Be Passed as Amended)

94–

SB 94, AN ACT concerning taxation; discontinuing the state property tax levies for the Kansas educational building fund and the state institutions building fund; providing financing therefor from the state general fund; eliminating the local ad valorem tax reduction fund and the county and city revenue sharing fund and discontinuing certain transfers to the special city and county highway fund; amending K.S.A. 65-163j, 65-3306, 65-3327, 75-2556,

76-6b01, 76-6b02, 76-6b04, 76-6b05, 76-6b11 and 79-1479 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-8768 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 19-2694, 79-2960, 79-2961, 79-2962, 79-2965, 79-2966 and 79-2967 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-2959, 79-2964 and 79-3425i.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed)
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

509–

SB 509, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to tax credits for education expenses; providing an education opportunity tax credit for taxpayers with eligible dependent children not enrolled in public school.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

510–

SB 510, AN ACT concerning cities; requiring cities to reconnect property to the city sewer system upon request of the property owner; amending K.S.A. 12-631 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Local Government)
(Be Passed as Amended)

1609–

SCR 1609, A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION making application to the Congress of the United States to call a limited national convention for the exclusive purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States establishing term limits for members of Congress.

Senators Claeys, Alley, Baumgardner, Blasi, Bowers, Erickson, Fagg, Gossage, Kerschen, Kloos, Masterson, Peck, Steffen, Straub, Thompson, Warren, Wilborn

(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Adopted)

487–

SB 487, AN ACT concerning emergency communication services; relating to the Kansas 911 act; authorizing governing bodies of cities or counties to contract with another governing body to share services of 911 public safety answering points; authorizing distributions of 911 fee moneys to governing bodies for such purposes; exempting the legislative members appointed to the 911 coordinating council from certain term limitations that apply to members of the council; amending K.S.A. 12-5364, 12-5368, 12-5374, 12-5375 and 12-5377 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Utilities)
(Be Passed as Amended)

367–

SB 367, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the transparency in revenues

underwriting elections act; prohibiting the use of funds provided by the United States government for the conduct of elections or election-related activities unless approved by the legislature; amending K.S.A. 25-2436 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed as Amended)

370–

SB 370, AN ACT concerning national land designations; requiring legislative approval of any designation of a national heritage area or national historic trail in the state of Kansas or the inclusion of certain property within any such designation; prohibiting state funding of any national heritage area or national historic trail unless such funding is first approved by the legislature of the state of Kansas.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed as Amended)

457–

SB 457, AN ACT concerning public utilities; relating to eminent domain; prohibiting public utilities from exercising eminent domain for the siting or placement of solar facilities; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 66-104 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Utilities

(Utilities)
(Be Passed)
(Ways and Means)

426–

SB 426, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to unlawful passing of stationary authorized emergency vehicle; increasing penalties for certain violations; creating a crime for injuring or causing death of certain authorized emergency vehicle operators and providing a penalty therefor; amending K.S.A. 8-1530, 8-2116 and 8-2118 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Ways and Means)

476–

SB 476, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; creating a crime for operating a motor vehicle at a speed of 100 miles per hour or more and providing a penalty therefor; amending K.S.A. 8-255 and 8-2116 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

103–

SB 103, AN ACT concerning health professions and practices; relating to the regulation of dentists; Kansas dental board; requiring that treating dentist

information be given to patients upon request; prohibiting agreements that limit a patient's ability to file complaints; eliminating the minimum personal presence requirements of licensee in dental office using licensee's name; amending K.S.A. 65-1430, 65-1435, 65-1436 and 65-1467 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Public Health and Welfare
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Ways and Means)
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed)

54—

SB 54, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to rates; expanding the eligible uses for the 0% state rate for sales of certain utilities and providing for the levying of such tax by cities and counties; amending K.S.A. 12-189a and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3603 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed)
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

368—

SB 368, AN ACT concerning elections; prohibiting the use of any form of ranked-choice voting methods in elections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)

366—

SB 366, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to advance voting ballots; requiring that county election officers receive a request for an application for an advance voting ballot prior to mailing such application to such voter; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 25-1122 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed as Amended)

41—

SB 41, AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use taxation; relating to the collection and remittance of taxes; providing a credit to retailers.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed)
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed)

303—

SB 303, AN ACT concerning legal tender; establishing the Kansas legal tender act; reaffirmation of gold and silver coin as legal tender; providing an income taxation subtraction modification for gains from the sale of specie; amending

K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed)
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2077–

HB 2077, AN ACT concerning information technology; requiring reporting of significant cybersecurity incidents; changing membership, terms and quorum requirements for the information technology executive council; relating to information technology projects and reporting requirements; information technology security training and cybersecurity reports; duties of the chief information security officer; requiring certain information to be provided to the joint committee on information technology; amending K.S.A. 46-2102, {74-5704,} 75-7201, 75-7202, 75-7205, 75-7206, 75-7208, 75-7209, 75-7210, 75-7211, 75-7237, 75-7238, 75-7239, 75-7240 and 75-7242 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Appropriations
(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2033–

HB 2033, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to children in need of care; juvenile crisis intervention centers; changing the criteria used to refer and admit juveniles; defining behavioral health crisis; amending K.S.A. 38-2202, 38-2231, 38-2243, 38-2302, 38-2330, 65-536 and 75-52,164 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2034–

HB 2034, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to procedures in investigations of child abuse or neglect; requiring a child abuse review and evaluation referral; creating a program in the department of health and environment for the training and payment for child abuse reviews and exams; defining child abuse review and evaluation providers, networks and examination and child abuse medical resource centers; amending K.S.A. 38-2202 and 38-2226 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2340–

HB 2340, AN ACT concerning the behavioral sciences; requiring the behavioral sciences regulatory board to process applications within a certain time and establish an expedited application process; relating to licensure and regulation; professional counselors, social workers, marriage and family therapists, addiction counselors, behavior analysts, psychologists and master's level psychologists; decreasing the years of practice required for reciprocity

licensure; providing reduced diagnosis and treatment continuing education requirements; establishing license categories for applicants from social work programs in candidacy for accreditation and for temporary reinstatement; extending the license period of temporary licenses; establishing a community-based license for professional counselors, social workers, marriage and family therapists and psychologists; amending K.S.A. 65-5802, 65-5806, 65-6302, 65-6313, 65-6314, 65-6402, 65-6407, 65-6608, 65-6614, 65-6618, 65-7504, 65-7505, 74-5302, 74-5318, 74-5361, 74-5365, 74-5366, 74-5367 and 74-7501 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 65-5804a, 65-5807, 65-5808, 65-6306, 65-6309, 65-6322, 65-6404, 65-6405, 65-6406, 65-6411, 65-6610, 65-6611, 65-6613, 74-5310, 74-5315, 74-5316, 74-5363 and 74-5375 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 74-5339.

Committee on Health and Human Services
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

308—

SB 308, AN ACT concerning public employees; relating to hiring and promotion preferences for state employment; providing for a preference for persons with a disability; expanding the veterans preference to include remarried spouses of a deceased veteran who died while, and as a result of, serving in the armed forces and to include surviving spouses, whether remarried or not remarried of a prisoner of war; amending K.S.A. 73-201 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Ways and Means
(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed)

104—

SB 104, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; relating to payments made with credit and debit cards; allowing a surcharge for use of such cards; requiring notification to consumers of such surcharge; amending K.S.A. 12-16, 125 and 72-1176 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 19-122 and 75-30, 100 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 16a-2-403.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Ways and Means)

2293—

HB 2293, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to jailhouse witness testimony; requiring prosecutors to disclose their intent to introduce testimony from a jailhouse witness and to forward related information to the Kansas bureau of investigation; providing for confidentiality of such information; amending K.S.A. 45-229 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2338–

HB 2338, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to sickle cell disease; designating sickle cell awareness week.

Committee on Health and Human Services
(Public Health and Welfare)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2106–

HB 2106, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to sales and compensating use tax; providing for a sales tax exemption for sales of property and services used in the provision of communications services; providing for a deduction for calculating tax owed when selling a motor vehicle that is purchased within 90 days of the sale of another vehicle; amending K.S.A. 12-199 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation
(Assessment and Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

S Sub 2069–

S Sub HB 2069, AN ACT concerning real property; relating to the conveyance thereof; prohibiting the conveyance of certain real property to foreign adversaries; establishing criminal penalties therefor; requiring the attorney general to investigate such conveyances.

Committee on Judiciary
(Judiciary)
(Be Passed)

63–

SB 63, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the campaign finance act; expanding the scope of permitted uses of campaign contributions to include family caregiving services; amending K.S.A. 25-4157a and repealing the existing section.

Senators Corson, Blasi, Claeys, O'Shea, Pittman, Straub
(Transparency and Ethics)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Ways and Means)

2086–

HB 2086, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to election procedures; clarifying duties and qualifications of certain election officials; redefining certain election crimes; amending K.S.A. 10-120, 15-809, 19-303, 19-804, 19-3419, 19-3422, 19-3439, 25-105, 25-203, 25-208a, 25-211, 25-212, 25-213, 25-303, 25-308, 25-321, 25-432, 25-433, 25-604, 25-610, 25-901, 25-1115, 25-1122, 25-1214, 25-1903, 25-2005, 25-2008, 25-2018, 25-2021, 25-21a02, 25-2310, 25-2502, 25-2507, 25-26a03, 25-2702, 25-2704, 25-2705, 25-2706, 25-2805, 25-2812, 25-2905, 25-3002, 25-3005, 25-3104, 25-3107, 25-3201, 25-3301, 25-3303, 25-3304, 25-3801, 25-4004, 25-4005, 25-4148d, 25-4322, 25-4612, 25-4703, 25-4709 and 71-1415 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 19-3424, 25-3009 and 25-4414 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A.

25-222, 25-305b, 25-1709 and 25-1710.

Committee on Elections

(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Passed as Amended)

68–

SB 68, AN ACT concerning electric transmission lines; relating to construction and ownership of certain electric transmission lines; providing incumbent electric transmission owners a right of first refusal.

Committee on Utilities

(Utilities)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Ways and Means)

2191–

HB 2191, AN ACT concerning the children's cabinet; authorizing the cabinet to establish a nonprofit corporation to raise funds to benefit the Dolly Parton's imagination library book gifting program.

Committee on Appropriations

(Ways and Means)
(Be Passed)

284–

SB 284, AN ACT concerning disability services; relating to telecommunications and information access services; establishing the blind information access act; requiring the state librarian to contract with an organization to provide on-demand information access services to persons who are blind, visually impaired, deafblind or print disabled; establishing the blind information access fund; requiring the transfer of moneys from the Kansas universal service fund to provide for such services; amending K.S.A. 66-2010 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Utilities)
(Ways and Means)
(Utilities)
(Be Passed as Amended)

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Senate Committee Agenda

The following is a tentative schedule of Committees and is subject to change day-to-day. Committees not listed have no meetings scheduled.

New or changed material for the present week will be printed in *italics*.

On-call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda. Sub-Committees will be listed at the time of the Committee's regular meeting.

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SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS SCHEDULE

All Committees will meet Daily

TIME		MEETING ROOM
8:30 a.m.	Agriculture and Natural Resources	144-S
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Tuesday, March 26

10:00 a.m. Session

Wednesday, March 27

10:00 a.m. Session

Thursday, March 28

10:00 a.m. Session

Commerce

10:30 a.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant—785-296-7476 546-S

Tuesday, March 26 **NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 12:00 P.M.**

Continued discussion and possible final action on:

SB 545 — *Providing a sales tax exemption for the construction or remodeling of a qualified data center in Kansas and the purchase of data center equipment, eligible data center costs, electricity and certain labor costs to qualified firms that commit to*

a minimum investment of at least \$600,000,000 and meet new Kansas jobs and other requirements.

Federal and State Affairs

10:30 a.m. Sheila Wodtke, Committee Assistant—785-296-4335 144-S

Thursday, March 28 **NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 8:00 A.M.**

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB 555 — *Creating the medical cannabis pilot program act to establish the medical cannabis pilot program for limited cultivation, processing and dispensing of medical cannabis and medical cannabis products.*

Ways and Means

10:30 a.m. Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant—785-296-3775 548-S

Tuesday, March 26

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, March 27

Meeting on call of the chair

Thursday, March 28

Meeting on call of the chair

Doctor of the Day

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Tuesday, March 26

Danielle Villalobos, MD, Wichita

Wednesday, March 27

Shelly Gruenbacher, MD, Quinter

Thursday, March 28

No doctor scheduled

Laurie Varner & Nancy Reddy, *Calendar Clerks*
Corey Carnahan, *Secretary of the Senate*

