

Journal of the House

TWENTY-FIRST DAY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TOPEKA, KS, Tuesday, February 6, 2024, 11:00 a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment with Speaker pro tem Carpenter in the chair.

The roll was called with 121 members present.

Rep. Highberger was excused on verified illness.

Reps. Donohoe, Sawyer and Underhill were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by Chaplain Holmes:

Good Morning Father.

What a great day of opportunity lies before us
as we consider the work we are about to immerse ourselves in.

An opportunity to be kind, an opportunity to be gracious,
an opportunity to make a difference in ourselves,
in our friends, our colleagues and in the State of Kansas.

Might we be good stewards of these opportunities.

I pray as we lay our heads upon our pillows tonight,
we will be able recognize Your Lordship in all that occurs in this chamber today.

We realize we are accountable to those who have placed us here,
but also recognize ultimately,

we must reconcile ourselves and our decisions with You.

Grant us courage and wisdom to see things through eyes of “right-ness.”

Your Word says, “The name of the Lord is a strong tower;
the righteous runs into it and is safe.”

Allow each of us to not only recognize the “strong tower” of The almighty God,
but also to find a refuge of strength as our day progresses.

We take this opportunity to pray for our spouses, our children,
grandchildren and all those who look to us as beacons of love and trust.

Might we never take them for granted or purposely disappoint them.

And now I pray a blessing of peace, truth and optimism
upon each who desire to do their best to serve the people of Kansas.

I pray this in the name of the giver of peace;

Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Blew.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2694, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; providing for an increased amount of credit for individuals of certain ages for the selective assistance for effective senior relief credit and setting the maximum amount of credit; amending K.S.A. 79-32,263 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Taxation.

HB 2695, AN ACT concerning water; relating to groundwater management districts; allowing a majority of eligible voters in a groundwater management district or an area for a proposed extension or reduction of a district to petition the chief engineer to extend or reduce the territory in a groundwater management district; amending K.S.A. 82a-1033 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Water.

HB 2696, AN ACT concerning water; relating to the Kansas water appropriation act; allowing a groundwater management district the opportunity to provide a written comment rather than a recommendation to the chief engineer for a proposed water conservation area and management plan; amending K.S.A. 82a-745 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Water.

HB 2697, AN ACT concerning water; relating to groundwater management districts; allowing groundwater management district boards to provide relevant information rather than advice and assistance regarding groundwater management and other appropriate matters of concern of a district; amending K.S.A. 82a-1028 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Water.

HB 2698, AN ACT concerning the secretary of corrections; relating to juvenile offenders; authorizing the secretary to allow juvenile offenders to leave a juvenile correctional facility for certain types of programming and educational activities; amending K.S.A. 75-7062 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

HB 2699, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to crimes involving property; creating the crime of home invasion and aggravated home invasion and providing criminal penalties for violation thereof, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

HB 2700, AN ACT concerning libraries; relating to public school libraries; establishing the school library rating system task force; requiring the development and implementation of a rating system for materials offered by public school libraries, by Committee on Education.

HB 2701, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; increasing the school and classroom supplies tax credit amount to \$500 and providing for an annual adjustment to such amount based on the cost of inflation; allowing additional school employees to claim such credit; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-32,296 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

HB 2702, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the Kansas state high school activities association; specifying eligibility requirements for participation by students enrolled in nonpublic schools; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-7121 and 72-7122 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Education.

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, by Committee on Education.

HB 2704, AN ACT concerning economic development; creating the no-impact home-based business fairness act; limiting the regulatory powers of cities and counties, by Representatives Williams, L. and Turk.

HB 2705, AN ACT concerning the disposition of state real property; authorizing the state board of regents on behalf of Kansas state university to sell certain real property in the city of Manhattan, Riley county, Kansas, by Committee on Higher Education Budget.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to committees as indicated:

Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications: **HB 2690**, **HB 2691**.

Health and Human Services: **HB 2686**.

Insurance: **HB 2689**.

Judiciary: **HB 2692**, **HB 2693**.

Taxation: **HB 2683**, **HB 2684**, **HB 2685**, **HB 2687**, **HB 2688**.

Transportation: **HB 2679**, **HB 2680**, **HB 2681**, **HB 2682**.

Water: **HB 2678**.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Speaker pro tem Carpenter announced the withdrawal of **HB 2487** from the Calendar and re-referral to Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

On emergency motion of Rep. A. Smith, **HR 6036**, by Reps. Smith, Ballard, Borjon, Buehler, Clifford, Croft, Dodson, Essex, Francis, Hoheisel, Howe, Hoye, Miller, Minnix, Penn, Pickert, Sawyer, Sawyer Clayton, Schreiber, Smith, Waggoner, Wasinger, Waymaster and White, as follows, was introduced and adopted:

HR 6036—A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the NCSL on its 50th anniversary.

A RESOLUTION congratulating and commending the National Conference of State Legislatures on its 50th anniversary in 2025.

WHEREAS, The National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL) was founded in 1975 and has evolved during the past half-century to become the premier organization solely dedicated to serving state and territorial legislators and legislative staff; and

WHEREAS, NCSL was created from the merger of three organizations that served or represented state legislatures and shared the belief that legislative service is one of democracy's worthiest pursuits; and

WHEREAS, NCSL is a bipartisan organization with three objectives, namely, to advance the effectiveness, independence and integrity of state legislatures, to foster interstate communication and cooperation and to ensure that states have a strong, cohesive voice in the federal system; and

WHEREAS, Our nation's state legislatures are America's laboratories of democracy and have continually shown that they are the bodies to tackle emerging challenges and state legislatures are where people from diverse backgrounds, representing diverse

communities, can come together and find a common ground; and

WHEREAS, NCSL has facilitated the exchange of ideas, provided critical research and information and encouraged a rigorous review of complex issues confronting our communities, states and nation; and

WHEREAS, NCSL strives to strengthen the bonds between America's state legislatures and the international community: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That we congratulate the National Conference of State Legislatures on its 50th anniversary in 2025; and

Be it further resolved: That we recognize and commend the National Conference of State Legislatures for their superb leadership and commitment to the legislative institution; and

Be it further resolved: That the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives shall send five enrolled copies of this resolution to Representative A. Smith.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

There being no objection, the following remarks of Rep. Adam Smith are spread upon the Journal:

As the State Co-Coordinator along with Sen. Elaine Bowers for the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL), I, along with all the co-sponsors, am pleased to offer House Resolution 6036 recognizing NCSL for its upcoming 50th anniversary. NCSL originated from the merger of three organizations which served state legislatures and believed that legislative service is one of democracy's worthiest pursuits. NCSL has facilitated the exchange of ideas from legislators and legislative staff across the nation, building networks of collaboration to solve problems and develop policies to address our ever-changing world. NCSL also promotes cooperation between state legislatures from the US and other countries.

Kansans have provided an important leadership role with NCSL over the past 50 years, – Officers of the Executive Committee include former Senate Presidents Ross Doyen, Bud Paul Burke, Steve Morris and former House Speaker Melvin Neufeld. At large or Ex Officio Members include: Senators Salisbury, Audrey Langworth, Lana Oleen, John Vratil, and Jay Emler; House members - Representatives Jo Ann Pottorff, John Grange and Legislative Staff: Sue Bauman, Dr. Richard Brown, Pat Saville and House Clerk Susan Kannarr.

There has been three Women Legislative Network Presidents from Kansas: Rep. Annie Kuetner, Rep. Stephanie Sawyer Clayton and Senator Elaine Bowers.

Current Executive Committee members from Kansas are: Senate President Ty Masterson, House Minority Caucus Chair Rep. Barbara Ballard and Melissa Renick, Assistant Director for Research.

As I mentioned earlier, NCSL is not just made up of legislators but also legislative staff. The Legislative Staff Coordinating Committee manages the nine NCSL legislative staff associations. Several Kansas Legislative staff have served or currently serve on this committee and play an important role in NCSL – Susan Kannarr, Kristen Rottinghaus, Melissa Renick, Andrew Kraus, Terri Clark, Katrin Osterhaus, Jessie Pringle and Robert Coldsnow.

We all know how great our legislative staff is in Kansas, but did you know that NCSL also recognizes them on a national level? Here are a few notable awards our staff

has received: Terri Clark won the National Association of Legislative Information Technology Award, Melissa Renick won the NCSL Standing Committee Staff Chairs Award, Susan Kannarr won the American Society of Legislative Clerks & Secretaries Award, the Kansas Legislative Research Department received a 2017 Notable Document Award for its “Hands-Free & Distracted Driving Laws in Other States” research and in 2019 a Notable Document Award for its “Status of Election Security in Kansas” research. Kansas Legislative Division of Post Audit received the National Excellence in Research Methods in 2019 and 2022.

Joining us today is State Liaison Anne Tiegen from the NCSL office in Denver, CO. Anne has her roots in Kansas, serving as an intern in 2005-06 for Senator Barbara Allen where she got her first introduction to NCSL. Anne attended KU Law School and fell in love with our State! She currently specializes in criminal justice policy for NCSL.

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

On emergency motion of Rep. Wasinger, **HR 6037**, as follows, was introduced and adopted:

By Representative Wasinger

HR 6037—A RESOLUTION recognizing February as American Heart Month.

A RESOLUTION recognizing February 2024 as American Heart Month and supporting efforts to raise awareness on the rise of cardiovascular disease as the world's leading cause of death and disability.

WHEREAS, More than 350,000 persons experience cardiac arrest outside of a hospital each year, and only about one in 10 survive; and

WHEREAS, More than 23,000 children under the age of 18 experience cardiac arrest outside of a hospital each year in the United States, and almost 40% of these are sports related; and

WHEREAS, There are effective ways to mitigate the rise of cardiovascular disease, such as promoting awareness and education, establishing cardiac emergency response plans and providing CPR education and automated external defibrillator (AED) training and accessibility; and

WHEREAS, About 70% of cardiac arrests that occur outside of a hospital happen at home; and

WHEREAS, Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), especially if performed immediately, can double or triple a person's chance of survival; and

WHEREAS, Only about 46% of those who experience cardiac arrest receive CPR from persons close by while waiting for emergency responders to arrive; and

WHEREAS, The ability to properly perform CPR has encouraged more people to act when faced with a cardiac emergency and save more lives from cardiac arrest outside of a hospital; and

WHEREAS, There is an urgent need for a greater number of people to take action and immediately respond to cardiac arrest events by calling 911, so that high-quality CPR using AED may be administered as soon as possible; and

WHEREAS, CPR is a lifesaving skill that most people, including children as young as age nine, can learn; and

WHEREAS, The American Heart Association has set a goal of doubling cardiac arrest survival rates by 2030 by turning bystanders into lifesavers, so that everyone,

everywhere, may be prepared and empowered to become a vital link in the chain of survival and provide CPR in response to a cardiac emergency; and

WHEREAS, Currently, 90% of those who experience cardiac arrest outside of a hospital do not survive, in part because they do not receive CPR more than half of the time: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That we recognize the month of February as American Heart Month and support efforts to raise awareness on the rise of cardiovascular disease as the world's leading cause of death and disability; and

Be it further resolved: That we congratulate the American Heart Association on its 100th anniversary and urge every household to help in the ongoing fight against heart disease and stroke by learning CPR and joining a growing nation of lifesavers; and

Be it further resolved: That the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives shall send an enrolled copy of this resolution to Representative Wasinger.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

There being no objection, the following remarks of Rep. Wasinger are spread upon the Journal:

Thank you colleagues who wore something red today to celebrate The American Heart Association designating February as "American Heart Month." More than 350,000 people experience cardiac arrest OUTSIDE of a hospital and only 1 in 10 survive. CPR can double or triple a person's chance for survival and Cardiovascular Disease kills more women than all forms of cancer and yet fewer than 44% of women fail to recognize it.

Today I ask for you to be aware of your heart health as the only reason I am here today is due to realizing my heart was not beating correctly. Today after having open heart surgery to repair a congenital heart defect, I ask you to support the American Heart Association on their 100th birthday in their campaign to expand CPR education and accessibility of AED's (automated external defibrillators.) Join the "Nation of Lifesavers" today.

CONSENT CALENDAR

No objection was made to **HB 2545** appearing on the Consent Calendar for the third day. The bill was advanced to Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions.

FINAL ACTION ON BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HB 2545, AN ACT concerning the self-service storage act; providing for sale of property not retrieved by an occupant after notice by an operator; allowing electronic signatures and electronic delivery for rental agreements; defining "property that has no commercial value"; providing for the effectiveness of rental agreements when such agreements are not signed or delivered by an owner or by an occupant; specifying custody and control of abandoned or towed property; amending K.S.A. 58-814 and 58-818 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 58-816 and repealing the existing sections, was considered on final action.

On roll call, the vote was: Yeas 118; Nays 3; Present but not voting: 0; Absent or not voting: 4.

Yeas: Alcalá, Amyx, Anderson, Awerkamp, Ballard, Barth, Bergkamp, Bergquist,

Blew, Blex, Bloom, Borjon, Bryce, Buehler, Butler, Carlin, Carmichael, B. Carpenter, W. Carpenter, Carr, Clifford, Collins, Concannon, Corbet, Croft, Curtis, Delperdang, Dodson, M., Droge, Ellis, Eplee, Essex, Estes, Fairchild, Featherston, Francis, Garber, Gardner, Goddard, Goetz, Haskins, Haswood, Hawkins, Helgeson, Hill, Hoffman, Hoheisel, Hougland, Houser, Howe, Howell, Howerton, Hoye, Humphries, Jacobs, T. Johnson, Kessler, Landwehr, Lewis, Martinez, Mason, Maughan, McDonald, McNorton, Melton, Meyer, Miller, D., Miller, S., Miller, V., Minnix, Moser, Murphy, Neelly, Neighbor, Ohaebosim, Osman, Ousley, Owens, Penn, Pickert, Poskin, Probst, Proctor, Rahjes, Resman, Rhiley, Robinson, Roth, Ruiz, L., Ruiz, S., Sanders, Clayton, Schlingensiepen, Schmoe, Schreiber, Seiwert, Smith, A., Smith, C., Smith, E., Stogsdill, Sutton, Tarwater, Thomas, Thompson, Titus, Turk, Vaughn, Waggoner, Wasinger, Waymaster, Weigel, White, Williams, K., Williams, L., Winn, Woodard, Xu, Younger.

Nays: Oropeza, Poetter, Turner.

Present but not voting: None.

Absent or not voting: Donohoe, Highberger, Sawyer, Underhill.

The bill passed.

On motion of Rep. Croft, the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole, with Rep. Owens in the chair.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

On motion of Rep. Owens, Committee of the Whole report, as follows, was adopted:

Recommended that **HB 2495** be passed.

On motion of Rep. Carr to refer **HR 6035** to Committee on Federal and State Affairs the motion did not prevail.

Also, Rep. V. Miller challenged a ruling from the Chairman a prohibition of the use of props during debate because such prohibition is not contained in adopted rules governing debate. The Rules Chair upheld the ruling of the Chairman citing House customs and precedents prohibiting the use of props. House Rule 2312(b)(e) such customs are recognized as rules unless contravened by written authority with higher precedence.

HR 6035 be adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on **Child Welfare and Foster Care** recommends **HB 2536** be amended on page 11, in line 40, by striking "has been" and inserting "as"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Financial Institutions and Pensions** recommends **HB 2561, HB 2562, HB 2577** be passed.

Committee on **Financial Institutions and Pensions** recommends **HB 2101** be amended on page 2, in line 1, by striking "or"; in line 3, after "encumbrance" by inserting ";

(C) the seller disclosed the contract for deed to the mortgagee, lienholder or other party of interest; and

(D) the seller satisfies and obtains a release of the mortgage, lien or other encumbrance not later than the date the buyer makes final payment on the contract for

deed unless the buyer assumes the mortgage, lien or other encumbrance as part of the contract for deed"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Insurance** recommends **HB 2478** be passed.

Committee on **Local Government** recommends **HB 2537** be amended on page 2, following line 34, by inserting:

"Sec. 4. The provisions of sections 1 through 3, and amendments thereto, shall apply to cities of the second or third class and to any county with a population of less than 35,000.";

And by renumbering sections accordingly; and the bill be passed as amended.

Committee on **Transportation** recommends **HB 2498**, **HB 2500**, **HB 2507** be passed.

Committee on **Transportation** recommends **HB 2481** be amended on page 1, following line 12, by inserting:

"New Sec. 2. The portion of K-96 highway from its junction with 56th avenue then northwest on K-96 highway to its junction with Nickerson road in Reno county is hereby designated as the 96th Infantry Division memorial highway. Upon compliance with K.S.A. 68-10,114, and amendments thereto, the secretary of transportation shall place suitable signs along the highway right-of-way at proper intervals to indicate that the highway is the 96th Infantry Division memorial highway.";

And by renumbering sections accordingly;

Also on page 1, in the title, in line 1, by striking "a portion" and inserting "portions"; in line 2, after the second "highway" by inserting "and the 96th Infantry Division memorial highway"; and the bill be passed as amended.

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 2706, AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to antique vehicles; providing for model year license plate decals to be displayed on antique trucks and motorcycles; amending K.S.A. 8-172 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Transportation.

HB 2707, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to automobile liability insurance; modifying uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage liability limitations for bodily injury or death; amending K.S.A. 40-284 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

HB 2708, AN ACT concerning civil actions; relating to wrongful death; eliminating the cap on nonpecuniary loss when the action is brought against a person convicted of murder; extending the statute of limitations in wrongful death actions from two years to five years; amending K.S.A. 60-511, 60-513 and 60-1903 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

HB 2709, AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to drug abuse awareness education programs; establishing fentanyl poisoning awareness week; requiring the state board of education to designate such week each school year and develop statewide standards for instruction to certain students on the abuse of and addiction to fentanyl

and other opioids; requiring school districts to provide such instruction during such week, by Representatives Martinez and Melton.

HB 2710, AN ACT concerning money transmission; imposing an excise tax on each transaction by a money transmitter by wire; establishing an income tax credit for excise taxes paid; allowing the state bank commissioner to assess penalties for the nonpayment of such excise tax; providing for the distribution of such excise tax and penalty moneys; establishing the criminal litigation fund, wire transfer fee fund and prosecutor and law enforcement grant fund; creating a misdemeanor crime of unlawful transmission of a wire transfer and providing criminal penalties therefor; amending K.S.A. 9-508 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-5133 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Pensions.

HB 2711, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system; employment after retirement; increasing the amount of retiree compensation subject to the statutory employer contribution rate; amending K.S.A. 74-4937 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-4914 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Pensions.

HB 2712, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to dental health insurance contracts; prohibiting such contracts from limiting the fee a dentist may charge for a noncovered service, disallowing an otherwise covered service or preventing a dentist from billing and collecting for a service that is a dental necessity; amending K.S.A. 40-2,185 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Insurance.

HB 2713, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to insurance; enacting the ensuring transparency in prior authorization act; imposing certain requirements and limitations on the use of prior authorization, by Committee on Insurance.

HB 2714, AN ACT concerning insurance; reducing the number of board members appointed by the commissioner on certain insurance-related governing boards and the frequency of the meetings of the committee on surety bonds and insurance; amending K.S.A. 40-2102, 40-2109, 40-3116, 40-3413, 65-34,126 and 75-4101 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Insurance.

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, 40-2,133, 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, by Committee on Insurance.

HB 2716, AN ACT concerning the department of health and environment; relating to the duties of the secretary; providing for the study and investigation of maternal deaths in the state of Kansas; continuing in existence exceptions to the disclosure of public records under the open records act related to maternal death investigations; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-177 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Ousley.

HB 2717, AN ACT concerning education; relating to virtual schools; establishing requirements for the determination of virtual school state aid for adult students; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-3715 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

HB 2718, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; eliminating

school district open enrollment requirements; authorizing school districts to determine nonresident student enrollment; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-3122, 72-3124, 72-3127 and 72-5132 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-3123 and 72-3126, by Representatives Osman, Featherston, Highberger, Hoyer, McDonald, Meyer, Neighbor, Ruiz, S., Clayton, Stogsdill, Vaughn, Woodard, Xu and Younger.

HB 2719, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; administration of nonacademic tests, questionnaires, surveys and examinations; extending the time that school districts may provide notice to parents of the administration of a nonacademic tests, questionnaires, surveys or examinations; requiring school districts to contact parents if any such tests, questionnaires, surveys or examinations indicate a concern for any student; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-6316 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

HB 2720, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to food; permitting beekeepers who meet certain requirements to sell packaged honey and honeycombs without holding a food establishment or food processing plant license under the Kansas food, drug and cosmetic act; amending K.S.A. 65-689 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 2721, AN ACT concerning civil actions; relating to limitations on actions; extending the time to file a claim for damages suffered as a result of childhood sexual abuse; reviving claims against any party for such damages that occurred on or after July 1, 1984; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 60-523 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care.

HB 2722, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; enacting the second amendment financial privacy act; prohibiting financial institutions from using a firearms code to engage in certain discriminatory conduct and surveilling, reporting or tracking the purchase of firearms and ammunition; authorizing the attorney general to investigate and enforce violations of such act; providing a civil penalty for violations of such act, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Pensions.

HB 2723, AN ACT making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025; relating to the department for aging and disability services; creating a grant program to fund proposed homeless shelter infrastructure; establishing requirements for such grants awarded, by Committee on Welfare Reform.

HB 2724, AN ACT concerning fireworks; relating to the Kansas fireworks act; permitting a fireworks retailer to sell fireworks at any time during the calendar year; amending K.S.A. 31-502 and 31-503 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

HB 2725, AN ACT concerning public employees; relating to the executive branch of state government; hiring and promotion preferences; providing for a preference for persons with a disability, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

HB 2726, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; requiring school districts to provide timely implementation of an individualized education program and advanced enrollment for certain children who are new to such school district; amending K.S.A. 72-3429 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

HB 2727, AN ACT concerning education; requiring public schools and public

postsecondary educational institutions to make menstrual products available at no cost to students; establishing a state grant program to reimburse schools and institutions for such costs, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT CHANGES

Speaker pro tem Carpenter announced the appointment of Rep. Howerton to replace Rep. Turner on Committee on Health and Human Services February 6, 2024.

Also, the appointment of Rep. V. Miller to replace Rep. Sawyer on Committee on Taxation February 6-9, 2024.

Also, the appointment of Rep. Haskins to replace Rep. Sawyer on Committee on Higher Education Budget on February 6-9, 2024.

Also, the appointment of Rep. Haskins to replace Rep. Poskin on Committee on K-12 Education Budget on Feb 8, 2024

On motion of Rep. Croft, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 7, 2024.

JENNY HAUGH, JULIA WERNER, *Journal Clerks.*

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk.*

