

Journal of the Senate

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS
Monday, February 12, 2024, 2:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order pro forma by Vice President Rick Wilborn.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

SB 502, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas public employees retirement system; terminating the Kansas public employees retirement system act of 2015; transferring the members of such act to the Kansas public employees retirement system act of 2009; amending K.S.A. 74-4916 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 74-49,301, 74-49,302, 74-49,303, 74-49,304, 74-49,305, 74-49,306, 74-49,307, 74-49,308, 74-49,309, 74-49,310, 74-49,311, 74-49,312, 74-49,313, 74-49,314, 74-49,315, 74-49,316, 74-49,317 and 74-49,318, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

SB 503, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to crimes against public morals; cruelty to animals; increasing the criminal penalties for knowingly and maliciously abandoning any animal in any place without making provisions for the proper care of the animal; amending K.S.A. 21-6412 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

SB 504, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to the revised Kansas juvenile justice code; prohibiting the use of any prone restraint on a juvenile who is in custody at a juvenile detention facility or juvenile correctional facility or being assessed as part of the juvenile intake and assessment system; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 38-2302 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Agriculture and Natural Resources: **SB 497**.

Assessment and Taxation: **SB 498**.

Financial Institutions and Insurance: **SB 495**.

Judiciary: **SB 500**.

Public Health and Welfare: **SB 496**, **SB 499**, **SB 501**.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following appointments made by the Governor and submitted to the Senate for confirmation were introduced and their appointment letters read:

Jo Massey, 4th Congressional District Appointee, State Civil Service Board

(submitted January 26, 2024)

Virginia Powell, Member, State Board of Tax Appeals (submitted January 26, 2024)

Devin Sprecker, Member, State Board of Tax Appeals (submitted January 26, 2024)

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Announcing passage of **HB 2490, HB 2522, HB 2530, HB 2531, HB 2532, HB 2578.**

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HB 2490, HB 2522, HB 2530, HB 2531, HB 2532, HB 2578 were thereupon introduced and read by title.

On motion of Senator Longbine, the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 13, 2024.

CHARLENE BAILEY, CINDY SHEPARD, *Journal Clerks.*

COREY CARNAHAN, *Secretary of the Senate.*

