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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE CORRECTIONS AND JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Pat Colloton at 1:00 p.m. on February 14, 2011 in Room 144-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representative Kay Wolf

Committee staff present:

Sean Ostrow, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Jason Thompson, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Lauren Douglass, Legislative Research Robert Allison-Gallimore, Legislative Research Jackie Lunn, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

1. State Representative Jan Pauls

Sarah Fertig, Executive Director, Kansas Sentencing Commission
David Weaver, Chief Investment Officer, Kansas State University Foundation
Larry McRell, Chief Public Defender, Junction City, Kansas
Angie Davidson, Prosecutor, Salina
Adam Hall, Defense Attorney, Lawrence
David Mouille, Psychologist
Marc Goodman, Kansas County & District Attorneys Association
John M. Settle, Pawnee County Attorney

Others attending:

See attached.

Chairperson Colloton called the meeting to order and opened the floor for consideration of <u>HB 2104-Medical confidentiality exception for law enforcement at crime scenes.</u> Sean Ostrow, Office of the Revisor of Statutes, explained the bill and a balloon on the bill. He presented written copy of the balloon, which can be found in its entirety in the offices of Legislative Administrative Services. (Attachment 1) <u>Representative Goodman moved to pass the bill out favorably. Representative Brookens seconded.</u> A discussion followed.

Representative Pauls moved to adopt the balloon. Representative Meier seconded. Motion carried.

Representative Smith moved to pass the bill out favorably as amended. Representative Kelly seconded. Motion carried.

Chairperson Colloton opened the hearing on <u>HB 2188-Requiring fiscal notes for certain resolutions</u>. The following testified as proponents on the bill. They presented written copy of their testimony, which can be found in its entirety in the offices of Legislative Administrative Services.

- State Representative Jan Pauls (Attachment 2)
- Sarah Fertig, Executive Director, Kansas Sentencing Commission (Attachment 3)

A question and answer session followed. With no others to testify or speak to the bill, Chairperson Colloton closed the hearing on <u>HB 2188</u> and opened the hearing on <u>HB 2334-Creating new procedures</u> to determine a defendant's competency to stand trial. Sean Ostrow, Office of the Revisor of Statutes, explained the bill. The following testified as proponent of the bill. They all presented written copy of their testimony, which can be found in the offices of Legislative Administrative Services.

- Adam Hall, Defense Attorney, Lawrence, Kansas (Attachment 4)
- David Weaver, Chief Investment Officer, Kansas State University (Attachment 5)
- Larry McRell, Chief Public Defender, Junction City, Kansas (Attachment 6)
- Angie Davidson, Prosecutor, Silana, Kansas (<u>Attachment 7</u>)
- Ed Collister, Defense Attorney, Lawrence, Kansas (<u>Attachment 8</u>)
- David Mouille, Psychologist (<u>Attachment 9</u>)
- Tom Bartee, Attorney, KACDL, "written only" (Attachment 10)

The following testified as opponents on **HB 2334:**

- Marc Goodman, Kansas County and District Attorney Association (Attachment 11)
- John M. Settle, Pawnee County Attorney (Attachment 12)

Chairperson Colloton called for any others wishing to speak to the bill and recognized, Windy Weaver, the wife of David Weaver, who testified earlier. She urged the Committee to do more to fix the broken system Kansas has at the present time.

Chairperson Colloton stated she would not close the hearing in order for others to testify or speak to the bill tomorrow.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:10 pm with the next meeting scheduled for February 15, 2011 at 1:30 pm in room 144-S.