

Approved: February 29, 2012
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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Clay Aurand at 9:00 AM on Wednesday, February 1, 2012 in 784-DSOB.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Jan Johnston, Committee Assistant
Sharon Wenger, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Eunice C. Peters, Kansas Revisor of Statutes
Dale Dennis, Deputy Commissioner, Kansas State Department of Education

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Dr. Andy Tompkins, President & CEO Kansas Board of Regents

Others in attendance:

See attached list.

Chairman Aurand welcomed Dr. Tompkins to the Committee.

Dr. Andy Tompkins, President & CEO Kansas Board of Regents presented to the Committee.
(Attachment 1)

HB 2245 - Retaining students from grade-level promotion if not proficient on the reading state assessment for grade 3

Chairman Aurand asked Eunice Peters, Kansas Revisors of Statutes to explain **HB 2245**.

Eunice explained that the Bill was about Children in State Assessments. She also referred to a Balloon Amendment. (Attachment 2)

Chairman Aurand said he will let members of the committee know if we work a bill.

Chairman Aurand asked if there were any bill requests.

Chairman Aurand made a motion to introduce a Bill to that portion of the Governor's proposed Bill pertaining to teachers' evaluation and have it in a separate bill. Representative Osterman seconded. Motion carried.

Unless specifically noted, the individual remarks recorded herein have not been transcribed verbatim. Individual remarks as reported herein have not been submitted to the individuals appearing before the committee for editing or corrections.

CONTINUATION SHEET

Minutes of the HOUSE EDUCATION Committee at 9:00 AM on Wednesday, February 1, in 784-DSOB.

Representative Calloway made a motion to make KAMS available to other Universities. Representative Grosserode seconded. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 am. The next meeting is scheduled for February 2, 2012.