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Date

## MINUTES OF THE HOUSE ELECTIONS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Schwab at 9:30 a.m., on January 24, 2011 in Room 546-S of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Doug Taylor, Office of Revisor of Statutes Katherine McBride, Office of Revisor of Statutes Martha Dorsey, Kansas Legislative Research Department Jay Hall, Kansas Legislative Research Department Diane Brian, Committee Assistant

Conferee appearing before the Committee:

Kris Kobach, Secretary of State

Others attending:

See attached list.

The Chairman called for bill introductions.

Representative Mah, introduced a bill that would increase the salary cap for KPERS from 20,000 to 25,000. Bill was entered with no objections.

Staff presented information to the committee regarding the status of selected bills assigned to the House Elections committee in prior years, (Attachment 1), and summarized the legislation from 2007 through 2010, (Attachments 2 through 5). Staff answered questions from the committee members.

The next meeting is scheduled for January 26, 2011

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m.