The House met pursuant to adjournment with Speaker Ryckman in the chair.

The roll was called with 119 members present.
Reps. E. Smith and Yeager were excused on verified illness.
Reps. Arnberger, Carmichael, Hodge and Hoffman were excused on excused absence by the Speaker.

Prayer by Chaplain Brubaker,

    Gracious and Loving Father,
    for this new day that You have created,
    may our gratitude not be abated.
    With matters that could lead to despair,
    may we be steadfast with our prayer.
    Help our fears and doubt to decrease
    as our hope and reliance on You increase.
    Help us be a light to those in need,
    and may our disagreements not impede.
    Please show us Your will and way,
    this in Your Name I pray,
    Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Rep. Gartner.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

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

    I am honored to bring before you today the Wabaunsee Lady Chargers Volleyball State 2A Champions for 2019. They had a goal from the very beginning of the season to win state after placing second the year before. They were determined to be back in that championship game again. The team kept calm and confident when they were down 8 points in the very final set and came back scoring 17 points to be named the champions. This was a great achievement and we look forward to many more for the Lady Chargers.
Sen. Jeff Longbine joined Rep. Highland in recognizing the following guests:
Coach Tracy Capoun and players: Laurel Barber, Alexis Hafenstine, Megan Strait, Macy Falk, Madisyn Wertzberger, Jordan Magette, Kara Hafenstine, Lauren Schutter.
Also in the gallery are players: Kaelyn Conrad, Madisyn Havenstein, Sydney Holthaus; and Cathy Smart, Assistant Coach; Karen Wright, Assistant Coach; Cara Miller, Assistant Coach; Jeron Weisharr, Athletic Director; Jan Hutley, Principal and Brad Starnes, Superintendent.

Rep. Highland presented the team with a framed House certificate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were introduced and read by title:

HB 2598, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to the oversight and regulation of pharmacy benefits managers; the pharmacy benefits managers licensure act; amending K.S.A. 65-16,123, 65-16,124, 65-16,125 and 65-16,126 and K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 40-3821, 40-3822, 40-3823, 40-3824, 40-3825, 40-3826, 40-3827, 40-3829 and 40-3830 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Insurance.

HB 2599, AN ACT repealing K.S.A. 79-3612; concerning retailers' sales taxes; relating to the sale of a business; purchaser's obligations for unpaid taxes, by Representative Capps.

HB 2600, AN ACT concerning contracts for deeds; requiring recording of an affidavit of interest with the register of deeds, by Representative Probst.

HB 2601, AN ACT concerning education; relating to childhood immunizations required for child care facility and school attendance; amending K.S.A. 65-508 and 72-6262 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Education.

HB 2602, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to newborn screening; reimbursement of treatment services; authorizing the secretary of health and environment to specify conditions included in screenings; increasing transfers to the Kansas newborn screening fund; amending K.S.A. 65-180, 65-181 and 65-183 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Health and Human Services.


HB 2604, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to the Kansas offender registration act; child abuse; aggravated child abandonment; amending K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 22-4902 and 22-4906 and repealing the existing sections, by Representative Helmer.

HB 2605, AN ACT enacting the fairness in condemnation act; imposing certain duties on the plaintiff condemning authority; notice and opportunity for negotiation, by Representative Warren.

HB 2606, AN ACT concerning the offices of the state treasurer and the commissioner of insurance; relating to the filling of a vacancy; amending K.S.A. 25-101b and 40-106 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Elections.
REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to committees as indicated:

- Appropriations: HB 2594, HB 2597.
- Federal and State Affairs: HB 2596.
- General Government Budget: HB 2595.
- Judiciary: HB 2589, HB 2590, HB 2591.
- Taxation: HB 2593.
- Transportation: HB 2592.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

February 6, 2020

Message to the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas:

Enclosed herewith is Executive Directive No. 20-512 for your information.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTIVE No. 20-512

Concerning Authorizing Personnel Transactions

LAURA KELLY
Governor

The above Executive Directive is on file and open for inspection in the office of the Chief Clerk.

CONSENT CALENDAR

No objection was made to HB 2466 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 2466, AN ACT concerning income taxation; enacting the Kansas taxpayer protection act; relating to paid tax return preparers; requiring a signature and tax identification number on returns and claims; authorizing actions by the secretary of revenue to enjoin certain conduct, was considered on final action.

On roll call, the vote was: Yeas 118; Nays 1; Present but not voting: 0; Absent or not voting: 6.


Nays: Rhiley.
Present but not voting: None.
Absent or not voting: Arnberger, Carmichael, Hodge, Hoffman, Smith, E., Yeager.
The bill passed.

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 bill was introduced and read by title:

HB 2607, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to primary residential property; providing for a property tax installment payment plan; amending K.S.A. 79-2004 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Taxation.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT CHANGES


On motion of Rep. Hawkins, the House adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 11, 2020.

JENNY HAUGH, JULIA WERNER, Journal Clerks.
SUSAN W. KANNARR, Chief Clerk.