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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE PENSIONS & BENEFITS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Mitch Holmes at 9:01 a.m. on March 4, 2011, in Room 142-S of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Gordon Self, Office of the Revisor of Statutes David Wiese, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Julian Efird, Kansas Legislative Research Department Michael Steiner, Kansas Legislative Research Department Darla Conner, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Glenn Deck, Executive Director of KPERS

Others attending:

See attached list.

Glenn Deck, Executive Director of KPERS, (<u>Attachment 1</u>), presented information regarding the impact of KPERS Plan design changes. The two changes addressed were: Change in the KPERS multiplier and Change in KPERS retirement age.

A general discussion followed.

School data based questions were fielded by Bill Reardon, Kansas City KS Public School District 500, Terry Forsyth, Kansas NEA, and Diane Gjerstad, Wichita Public Schools USD 259.

The next meeting is scheduled for March 7, 2011.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:03 a.m.