MINUTES OF THE HOUSE PENSIONS & BENEFITS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Mitch Holmes at 9:02 a.m. on March 14, 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.

Discussion and action on: <u>Sub HB 2333 - Normal retirement date under KPERS</u>

Representative John Grange made a motion to reconsider **Sub HB 2333** that passed out of committee at the last meeting. Seconded by Representative Don Hill. Motion passed.

Glenn Deck, Executive Director of KPERS, (<u>Attachment 1</u>) presented information on full retirement eligibility and early retirement eligibility for KPERS. He also presented Tier I and Tier II early retirement options (<u>Attachment 2</u>).

Discussion followed.

<u>Representative John Grange moved to amend</u> **Sub HB 2333** by removing the section of the bill which changed KPERS normal retirement age to social security normal retirement age, to be implemented July 1, 2016. Seconded by Representative Don Hill. Motion passed.

Further discussion.

Representative John Grange made a motion to pass Sub HB 2333 as amended. Seconded by Representative Steven Johnson. Motion passed.

Representative Louis Ruiz requested his vote be recorded in opposition to passage of Sub HB 2333.

The next meeting is on the call of the Chair.

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