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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UTILITIES.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Carl D. Holmes at 9:07 a.m. on February 4, 2004 in Room 231-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representative Mary Compton
Representative Stanley Dreher

Committee staff present: Mary Galligan, Legislative Research
Dennis Hodgins, Legislative Research
Mary Torrence, Revisor of Statutes
Jo Cook, Administrative Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee: Larry Holloway, Kansas Corporation Commission

Others attending: See Attached List

Chairman Holmes welcomed Larry Holloway, Chief of Energy Operations for the Kansas Corporation Commission, to the committee. Mr. Holloway presented a power point presentation on 'Security Costs for Regulated Electric Utilities - A Regulator's Perspective' ([Attachment 1](#)). Mr. Holloway explained why utilities are regulated and how electric utilities' rates are set, as well as information on regulatory incentives. Mr. Holloway responded to questions from the committee.

The meeting adjourned at 10:18 a.m.

The next meeting will be Thursday, February 5, 2004.