

MINUTES OF THE SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Les Donovan at 8:30 a.m. on February 21, 2001 in Room 245-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator Harrington

Committee staff present: Hank Avila, Legislative Research Department
Bruce Kinzie, Revisor of Statutes
Marian F. Holeman, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: Sonny Scroggins, Topeka

Others attending: See attached list.

SB 280: Designating part of US 24 Highway as Charles Sheldon Traffic Way

Mr. Scroggins of the "What Would Jesus Do Memorial Committee" and Kansas Fever/Bias Busters of Kansas appeared before the committee in support of this bill. It was at his instigation that Senator Jackson requested the bill introduction (Attachment 1). There were no other conferees on this bill. Members were advised that donations will cover the cost of signs for this memorial traffic way. Senator Jackson moved to recommend SB 280 favorable for passage. Senator Gooch seconded the motion. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

SB 83: Verification of auto insurance; on-line or electronically

Question presented regarding clarification of the amendment to the bill passed by the committee on February 20, 2001 meeting. It was explained that proof of insurance as required by present statute will no longer be required, but a signed certification will be. The penalty for falsifying the certificate remains as a level 8 non-person felony.

The meeting adjourned at 8:55 a.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 28, 2001.