Approved: <u>January 17, 2001</u>

MINUTES OF THE SENATE FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Senator Nancey Harrington at 10:30 a.m. on January 10, 2001 in Room 245-N of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present: Russell Mills, Legislative Research Department

Dennis Hodgins, Legislative research Department

Theresa Kiernan, Revisor of Statutes Nikki Kraus, Committee Secretary

Others attending: See Attached List

At the request of Chairman Harrington, all members and attendees introduced themselves.

Chairman Harrington explained the expectations of the committee. She went on to explain that federal and state affairs is an exempt committee.

Chairman Harrington briefly went over next week's agenda topics: Tuesday will be a staff briefing on the history of the Kansas lottery and an introduction of a bill to renew the lottery, Wednesday will be an overview of the lottery itself by Deputy Executive Director Ed Van Petten, and Thursday will be an overview of G-Tech to address security concerns.

Chairman Harrington also listed topics which will be covered by the committee in the upcoming weeks, including <u>SB</u> <u>14</u> on mediation, Gulf War illness, background briefing on Bingo, background on ABC, liquor laws, racing commission, and background on the history of Indian gaming.

The meeting adjourned at 10:55 a.m.

The next regular meeting will be Thursday, January 11, 2001 at 10:30 a.m.