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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UTILITIES.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Carl D. Holmes at 9:09 a.m. on January 22, 2004 in Room 231-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representative Eric Carter

Representative Annie Kuether

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 provided a power point presentation on Kansas Electric Service (Attachment 1). The presentation included information and comparisons of residential, commercial, and industrial rates between Kansas and it's surrounding states. Mr. Holloway responded to questions from the committee.

The meeting adjourned at 10:20 a.m.

The next meeting will be Friday, January 23, 2004.