## MINUTES OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL FINANCE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Kathe Decker at 9:00 A.M. on January 19, 2005 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

Committee staff present: Kathie Sparks, Kansas Legislative Research

Carolyn Rampey, Kansas Legislative Research Theresa Kiernan, Revisor of Statutes Office

Ann Deitcher, Committee Secretary

Conferee: Dan Biles, Attorney for the State Board of Education

The Chair called the Committee's attention to the individual files that had been set up for them that included all the weightings and different information received over the last few years. She also explained to them just what the work would be for the Select Committee.

Kathie Sparks then offered Legislative Research information to the Committee on the Supreme Court's decision regarding school finance. (Attachment 1).

Dan Biles spoke on the decision summary of the Supreme Court's expanded judicial standard. (Attachment 2).

A brief question and answer session followed.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45. The next Select Committee meeting is scheduled for Tues., Jan. 25, 2005.