Approved: January 18, 2005 Date

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman John Edmonds at 1:30 P.M. on January 12, 2005 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

Committee members absent: Representatives Ann Mah- excused

Representatives Arlen Siegfreid- excused

Representatives Melody McCray-Miller- excused

Representatives Ray Merrick- excused

Committee staff present: Athena Andaya, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Dennis Hodgins, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Mary Torrence, Revisor of Statutes Office

Carol Doel, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

None

Chairman Edmonds welcomed the committee and reviewed the committee rules. (Attachment 1)

The next order of business was bill introductions with Chairman Edmonds requesting the following four bills:

- a bill dealing with offender registration "Miki's Law";
- a bill requesting the creation of a car tag for Army Reservists and National Guardsmen of Kansas;
- a bill dealing with identity theft prevention, particularly the authorization of a security freeze pin number type of system;
- a bill dealing with a ban on smoking in public places modeled after the ordinance presently in place in the city of Lawrence.

With no objections the above four bills were accepted for introduction.

There being no further business before the committee the meeting was adjourned at 1:50 p.m.