Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE UTILITIES COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Jay Emler at 9:30 A.M. on January 19, 2006 in Room 526-S of the Capitol.

Committee members absent:

Committee staff present: Athena Andaya, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Raney Gilliland, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Bruce Kinzie, Revisor of Statutes' Office Ann McMorris, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Others in attendance: See attached list

Bill Introduction

Steve Johnson of Kansas Gas Service, explained the proposed amendments concerning public utilities; related to natural gas; enacting the gas safety and reliability policy act as drafted by the Revisor in 5rs1732 and requested introduction of this bill. (Attachment 1)

Moved by Senator Reitz, seconded by Senator Pine, introduction of the proposed bill 5rs1732 be approved. Motion carried.

For the remainder of the hour, the committee attended a refresher course on use of their laptop computer at the committee meetings.

Adjournment.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann McMorris, Secretary

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