Approved: <u>March 5, 2007</u> Date MINUTES OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON STATE EMPLOYEE PAY PLAN

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Pat George at 7:30 A.M. on March 1, 2007 in Room 241-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representative John Grange- excused

Committee staff present:

Alan Conroy, Kansas Legislative Research Department Julian Efird, Kansas Legislative Research Department Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee:

George Vega, Director, Division of Personnel Services Glen Deck, Executive Director, Kansas Public Employees Retirement System (KPERS)

Others attending:

See attached list.

The minutes of February 19, 2007 were distributed. <u>Representative Charles Roth moved the minutes be</u> approved. Representative Mike Burgess seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.

Chairman George introduced George Vega who gave a brief presentation of four (4) profiles of the State of Kansas Employee 2006 Total Compensation Statement. <u>Attachment 1</u> Mr. Vega also distributed copies of the Benefits Guidebook For Active State Employees. <u>Attachment 2</u>

Glen Deck gave an overview of KPERS Benefits including retirement basics, benefits, income examples, a comparison of contributions vs. benefits, an explanation of the deferred compensation plan, and death and disability benefits. <u>Attachment 3</u>

Chairman George turned the meeting over to Representative Tom Hawk, Minority Leader for the Committee, who conducted a period of questions and answers. Representative Ann Mah inquired of the status of her request at the February 19, 2007 meeting for a list of State Statutes regarding pay issues. Alan Conroy confirmed that Legislative Research is compiling the list.

Representative Hawk adjourned the meeting at 8:25 A.M. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 5, 2007 at 9:00 A.M. in Room 519-S.