MINUTES OF THE HOUSE FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Vice-Chairman Mike Kiegerl at 1:30 p.m. on February 3, 2009, in Room 143-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Chairman Melvin Neufeld - excused Representative Mike Peterson- excused

Committee staff present:

Mike Heim, Office of the Revisor of Statutes Julian Efird, Kansas Legislative Research Department Dennis Hodgins, Kansas Legislative Research Department Carol Doel, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Carmen Aldritt, Dept. of Motor Vehicles, Department of Revenue

Others attending:

See attached list.

Carmen Aldritt, Director, Dept. of Motor Vehicles, Department of Revenue

Vice-Chair Mike Kiegerl opened the floor for introduction of bills.

Representative Knox moved the introduction of a bill regarding recording of wind leases with a second by Representative Fund.

Representative Swenson moved the introduction of a bill regarding personal injury wrongful act with a second by Representative Grant.

The Chair introduced Carmen Aldritt, Director, Division of Vehicles, Department of Revenue, who addressed the committee. Ms. Aldritt related that the passage of <u>SB 9</u> and <u>SB 23</u> over the past years has been significant in making the Kansas Drivers License Document one of the most secure in the United States. Ms. Aldritt explained the requirements on the parts of both the Division and the Applicant as related to <u>SB 9</u>. She also explained the improvements to our systems and processes made possible by <u>SB 23</u>. The other issue which Ms. Aldritt discussed was the four phases of the Real ID which the Federal Legislation passed in 2005. (<u>Attachment 1</u>)

A question and answer session was held following Ms. Aldritt's presentation.

With no further business before the committee, Vice-Chair Kiegerl adjourned the meeting at 2:30 p.m..

The next meeting will be held on February 4th.