MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson David Adkins at 9:05 a.m. on March 21, 2000 in Room 514-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: All present.

Committee staff present: Alan Conroy, Kansas Legislative Research Department Stuart Little, Kansas Legislative Research Department Robert Waller, Kansas Legislative Research Department Rae Anne Davis, Kansas Legislative Research Department Julian Efird, Kansas Legislative Research Department Tom Severn, Kansas Legislative Research Department Kathie Sparks, Kansas Legislative Research Department Deb Hollon, Kansas Legislative Research Department Leah Robinson, Kansas Legislative Research Department Audrey Nogle, Kansas Legislative Research Department Reed Holwegner, Kansas Legislative Research Department Paul West, Kansas Legislative Research Department Robert Chapman, Kansas Legislative Research Department Jim Wilson, Revisor of Statutes Office Mike Corrigan, Revisor of Statutes Office Mary Shaw, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: None

Others attending: See attached list.

HB 2994 - Appropriations for FY 2001 for state agencies

Chairman Adkins mentioned that the Committee will recess to meet with the respective caucuses to discuss **HB 2994** and return to the committee room by 9:45 a.m. The Committee recessed at 9:15 a.m.

The Committee reconvened at 10:10 a.m. The Chairman introduced Alan Conroy, Chief Fiscal Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department, along with various Staff from the Kansas Legislative Research Department, briefed the Committee on **HB 2994**. The following information was distributed by Staff:

- House and Senate Committee Recommendations on Agency Appropriations Reflects Committee action as of March 20, 2000 (<u>Attachment 1</u>)
- House Adjustments to Amended Governor's Recommendation Reflects House Committee Adjustments for FY 2001 (<u>Attachment 2</u>)
- Senate Adjustments to Amended Governor's Recommendation Reflects Senate Committee Adjustments for FY 2001 (<u>Attachment 3</u>)
- Comparison of Senate and House Adjustments to the Governor's Recommendation for FY 2001 Reflects Committee Action as of March 20, 2000 (<u>Attachment 4</u>)
- State Water Plan Fund, FY 2000 and FY 2001 (<u>Attachment 5</u>)
- Children's Initiatives Fund (Tobacco) (<u>Attachment 6</u>)
- Economic Development Initiative Fund House Committee Adjustments FY 2001 (Attachment 7)

- Economic Development Initiatives Fund Senate Committee Adjustments FY 2001 (Attachment 8)
- House Items for Omnibus Consideration (<u>Attachment 9</u>)
- State General Fund Profile FY 1998 FY 2004 (<u>Attachment 10</u>)
- FY 2001 Governor's Budget Amendments Not Considered by House Committee (Attachment 11)

Committee questions and discussion followed. Chairman Adkins mentioned that he will keep the Committee informed of additional meetings. The meeting recessed at 10:35 a.m.

The Committee reconvened at 2:45 p.m. and recessed at 2:47 p.m. to meet with the respective caucuses to discuss **HB 2994**.

The Committee reconvened at 3:20 p.m. for further discussion regarding <u>HB 2994</u>. Chairman Adkins mentioned that the Committee will meet again the following day, March 22, 2000, at 9:00 a.m.

A letter was distributed to the members of the Committee from Barbara J. Hinton, Legislative Division of Post Audit (<u>Attachment 12</u>).

The meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for March 22, 2000.