Approved: Febrauary 5, 2002

Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Senator Les Donovan at 8:30 a.m. on January 29, 2002 in Room 245-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Committee staff present: Hank Avila, Legislative Research Department

Bruce Kinzie, Revisor of Statutes

Marian F. Holeman, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: Sheila Walker, Director of Vehicles, KDOR

Donita Thomas, KDOR Policy & Research James Keller, Atty. KDOR Legal Services

Others attending: See attached list

SB 410: Re Division of Vehicles; concerning certain records

Sheila Walker, Director, Division of Motor Vehicles, Kansas Department of Revenue, presented testimony in support of **SB 410**. She explained the two significant changes it would make to existing law; (1) allow certain confidential records to be provid3ed with a "proper judicial order" and (2) allow records to be provided to state and federal agencies at administrative cost. There are also provisions for other minor points of clarification (Attachment 1). Donita Thomas, Policy and Research Division and James Keller, Attorney in Legal Services Bureau of Kansas Department of Revenue answered members questions regarding types of records considered to be confidential. Members will be provided with a list of the exceptions. Discussed "Compact" among states regarding shared information on driving violations which is not at issue in **SB 410**. Members asked for additional information regarding "administrative cost."

SB 369: Re designating part of US-69 as Talkington highway

Exactly the same bill was introduced in the House and has already been passed by the House Transportation Committee. In order to avoid duplication, <u>Senator Salmans moved **SB 369** be not passed. Senator Schodorf seconded the motion. Motion carried.</u>

SB 249: Re highways; systems enhancements qualifications

Concerns not yet addressed re this bill. Therefore, no action taken.

Approval of minutes

<u>Senator Salmans moved to approve minutes of January 23, 2002.</u> <u>Senator Gooch seconded the motion.</u> Motion carried.

Announcement

Tom Whitaker, Kansas Motor Carriers Association reminded members of the Kansas Motor Carriers Association's day in the Capitol and the Prepass Demonstration scheduled for tomorrow's Transportation Committee meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

SB 369: Re designating part of US-69 as Talkington highway

Following adjournment of the Senate Session on 1-29-02, Transportation Committee members met at the rail. Senator Schodorf moved to reconsider action taken on **SB 369** in today's 8:30 a.m. meeting. Senator Salmans seconded the motion. Motion carried. **SB 369** is returned to Transportation Committee.