REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on **Judiciary** recommends **SB 273** be amended by substituting a new bill to be designated as "Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 273," as follows:

"Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 273

By Committee on Judiciary

"AN ACT concerning governmental response to certain emergencies; relating to the Kansas emergency management act; modifying the procedure for the declaration and extension of a state of disaster emergency; limiting powers granted to the governor during a state of disaster emergency; defining public health disasters and establishing special provisions therefor; creating the joint committee on emergency management and prescribing powers and duties; prescribing powers, duties and functions of the secretary of health and environment, city and county government, the board of education of each school district, the governing body of each community college and the governing body of each technical college to control the spread of disease; establishing judicial review thereof; prescribing certain reporting requirements for the board of education of each school district, the state board of education and the Kansas state department of education; limiting powers of city health officers and local health officers; amending K.S.A. 48-904, 48-923, 48-933, 65-101, 65-119 and 65-126 and K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 48-925, as amended by section 4 of 2021 Senate Bill No. 14, and K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 48-924, as amended by section 2 of 2021 Senate Bill No. 14, 48-939, 48-949, 65-201 and 65-202 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 48-925, as amended by section 5 of 2021 Senate Bill No. 14, and K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 48-925b.";

And the substitute bill be passed.

_____________________________Chairperson