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## WRITTEN TESTIMONY

To: Chairman Longbine and Members of the Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance

Committee

From: Ted Smith, Attorney with the Kansas Department of Revenue

Date: October 11, 2017

Re: Insurance Related License and Vehicle Registration Suspensions Due to Vehicle Insurance

Coverage Issues by the Division of Vehicles

## Good Afternoon Chairman and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to present written testimony on behalf of the Kansas Division of Vehicles. The following tables summarize action taken by the Division to suspend driver's licenses (All 3 tables) and vehicle registrations (Table 3 only) for CY 2011 through 2016. The data is a record of action taken and many of these suspensions/withdrawals may have been subsequently resolved. These numbers can include an individual multiple times due to different occurrences. At a higher level, the Division has 3,237,146 driver records (applied for or created) and 212,335 of them are suspended. (many of the suspensions are out of state drivers – and are not specific to insurance issues) Any additional questions? email to: ted.smith@ks.gov.

Table 1 - Traffic Convictions for No Proof of Insurance

Calendar Year	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Convictions for Driving with No Insurance -						
K.S.A. 40-3104 or city code equivalent	12185	12650	11411	11902	11177	11116

Table 2 - Suspensions Due To Missed SR22 Filings

Calendar Year	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Administrative Action Suspending License						
Based on Report of Lapse of Insurance						
(FR4) - These spring from situations wherein						
a SR22 is required of driver.	23624	21273	19596	18644	17845	17056

Table 3 - Suspension due to Accident with No Insurance

Calendar Year	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Administrative Action Suspending License						
and Vehicle Registration Because						
Driver/Owner/Vehicle was Involved in						
Accident and Didn't have Required Insurance	4129	3816	3240	2995	2817	3542