

STATE OF KANSAS

SENATE CHAMBER

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I move to amend **Senate Substitute for HB 2186**, on page 127, following line 15, by inserting:

"New Sec. 104. (a) No school district shall, in the absence of express authorization by the legislature, expend, use or transfer any proceeds of any tax levied by such school district or moneys appropriated by the legislature of the state of Kansas for the purpose of any personal service, advertisement, telephone, electronic communication, letter, printed or written matter or any other device, intended or designed to influence in any manner a member of the legislature of the state of Kansas to lobby for or against the passage of any legislation. No such moneys shall be paid, donated or otherwise provided to any person, association, corporation or other entity and used for the purpose of any such lobbying. This section shall not prevent officers or employees of a school district from communicating with the legislature of the state of Kansas about any:

(1) Requests for legislation, policy or appropriation which such officers or employees deem necessary for the efficient conduct of the public business; and

(2) communication whose prohibition by this section, in the opinion of the attorney general, might violate the constitution or interfere with official state purposes and obligations required by law.

(b) Violations of this section shall result in a reduction of at least 1% and not greater than 3% of the moneys appropriated for such school district. The director of the budget shall make the initial determination of any violations of this section. School districts affected by decisions of the director under this section shall be notified in writing at least 30 days before such decisions may become effective and any affected school district may, by written request addressed to the governor within 10 days after such notice, ask for a review of the decision by the governor. The governor shall hear appeals

and render a decision within 20 days after the governor receives requests for such review.

(c) For the purposes of this section, "lobbying" shall have the meaning ascribed to it pursuant to K.S.A. 46-225, and amendments thereto.";

And by renumbering sections accordingly

Senator _____