HOUSE BILL No. 2388

By Committee on Appropriations

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AN ACT authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds; relating to state lottery revenues; amending K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-8711 and 74-8768 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-8723.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

New Section 1. (a) The Kansas development finance authority is hereby authorized to issue one or more series of revenue bonds pursuant to the Kansas development finance authority act, K.S.A. 74-8901 et seq., and amendments thereto, in an amount necessary to provide a deposit or deposits to the state general fund in a total amount not to exceed \$350,000,000, plus all amounts required to pay the costs of issuance of the bonds, including insurance and any credit enhancement, interest costs and to provide any required reserves for the bonds. No bonds shall be issued until such issuance has been approved by a resolution of the state finance council. The principal amount, interest rates and final maturity of such revenue bonds and any bonds issued to refund such bonds or parameters for such principal amount, interest rates and final maturity shall be approved by a resolution of the state finance council. The bonds, and interest thereon, issued pursuant to this section shall be financed by appropriations from the state general fund or any other appropriate fund. and shall be payable from moneys appropriated by the state for such purpose, including, but not limited to, the appropriation of all or a portion of the state lottery revenues. Neither the state nor the department of administration shall have the power to pledge the full faith and credit or taxing power of the state for debt service on any bonds issued pursuant to this section, and any payment by the department of administration for such purpose shall be subject to and dependent on appropriations by the legislature. Any obligation of the state or the department of administration for payment of debt service on bonds issued pursuant to this section shall not be considered a debt or obligation of the state for the purpose of section 6 of article 11 of the constitution of the state of Kansas.

(b) As used in this section, "state lottery revenues" means all moneys credited to the lottery operating fund, established by K.S.A. 74-8711, and amendments thereto, and the expanded lottery act revenues fund, established by K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-8768, and amendments thereto.

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(c) (1) The authority may pledge the contract or contracts authorized in subsection (d), or any part thereof, for the payment or redemption of the bonds, and covenant as to the use and disposition of moneys available to the authority for payment of the bonds. The authority is authorized to enter into any agreements necessary or desirable to effectuate the purposes of this section.

- (2) The proceeds from the sale of the bonds issued pursuant to this section, after payment of any costs related to the issuance of such bonds, shall be remitted by the authority to the state treasurer in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the state general fund.
- (3) The state hereby pledges and covenants with the holders of any bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this section that the state will not limit or alter the rights or powers vested in the authority by this section, or limit or alter the rights or powers of the authority or the department of administration in any manner which would jeopardize the interest of the holders or any trustee of such holders or inhibit or prevent performance or fulfillment by the authority or the department of administration with respect to the terms of any agreement made with the holders of the bonds or agreements made pursuant to this section, except that the failure of the legislature to appropriate moneys for any purpose shall not be deemed a violation of this pledge and covenant. The department of administration is hereby specifically authorized to include this pledge and covenant in any agreement with the authority. The authority is hereby specifically authorized to include this pledge and covenant in any bond resolution, trust indenture or agreement for the benefit of holders of the bonds.
- (4) Revenue bonds may be issued pursuant to this section without obtaining the consent of any department, division, commission, board or agency of the state, other than the approvals of the state finance council required by this section, and without any other proceedings or the occurrence of any other conditions or other things other than those proceedings, conditions or things which are specifically required by the Kansas development finance authority act.
- (d) The department of administration and the authority are authorized to enter into one or more contracts to implement the payment arrangement that is provided for in this section. The contract or contracts shall provide for payment of the amounts required to be paid pursuant to this section and shall set forth the procedure for the transfer of moneys for the purpose of paying such moneys. The contract or contracts shall contain such terms and conditions, including principal amount, interest rates and final maturity of the bonds of the authority issued pursuant to this section, as

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shall be approved by resolution of the state finance council, and shall include, but not be limited to, terms and conditions necessary or desirable to provide for repayment of and to secure any bonds of the authority issued pursuant to this section.

- (e) The approvals by the state finance council required by subsections (a) and (d) are hereby characterized as matters of legislative delegation and subject to the guidelines prescribed in K.S.A. 75-3711c(c), and amendments thereto. Such approvals may be given by the state finance council when the legislature is in session.
- (f) This section shall be a part of and supplemental to the Kansas development finance authority act.
 - Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-8711 is hereby amended to read as follows: 74-8711. (a) There is hereby established in the state treasury the lottery operating fund.
- (b) Except as provided by K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-8724, and amendments thereto, and the Kansas expanded lottery act, and—amendments thereto,—the executive director shall remit all moneys collected from the sale of lottery tickets and shares and any other moneys received by or on behalf of the Kansas lottery to the state treasurer in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the lottery operating fund. Moneys credited to the fund shall be expended or transferred only as provided by this act. Expenditures from such fund shall be made in accordance with appropriations acts upon warrants of the director of accounts and reports issued pursuant to vouchers approved by the executive director or by a person designated by the executive director.
 - (c) Moneys in the lottery operating fund shall be used for:
- (1) The payment of expenses of the lottery, which shall include all costs incurred in the operation and administration of the Kansas lottery; all costs resulting from contracts entered into for the purchase or lease of goods and services needed for operation of the lottery, including but not limited to supplies, materials, tickets, independent studies and surveys, data transmission, advertising, printing, promotion, incentives, public relations, communications and distribution of tickets and shares; and reimbursement of costs of facilities and services provided by other state agencies;
 - (2) the payment of compensation to lottery retailers;
- 39 (3) transfers of moneys to the lottery prize payment fund pursuant to 40 K.S.A. 74-8712, and amendments thereto;
- 41 (4) transfers to the state general fund pursuant to K.S.A. 74-8713, and 42 amendments thereto;
 - (5) the repayment of bonds issued pursuant to section 1, and

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amendments thereto;

- (5) (6) transfers to the state gaming revenues fund pursuant to subsection (d) and as otherwise provided by law; and
 - (6) (7) transfers to the county reappraisal fund as prescribed by law.
- (d) The director of accounts and reports shall transfer moneys in the lottery operating fund to the state gaming revenues fund created by K.S.A. 79-4801, and amendments thereto, on or before the 15th day of each month in an amount certified monthly by the executive director and determined as follows, whichever is greater:
- (1) An amount equal to the moneys in the lottery operating fund in excess of those needed for the purposes described in subsections (c)(1) through $\frac{(e)(4)}{(c)(5)}$; or
- (2) except for pull-tab lottery tickets and shares, an amount equal to not less than 30% of total monthly revenues from the sales of lottery tickets and shares less estimated returned tickets. In the case of pull-tab lottery tickets and shares, an amount equal to not less than 20% of the total monthly revenues from the sales of pull-tab lottery tickets and shares less estimated returned tickets.
- Sec. 3. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-8768 is hereby amended to read as follows: 74-8768. (a) There is hereby created the expanded lottery act revenues fund in the state treasury. All expenditures and transfers from such fund shall be made in accordance with appropriation acts. All moneys credited to such fund shall be expended or transferred only for the purposes of reduction of state debt, state infrastructure improvements, the university engineering initiative act, reduction of local ad valorem tax in the same manner as provided for allocation of amounts in the local ad valorem tax reduction fund—and, reduction of the unfunded actuarial liability of the system attributable to the state of Kansas and participating employers under K.S.A. 74-4931, and amendments thereto, by the Kansas public employees retirement system and repayment of bonds issued pursuant to section 1, and amendments thereto.
- (b) On July 1, 2012, July 1, 2013, July 1, 2014, July 1, 2015, July 1, 2016, July 1, 2017, July 1, 2018, July 1, 2019, July 1, 2020, and July 1, 2021, or as soon thereafter such date as moneys are available, the first \$10,500,000 credited to the expanded lottery act revenues fund shall be transferred by the director of accounts and reports from the expanded lottery act revenues fund in one or more substantially equal amounts, to each of the following: The Kan-grow engineering fund KU, Kan-grow engineering fund KSU and Kan-grow engineering fund WSU. Each such special revenue fund shall receive \$3,500,000 annually in each of such years. Commencing in fiscal year 2014, after such transfer has been made, 50% of the remaining moneys credited to the fund shall be transferred on a quarterly basis by the director of accounts and reports

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- 1 from the fund to the Kansas public employees retirement system fund to
- 2 be applied to reduce the unfunded actuarial liability of the system
- attributable to the state of Kansas and participating employers under
- 4 K.S.A. 74-4931 et seq., and amendments thereto, until the system as a
- 5 whole attains an 80% funding ratio as certified by the board of trustees of
- 6 the Kansas public employees retirement system.
- 7 Sec. 4. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-8711, 74-8723 and 74-8768 are hereby 8 repealed.
- 9 Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Kansas register.