

## 2023 Kansas Statutes

**53-401. Accession to Hague convention; procedure for certification of document.** (a) The state of Kansas hereby declares its intent to accede to the Hague convention abolishing the requirement of legalization for foreign public documents.

(b) Upon presentation of a public document to which the convention applies, the secretary of state, or an assistant or deputy assistant secretary of state appointed pursuant to K.S.A. 75-412, shall affix to the document the certificate required by the convention. The secretary of state shall maintain a record of all documents certified under this section and shall charge \$5 for certification of any such document.

**History:** L. 1981, ch. 318, § 1; July 1.