

## 2023 Kansas Statutes

- 75-4304. Same; making or participating in certain contracts prohibited; exceptions; abstaining from action.** (a) No local governmental officer or employee shall, in the capacity of such an officer or employee, make or participate in the making of a contract with any person or business by which the officer or employee is employed or in whose business the officer or employee has a substantial interest.
- (b) No person or business shall enter into any contract where any local governmental officer or employee, acting in that capacity, is a signatory to or a participant in the making of the contract and is employed by or has a substantial interest in the person or business.
- (c) A local governmental officer or employee does not make or participate in the making of a contract if the officer or employee abstains from any action in regard to the contract.
- (d) This section shall not apply to the following:
- (1) Contracts let after competitive bidding has been advertised for by published notice; and
  - (2) contracts for property or services for which the price or rate is fixed by law.
- (e) Any local governmental officer or employee who is convicted of violating this section shall forfeit the office or employment.
- History:** L. 1970, ch. 366, § 4; L. 1974, ch. 397, § 1; L. 1990, ch. 306, § 17; May 31.