AN ACT concerning elections; requiring candidates for state and federal
office to provide proof of citizenship.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 25-202 is hereby amended to read as follows: 25-
202. (a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (b) all candidates for
national, state, county and township offices shall be nominated by: (1) A
primary election held in accordance with article 2 of chapter 25 of the
Kansas Statutes Annotated, and amendments thereto; or (2) independent
nomination petitions signed and filed as provided by existing statutes.
(b) Candidates for any of such offices who are members of any
political party whose candidate for governor did not poll at least 5% of the
total vote cast for all candidates for governor in the preceding general
election shall not be entitled to nomination by primary election but shall be
nominated by a delegate or mass convention according to article 3 of
chapter 25 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and amendments thereto.
(c) No candidate for any national, state, county or township office
shall file for office as a partisan candidate in a primary election and also
file for office as an independent candidate for any national, state, county or
township office in the general election immediately following.
(d) The provisions of article 2 of chapter 25 of the Kansas Statutes
Annotated, and amendments thereto, shall not apply to the justices of the
supreme court or to judges of the district court in judicial districts which
have approved the proposition of nonpartisan selection of district court
judges, as provided in K.S.A. 20-2901, and amendments thereto, nor to
special elections to fill vacancies.
(e) A candidate for any national or state office who seeks nomination
by either primary election or petition pursuant to subsection (a) shall
show proof of United States citizenship to the secretary of state in the form
of a certified copy of the candidate's birth certificate and the candidate's
drivers license or other government-issued identification.

New Sec. 2. (a) The national political party committee for a
candidate for president for a party that is entitled to continued
representation on the ballot shall provide to the secretary of state written
notice of that party's nomination of its candidates for president and vice-
president. Within 10 days after the submittal of the names of the
candidates, the national political party committee shall submit proof that
each candidate is a natural born citizen and is 35 years of age or older to
the secretary of state in the form of certified copies of the candidates' birth
certificates and the candidates' drivers licenses or other government issued
identification.
(b) If the national political party committee does not submit the
documents required by this section, the secretary of state shall not place
those candidates' names on the ballot in this state.
Sec. 2. K.S.A. 25-202 is hereby repealed.
Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
publication in the statute book.