Session of 2021

SENATE BILL No. 223

By Committee on Ways and Means

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AN ACT concerning eminent domain; relating to the conduct of carbon
dioxide in pipes; amending K.S.A. 17-618 and repealing the existing
section.

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

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 17-618 is hereby amended to read as follows: 17-7 618. (a) Lands may be appropriated in the same manner as is provided in 8 K.S.A. 26-501 through 26-518, and amendments thereto, for the use of 9 macadam-road, plank-road, hospital corporation or association, telegraph 10 and telephone corporations, electric, hydraulic, irrigating, milling and manufacturing corporations using power, oil companies, pipeline 11 companies, and for the piping of gas-in the same manner as is provided in 12 13 K.S.A. 26-501 to 26-516, inclusive, and.

14 (b) For any macadam-road, plank-road, telegraph and telephone 15 corporations, hydraulic, irrigating, oil company, pipeline company, gas 16 company, partnership holding a certificate of convenience as a public utility issued by the state corporation commission, milling or 17 18 manufacturing corporation using power-desiring that desires the right to 19 dam or take water from any stream, to conduct water in canals or raceways 20 or pipes, or to conduct compressed air in pipes, or to conduct carbon 21 *dioxide in pipes*, conduct oil in pipes-or, conduct gas in pipes- or transmit 22 power or communications by shafting, belting, or belting and pulleys, or 23 ropes and pulleys, or by electrical current; or by compressed air, may 24 obtain such right or the right-of-way for all necessary canals, raceways, 25 pipes, shafting, belting and pulleys, ropes and pulleys or wires or cables in 26 the same manner as aforesaid; and is provided in K.S.A. 26-501 through 27 26-518, and amendments thereto.

28 (c) Any such canals, raceways, pipes, shafting, belting, belting and 29 pulleys, ropes and pulleys or wires or cables *described in this section* may 30 be laid, carried or stretched on, through or over any land or lot, or along or 31 upon any stream of water, using so much of the water thereof as may be 32 needed for any of the purposes-aforesaid described in this section, or 33 through any street-or, alley or public ground of any city of the second or third class: Provided, That. No such canal or raceway shall be located 34 35 through any street-or, alley or any public ground of any city without the 36 consent of the municipal authorities thereof: Provided further, That.

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1 It shall be unlawful for any person or corporation to locate or (d)construct any irrigating canal or raceway along or upon any stream of 2 water or take and use the water of any stream in such manner as to 3 interfere with or in any-wise hinder way impede, delay or injure any 4 milling or irrigating improvements already constructed or located along or 5 upon any stream of water, or to diminish the supply of water flowing to or 6 through any established irrigating canal: Provided further; That. In case of 7 the erection of a dam, the report of the commissioners, instead of defining 8 9 the quantity and boundaries of the land overflowed, the report of the commissioners shall designate particularly the height of such dam. 10

11 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 17-618 is hereby repealed.

12 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 13 publication in the statute book.