HOUSE BILL No. 2809

AN ACT concerning public health departments; relating to tests and inoculations for pupils enrolling or enrolled in schools; amending K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 72-5210 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 72-5210 is hereby amended to read as follows: 72-5210. A county, city-county or multicounty health department shall provide without delay and to the extent that funds *designated by such health department for the purchase of vaccines* are available the tests and inoculations required by this act to such pupils as are not provided therewith by their parents or guardians and who have not been exempted on religious or medical grounds. Such tests and inoculations may be provided on a sliding fee scale for administrative charges with the exception that no child may be denied inoculations for inability to pay an administrative fee. The local health officer shall counsel and advise school boards concerning the administration of this act.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 72-5210 is hereby repealed.

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

 ${\rm I}$ hereby certify that the above BILL originated in the HOUSE, and passed that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the SENATE

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

APPROVED ____

Governor.