

HOUSE BILL No. 2896

AN ACT concerning the Kansas sports hall of fame; relating to funding therefor.

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

Section. 1. (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 74-5074, and amendments thereto, on July 1, 2002, or as soon thereafter as moneys are available, the secretary of commerce and housing is authorized and directed to loan to the director of the Kansas sports hall of fame \$100,000 from the Kansas export loan guarantee fund. The director of the Kansas sports hall of fame is authorized and directed to use any moneys in the Kansas sports hall of fame surcharge fund to provide for the ongoing expenses of the Kansas sports hall of fame. Such loan shall not bear interest. Such loan shall not be deemed to be an indebtedness or debt of the state of Kansas within the meaning of section 6 of article 11 of the constitution of the state of Kansas.

(b) Upon certification by the secretary of commerce and housing and by the director of the Kansas sports hall of fame, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer such amount from the Kansas export loan guarantee fund to the Kansas sports hall of fame surcharge fund.

(c) The loan authorized pursuant to subsection (a) shall be repaid in one payment payable on or before June 30, 2003, of \$50,000, and one payment payable on or before June 30, 2004 of \$50,000.

(d) The state of Kansas sports hall of fame board of trustees, in consultation with postsecondary educational institutions and the accredited independent institutions, shall develop and implement a voluntary plan to have such institutions participate in the raising of funds for the Kansas sports hall of fame.

(e) Quarterly, during fiscal year 2003 and 2004, the state of Kansas sports hall of fame board of trustees shall submit a report to the chairperson of the legislative budget committee concerning the progress and provisions of this act when the legislature is not in session and the chairperson of the committee on appropriations of the house of representatives and the chairperson of the committee on ways and means of the senate when the legislature is in session.

(f) "Postsecondary educational institution" means Kansas state university, the university of Kansas, Wichita state university, Emporia state university, Fort Hays state university, Pittsburg state university, Washburn university and any community college.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Kansas register.

I hereby certify that the above BILL originated in the HOUSE, and passed that body

HOUSE adopted
Conference Committee Report _____

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the SENATE
as amended _____

SENATE adopted
Conference Committee Report _____

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

APPROVED _____

Governor.