

SENATE BILL No. 154

By Committee on Natural Resources

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AN ACT relating to the Kansas animal health board; increasing membership; amending K.S.A. 74-4001 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 74-4001 is hereby amended to read as follows: 74-4001. There is hereby created a Kansas animal health board, which shall consist of seven (7) members of which ~~one member shall be the president of the Kansas livestock association and six (6) members~~ shall be appointed by the governor. The members so appointed shall represent the major species or phases of the livestock industry. Each appointive member shall be selected from a list of three (3) ~~(3)~~ qualified persons for each such appointment *from each of the groups listed below* submitted to the governor ~~by the board of directors of the Kansas livestock association, the Kansas pork producers association, Kansas dairy association, Kansas farm bureau, Kansas cattlemen's association, Kansas farmers union, Kansas veterinary medical association and the Kansas pet animal advisory board, except that the Kansas pork producers association and the Kansas dairy association shall submit together a total of three qualified persons for each such appointment.~~ The appointive members of the board shall be appointed for a term of three (3) ~~(3)~~ years, except that, within thirty (30) ~~(30)~~ days after the effective date of this act, the ~~six (6) appointive~~ *seven* members shall ~~be appointed for~~ *serve* terms as follows: Two (2) ~~(2)~~ members for terms ending July 1, ~~1970~~ *2004*; two (2) ~~(2)~~ members for terms ending July 1, ~~1971~~ *2005*; ~~and two (2) members for terms ending July 1, 1972~~ *2006*; ~~and one member for a term ending July 1, 2007.~~ Whenever a vacancy shall occur on said commission, by reason of the expiration of an appointive member's term of office, the governor shall appoint a successor of like qualifications in the manner and for the term of office prescribed herein. In case of a vacancy in the office of any appointive member of the board before the expiration of his term, the governor shall appoint a successor of like qualifications for the remainder of the unexpired term. Members of the commission holding office at the time this act takes effect shall continue in office until their successors are appointed and qualified.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 74-4001 is hereby repealed.

1 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
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