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HOUSE BILL No. 2901

By Committee on Appropriations

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10 AN ACT concerning the Kansas public broadcasting council act; relating 11 to grants to stations; prescribing certain restrictions on grant agree-12ments; amending K.S.A. 75-4915 and repealing the existing section. 13 14Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas: Section 1. K.S.A. 75-4915 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-1516 4915. (a) Each eligible station shall certify to the secretary of administra-17tion, in such form and at such time as the secretary shall require, its 18nonfederal, nonlicensee financial support for the second prior fiscal year. 19 Upon acceptance by the secretary of administration, such certification 20shall constitute the basis for grants provided under this act. The secretary 21of administration shall have the authority to ascertain that the amounts 22 certified as nonfederal, nonlicensee financial support are accurate, au-23 dited and comparable in method of calculation. 24 Funds appropriated for allocation and distribution under this act (b) 25shall be appropriated for fiscal years commencing on and after July 1, 26 1994, and shall be appropriated to the department of administration for 27distribution in accordance with this act. The provisions of the Kansas 28public broadcasting council act relating to appropriations, distributions, 29grants and expenditures of funds shall become effective with fiscal years 30 commencing on and after July 1, 1994. The provisions of the Kansas 31 public broadcasting council act relating to appropriations, distributions, 32 grants and expenditures of funds shall not apply to appropriations, dis-33 tributions, grants and expenditures of funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1994. 34 35 (c) On and after the effective date of this act, each eligible station 36 which is awarded a an equipment grant under the Kansas public broad-37 casting council act, shall as a condition precedent to receiving such grant, 38 execute and record a final priority lien assuring the state government's 39 reversionary interest in all equipment purchased by such grant for such 40 eligible station, in such form and at such time as the secretary may re-41 quire, if such eligible station ceases to be used as a Kansas public television 42station or a Kansas public radio station. The Such lien shall be subject 43 and subordinate to any priority lien granted to the United States HB 2901—Am.

pursuant to the public television act of 1992, as amended, (47 1

2 U.S.C. 390 et seq.). Such lien shall not be released except upon approval

3 of the Kansas public broadcasting council, except that such lien shall be

4 released ten years after the date the project for which the equipment was $\mathbf{5}$

purchased is completed.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 75-4915 is hereby repealed. 6

7 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 8 publication in the statute book.