

## HOUSE BILL No. 2943

By Committee on Taxation

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9 AN ACT concerning educational institutions; relating to technical col-  
10 leges; governing body thereof; powers and duties; amending K.S.A.  
11 2003 Supp. 72-4470 and repealing the existing section; also repealing  
12 K.S.A. 2003 Supp. 72-4470a and 72-4478.  
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14 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

15 Section 1. K.S.A. 2003 Supp. 72-4470 is hereby amended to read as  
16 follows: 72-4470. (a) ~~Except as provided by K.S.A. 2003 Supp. 72-4470a,~~  
17 ~~and amendments thereto,~~ The governing body of a technical college shall  
18 be the board of the former area vocational school or the board of control  
19 of the former area vocational-technical school, whichever is applicable.  
20 Such board or board of control shall operate, control and manage a tech-  
21 nical college in the same manner and to the same extent that was provided  
22 by law for the operation, management and control of the former area  
23 vocational school or area vocational-technical school and nothing in this  
24 act shall be applied or construed in any manner so as to change or affect  
25 any power, duty or function of a board or board of control with respect  
26 to such operation, management and control.

27 (b) The board or board of control of a technical college, in addition  
28 to such other powers expressly granted by law and subject to rules and  
29 regulations of the state board of regents, is hereby granted the following  
30 powers:

31 (1) To determine the vocational, technology, and general education  
32 courses of instruction that will comprise the associate of applied science  
33 degree programs of the college;

34 (2) to establish the requirements for satisfactory completion of the  
35 associate of applied science degree programs of the college;

36 (3) to confer the associate of applied science degree upon students  
37 who successfully complete an associate of applied science degree program  
38 of the college and to award a certificate or diploma to students who suc-  
39 cessfully complete a vocational education program of the college; and

40 (4) to appoint teaching staff and to fix and determine teacher quali-  
41 fications, duties and compensation. No teacher appointed to teach courses  
42 comprising the associate of applied science degree programs of the col-  
43 lege shall be required to meet certification requirements greater than

1 those required in the state educational institutions.

2 ~~(c) The provisions of this section shall expire on June 30, 2009.~~

3 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2003 Supp. 72-4470, 72-4470a and 72-4478 are hereby  
4 repealed.

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