HOUSE BILL No. 2431

By Committee on Transportation

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9 AN ACT relating to commercial drivers' licenses; requiring reporting of 10 certain alcohol and drug test results to the division of vehicles. 12

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

Section 1. (a) As used in this section:

- "Employee" has the meaning assigned by 49 C.F.R. 40.3.
- (2)"Valid positive result" means:
- An alcohol concentration of .04 or greater on an alcohol confirmation test; or
- a result at or above the cutoff concentration levels listed in 49 (B) C.F.R. 40.87 on a confirmation drug test.
- "Division" means the division of vehicles of the Kansas department of revenue.
- "Owner-operator" means an individual who is the owner of a single motor vehicle that is driven exclusively by the owner under a lease agreement or contract with an employer required to conduct alcohol and drug testing under federal safety regulations.
- (b) An employer required to conduct alcohol and drug testing of an employee under federal safety regulations shall report to the division a valid positive result on an alcohol or drug test performed as part of the employer's drug testing program or consortium, as defined by 49 C.F.R. part 382, or a negative return-to-duty test under 49 C.F.R. part 40, on an employee or owner-operator who holds a commercial driver's license under the Kansas uniform commercial drivers' license act.
- A refusal to provide a specimen for drug or alcohol testing, or an adulterated, diluted or substituted specimen, as those terms are defined in 49 C.F.R. 40.3, will be reported to and maintained by the division in the same manner as a valid positive result.
- (d) The division shall maintain the information provided under this section.
- (e) Information maintained under this section is confidential except the division may provide such information to the holder of the commercial drivers' license, the holder's current employer, prospective employer or a person acting on behalf of such employer if the division receives the holder's specific written consent to the release of information.

- The provisions of this subsection shall expire on July 1, 2010, unless the legislature acts to reenact such provision. The provisions of this subsection shall be reviewed by the legislature prior to July 1, 2010.
- Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.