Session of 2005

## **SENATE BILL No. 283**

By Committee on Ways and Means

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AN ACT concerning counties; relating to the office of county administrator; amending K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 19-3a02 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 19-3a02 is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-3a02. (a) The board of county commissioners of any county may adopt a resolution establishing the office of county administrator.

- (b) The board of county commissioners of any county may adopt a resolution submitting to the voters of the county whether the county should adopt a resolution establishing the office of county administrator. Such resolution to establish the office of county administrator shall not be effective until the question has been submitted to and approved by a majority of the voters of the county voting at an election thereon. Such election shall be called and held in the manner provided by the general bond law.
- (c) Upon presentation of a petition requesting the establishment of the office of county administrator signed by at least 5% 3% of the qualified electors of the county, the board of county commissioners shall adopt a resolution establishing such office. Such resolution shall not be effective until the question has been submitted to and approved by a majority of the voters of the county voting at an election thereon. Such election shall be called and held in the manner provided by the general bond law.
  - Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 19-3a02 is hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.