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SENATE BILL No. 30

By Committee on Judiciary

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12 AN ACT concerning public assistance; relating to persons convicted of a controlled substance related felony.

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

Section 1. (a) Under the authority of subsection (d)(1)(A) of 21 U.S.C. §862a, the state of Kansas hereby exercises its option out of subsection (a) of 21 U.S.C. §862a, which makes any individual ineligible for certain state and federal assistance if that individual has been convicted under federal or state law of any offense which is classified as a felony by the law of the jurisdiction and which has as an element of such offense the possession, use or distribution of a controlled substance as defined by subsection (6) of 21 U.S.C. §802, only if, after such conviction, such individual has:

- (a) (1) Been assessed by a licensed substance abuse treatment provider as not requiring substance abuse treatment; or
- (b)-(2) been assessed by a licensed substance abuse treatment provider and such provider recommended substance abuse treatment and such individual:
- $\frac{(1)}{(A)}$ Is participating in a licensed substance abuse treatment program; or
- $\frac{(2)}{(B)}$ has successfully completed a licensed substance abuse treatment program.
- (b) Such individual shall submit to urinalysis, at the expense of such individual, during the application process and randomly thereafter as determined by the case worker. Upon such individual's request, a confirmation test of a positive result shall be performed at such individual's expense. Any state or federal assistance to such individual, permitted by this section, shall be suspended until receipt of the confirmation result. A positive result shall disqualify such individual from receiving such state and federal assistance. An individual may be disqualified for any state or federal assistance permitted by this section if confirmation of illegal drug use is found

- as a result of testing that occurs while the individual is on probation, parole, conditional release or postrelease supervision or during required substance abuse treatment. Thereafter, such disqual-
- 4 ified individual may reapply for assistance after 30 days.
- Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.