HOUSE BILL No. 2241

By Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources

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AN ACT concerning oil and gas; relating to the state corporation commission regulation of certain wells; amending K.S.A. 55-165 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 55-165 is hereby amended to read as follows: 55-165. (a) Any person who operates or is responsible for the care and control of any oil, gas, injection, disposal, cathodic protection, natural gas storage injection or withdrawal or CO_2 injection or withdrawal well shall place a well identification sign on or near each well.

- (b) The state corporation commission shall adopt rules and regulations specifying the information to be contained on the well identification sign, and the size and location of such sign.
- (c) The state corporation commission shall create and maintain a data base of all oil or gas wells in existence in this state. The data base shall include the location of each well and name, address and other information relevant to the identity of the operator of the well.
- Sec. 2. K.S.A. 55-165 is hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.