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By Committee on Elections

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1 AN ACT concerning elections; relating to voter identification
2 requirements; amending K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 25-2309, 25-2908 and 65-
3 2418 and repealing the existing sections.

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

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 25-2309 is hereby amended to read as
7 follows: 25-2309. (a) Any person may apply in person, by mail, through a
8 voter registration agency, or by other delivery to a county election officer
9 to be registered. Such application shall be made on: (1) A form approved
10 by the secretary of state, which shall be provided by a county election
11 officer or chief state election official upon request in person, by telephone
12 or in writing; or (2) the national mail voter registration form issued
13 pursuant to federal law. Such application shall be signed by the applicant
14 under penalty of perjury and shall contain the original signature of the
15 applicant or the computerized, electronic or digitized transmitted signature
16 of the applicant. A signature may be made by mark, initials, typewriter,
17 print, stamp, symbol or any other manner if by placing the signature on the
18 document the person intends the signature to be binding. A signature may
19 be made by another person at the voter's direction if the signature reflects
20 such voter's intention.

21 (b) Applications made under this section shall give voter eligibility
22 requirements and such information as is necessary to prevent duplicative
23 voter registrations and enable the relevant election officer to assess the
24 eligibility of the applicant and to administer voter registration, including,
25 but not limited to, the following data to be kept by the relevant election
26 officer as provided by law:

- 27 (1) Name;
28 (2) place of residence, including specific address or location, and
29 mailing address if the residence address is not a permissible postal address;
30 (3) date of birth;
31 (4) sex;
32 (5) the last four digits of the person's social security number or the
33 person's full driver's license or nondriver's identification card number;
34 (6) telephone number, if available;
35 (7) naturalization data (if applicable);
36 (8) if applicant has previously registered or voted elsewhere,

1 residence at time of last registration or voting;

2 (9) when present residence established;

3 (10) name under which applicant last registered or voted, if different
4 from present name;

5 (11) an attestation that the applicant meets each eligibility
6 requirement;

7 (12) a statement that the penalty for submission of a false voter
8 registration application is a maximum presumptive sentence of 17 months
9 in prison;

10 (13) a statement that, if an applicant declines to register to vote, the
11 fact that the applicant has declined to register will remain confidential and
12 will be used only for voter registration purposes;

13 (14) a statement that if an applicant does register to vote, the office to
14 which a voter registration application is submitted will remain confidential
15 and will be used only for voter registration purposes;

16 (15) boxes for the applicant to check to indicate whether the applicant
17 is or is not a citizen of the United States, together with the question "Are
18 you a citizen of the United States of America?";

19 (16) boxes for the county election officer or chief state election
20 official to check to indicate whether the applicant has provided with the
21 application the information necessary to assess the eligibility of the
22 applicant, including such applicant's United States citizenship;

23 (17) boxes for the applicant to check to indicate whether or not the
24 applicant will be 18 years of age or older on election day, together with the
25 question "Will you be 18 years of age on or before election day?";

26 (18) in reference to paragraphs (15) and (17) the statement "If you
27 checked 'no' in response to either of these questions, do not complete this
28 form.";

29 (19) a statement that the applicant shall be required to provide
30 identification when voting; and

31 (20) political party affiliation declaration, if any. An applicant's
32 failure to make a declaration will result in the applicant being registered as
33 an unaffiliated voter.

34 If the application discloses any previous registration in any other
35 county or state, as indicated by paragraph (8) or (10), or otherwise, the
36 county election officer shall upon the registration of the applicant, give
37 notice to the election official of the place of former registration, notifying
38 such official of applicant's present residence and registration, and
39 authorizing cancellation of such former registration. This section shall be
40 interpreted and applied in accordance with federal law. No eligible
41 applicant whose qualifications have been assessed shall be denied
42 registration.

43 (c) Any person who applies for registration through a voter

1 registration agency shall be provided with, in addition to the application
2 under subsection (b), a form which includes:

3 (1) The question "If you are not registered to vote where you live
4 now, would you like to apply to register to vote here today?";

5 (2) a statement that if the applicant declines to register to vote, this
6 decision will remain confidential and be used only for voter registration
7 purposes;

8 (3) a statement that if the applicant does register to vote, information
9 regarding the office to which the application was submitted will remain
10 confidential and be used only for voter registration purposes; and

11 (4) if the agency provides public assistance, (i) the statement
12 "Applying to register or declining to register to vote will not affect the
13 amount of assistance that you will be provided by this agency.";

14 (ii) boxes for the applicant to check to indicate whether the applicant
15 would like to register or declines to register to vote, together with the
16 statement "IF YOU DO NOT CHECK EITHER BOX, YOU WILL BE
17 CONSIDERED TO HAVE DECIDED NOT TO REGISTER TO VOTE
18 AT THIS TIME.";

19 (iii) the statement "If you would like help in filling out the voter
20 registration application form, we will help you. The decision whether to
21 seek or accept help is yours. You may fill out the application form in
22 private."; and

23 (iv) the statement "If you believe that someone has interfered with
24 your right to register or to decline to register to vote, your right to privacy
25 in deciding whether to register or in applying to register to vote, or your
26 right to choose your own political party or other political preference, you
27 may file a complaint with the Kansas Secretary of State."

28 (d) If any person, in writing, declines to register to vote, the voter
29 registration agency shall maintain the form prescribed by subsection (c).

30 (e) A voter registration agency shall transmit the completed
31 registration application to the county election officer not later than five
32 days after the date of acceptance. Upon receipt of an application for
33 registration, the county election officer shall send, by nonforwardable
34 mail, a notice of disposition of the application to the applicant at the postal
35 delivery address shown on the application. If a notice of disposition is
36 returned as undeliverable, a confirmation mailing prescribed by K.S.A. 25-
37 2316c, and amendments thereto, shall occur.

38 (f) If an application is received while registration is closed, such
39 application shall be considered to have been received on the next
40 following day during which registration is open.

41 (g) A person who completes an application for voter registration shall
42 be considered a registered voter when the county election officer adds the
43 applicant's name to the county voter registration list.

1 (h) Any registered voter whose residence address is not a permissible
2 postal delivery address shall designate a postal address for registration
3 records. When a county election officer has reason to believe that a voter's
4 registration residence is not a permissible postal delivery address, the
5 county election officer shall attempt to determine a proper mailing address
6 for the voter.

7 (i) Any registered voter may request that such person's residence
8 address be concealed from public inspection on the voter registration list
9 and on the original voter registration application form. Such request shall
10 be made in writing to the county election officer, and shall specify a
11 clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy or a threat to the voter's
12 safety. Upon receipt of such a request, the county election officer shall take
13 appropriate steps to ensure that such person's residence address is not
14 publicly disclosed. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed as
15 requiring or authorizing the secretary of state to include on the voter
16 registration application form a space or other provision on the form that
17 would allow the applicant to request that such applicant's residence
18 address be concealed from public inspection.

19 (j) No application for voter registration shall be made available for
20 public inspection or copying unless the information required by paragraph
21 (5) of subsection (b) has been removed or otherwise rendered unreadable.

22 (k) If an applicant fails to answer the question prescribed in
23 paragraph (15) of subsection (b), the county election officer shall send the
24 application to the applicant at the postal delivery address given on the
25 application, by nonforwardable mail, with a notice of incompleteness. The
26 notice shall specify a period of time during which the applicant may
27 complete the application in accordance with K.S.A. 25-2311, and
28 amendments thereto, and be eligible to vote in the next election.

29 (l) The county election officer or secretary of state's office shall
30 accept any completed application for registration, but an applicant shall
31 not be registered until the applicant has provided satisfactory evidence of
32 United States citizenship. Evidence of United States citizenship as
33 required in this section will be satisfied by presenting one of the
34 documents listed in paragraphs (1) through (13) of subsection (l) in person
35 at the time of filing the application for registration or by including a
36 photocopy of one of the following documents with a mailed registration
37 application. After a person has submitted satisfactory evidence of
38 citizenship, the county election officer shall indicate this information in the
39 person's permanent voter file. Evidence of United States citizenship shall
40 be satisfied by providing one of the following, or a legible photocopy of
41 one of the following documents:

42 (1) The applicant's driver's license or nondriver's identification card
43 issued by the division of vehicles or the equivalent governmental agency

1 of another state within the United States if the agency indicates on the
2 applicant's driver's license or nondriver's identification card that the
3 person has provided satisfactory proof of United States citizenship;

4 (2) the applicant's birth certificate that verifies United States
5 citizenship to the satisfaction of the county election officer or secretary of
6 state;

7 (3) pertinent pages of the applicant's United States valid or expired
8 passport identifying the applicant and the applicant's passport number, or
9 presentation to the county election officer of the applicant's United States
10 passport;

11 (4) the applicant's United States naturalization documents or the
12 number of the certificate of naturalization. If only the number of the
13 certificate of naturalization is provided, the applicant shall not be included
14 in the registration rolls until the number of the certificate of naturalization
15 is verified with the United States bureau of citizenship and immigration
16 services by the county election officer or the secretary of state, pursuant to
17 8 U.S.C. § 1373(c);

18 (5) other documents or methods of proof of United States citizenship
19 issued by the federal government pursuant to the immigration and
20 nationality act of 1952, and amendments thereto;

21 (6) the applicant's bureau of Indian affairs card number, tribal treaty
22 card number or tribal enrollment number;

23 (7) the applicant's consular report of birth abroad of a citizen of the
24 United States of America;

25 (8) the applicant's certificate of citizenship issued by the United
26 States citizenship and immigration services;

27 (9) the applicant's certification of report of birth issued by the United
28 States department of state;

29 (10) the applicant's American Indian card, with KIC classification,
30 issued by the United States department of homeland security;

31 (11) the applicant's final adoption decree showing the applicant's
32 name and United States birthplace;

33 (12) the applicant's official United States military record of service
34 showing the applicant's place of birth in the United States; or

35 (13) an extract from a United States hospital record of birth created at
36 the time of the applicant's birth indicating the applicant's place of birth in
37 the United States.

38 (m) If an applicant is a United States citizen but does not have any of
39 the documentation listed in this section as satisfactory evidence of United
40 States citizenship, such applicant may submit any evidence that such
41 applicant believes demonstrates the applicant's United States citizenship.

42 (1) Any applicant seeking an assessment of evidence under this
43 subsection may directly contact the elections division of the secretary of

1 state by submitting a voter registration application or form as described by
2 this section and any supporting evidence of United States citizenship.
3 Upon receipt of this information, the secretary of state shall notify the state
4 election board, as established under K.S.A. 25-2203, and amendments
5 thereto, that such application is pending.

6 (2) The state election board shall give the applicant an opportunity for
7 a hearing and an opportunity to present any additional evidence to the state
8 election board. Notice of such hearing shall be given to the applicant at
9 least five days prior to the hearing date. An applicant shall have the
10 opportunity to be represented by counsel at such hearing.

11 (3) The state election board shall assess the evidence provided by the
12 applicant to determine whether the applicant has provided satisfactory
13 evidence of United States citizenship. A decision of the state election
14 board shall be determined by a majority vote of the election board.

15 (4) If an applicant submits an application and any supporting
16 evidence prior to the close of registration for an election cycle, a
17 determination by the state election board shall be issued at least five days
18 before such election date.

19 (5) If the state election board finds that the evidence presented by
20 such applicant constitutes satisfactory evidence of United States
21 citizenship, such applicant will have met the requirements under this
22 section to provide satisfactory evidence of United States citizenship.

23 (6) If the state election board finds that the evidence presented by an
24 applicant does not constitute satisfactory evidence of United States
25 citizenship, such applicant shall have the right to appeal such
26 determination by the state election board by instituting an action under 8
27 U.S.C. § 1503. Any negative assessment of an applicant's eligibility by the
28 state election board shall be reversed if the applicant obtains a declaratory
29 judgment pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1503, demonstrating that such applicant is
30 a national of the United States.

31 (n) Any person who is registered in this state on the effective date of
32 this amendment to this section is deemed to have provided satisfactory
33 evidence of citizenship and shall not be required to resubmit evidence of
34 citizenship.

35 (o) For purposes of this section, proof of voter registration from
36 another state is not satisfactory evidence of United States citizenship.

37 (p) A registered Kansas voter who moves from one residence to
38 another within the state of Kansas or who modifies such voter's
39 registration records for any other reason shall not be required to submit
40 evidence of United States citizenship.

41 (q) If evidence of citizenship is deemed to be unsatisfactory due to an
42 inconsistency between the document submitted as evidence and the name
43 or sex provided on the application for registration, such applicant may sign

1 an affidavit:

2 (1) Stating the inconsistency or inconsistencies related to the name or
3 sex, and the reason therefor; and

4 (2) swearing under oath that, despite the inconsistency, the applicant
5 is the individual reflected in the document provided as evidence of
6 citizenship. However, there shall be no inconsistency between the date of
7 birth on the document provided as evidence of citizenship and the date of
8 birth provided on the application for registration. If such an affidavit is
9 submitted by the applicant, the county election officer or secretary of state
10 shall assess the eligibility of the applicant without regard to any
11 inconsistency stated in the affidavit.

12 (r) All documents submitted as evidence of citizenship shall be kept
13 confidential by the county election officer or the secretary of state and
14 maintained as provided by Kansas record retention laws. The provisions of
15 this subsection shall expire on July 1, 2016, unless the legislature reviews
16 and reenacts this provision pursuant to K.S.A. 45-229, and amendments
17 thereto, prior to July 1, 2016.

18 (s) The secretary of state may adopt rules and regulations to in order
19 to implement the provisions of this section.

20 (t) Nothing in this section shall prohibit an applicant from providing,
21 or the secretary of state or county election officer from obtaining
22 satisfactory evidence of United States citizenship, as described in
23 subsection (1), at a different time or in a different manner than an
24 application for registration is provided, as long as the applicant's eligibility
25 can be adequately assessed by the secretary of state or county election
26 officer as required by this section.

27 (u) The proof of citizenship requirements of this section shall not
28 become effective until ~~January 1, 2013~~ *June 15, 2012*.

29 **{(v) (1) During the period beginning June 15, 2012, and ending**
30 **December 31, 2012, the assessment of evidence of United States**
31 **citizenship as required by this section shall be satisfied by receipt of**
32 **any qualifying document by the office of the secretary of state or a**
33 **county election office and the applicant shall be deemed to have**
34 **provided satisfactory evidence of United States citizenship.**

35 **(2) During the period beginning June 15, 2012, and ending**
36 **December 31, 2012, the assessment of evidence of United States**
37 **citizenship as required by this section shall be satisfied by receipt of**
38 **any qualifying document by the state election board, the division of**
39 **motor vehicles of the department of revenue or a voter registration**
40 **agency, as defined by 42 U.S.C.} {§} {1973gg-1. Receipt of any**
41 **qualifying document by the state election board, the division of motor**
42 **vehicles of the department of revenue or a voter registration agency**
43 **shall be promptly reported to the appropriate county election officer**

1 **or the secretary of state, and the applicant shall be deemed to have**
2 **provided satisfactory evidence of United States citizenship. All**
3 **qualifying documents received by the state election board, the division**
4 **of motor vehicles of the department of revenue or a voter registration**
5 **agency shall be transmitted to the appropriate county election officer**
6 **or the secretary of state no later than December 31, 2012.**

7 **(3) The provisions of this subsection shall expire on January 1,**
8 **2013.}**

9 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 25-2908 is hereby amended to read as
10 follows: 25-2908. (a) Each polling place shall use either: (1) A registration
11 book and a poll book, as defined in K.S.A. 25-2507(a) and K.S.A. 25-
12 2507(b)(1), and amendments thereto; or (2) a registration book, as defined
13 in K.S.A. 25-2507(b)(2), and amendments thereto. The county election
14 officer shall determine which books are used in each county, and which
15 book voters shall sign.

16 (b) A person desiring to vote shall provide to the election board: (1)
17 The voter's name; (2) if required, the voter's address; (3) the voter's
18 signature on the registration or poll book; and (4) a valid form of
19 identification listed in subsection (h). A signature may be made by mark,
20 initials, typewriter, print, stamp, symbol or any other manner if by placing
21 the signature on the document the person intends the signature to be
22 binding. A signature may be made by another person at the voter's
23 direction if the signature reflects such voter's intention.

24 (c) A member of the election board shall:

25 (1) Announce the voter's name in a loud and distinct tone of voice,
26 and, if the name is in the registration books, the member of the election
27 board having the registration record shall repeat the name;

28 (2) request the voter's signature on the registration or poll book;

29 (3) provide the required signature at the request of and on behalf of
30 any voter who is unable to personally affix a signature by reason of
31 temporary illness or disability, or lack of proficiency in reading the English
32 language;

33 (4) request a valid form of identification from the voter. If the
34 member of the election board is satisfied that the voter is the person
35 depicted in the identification and that the identification provided is one of
36 the valid forms of identification listed in subsection (h), the member of the
37 election board shall place such member's initials in the space provided and
38 allow the voter to vote;

39 (5) give the voter one ballot, on the upper right-hand corner of which
40 shall be written the number corresponding to the voter's number in the
41 registration book or poll book; and

42 (6) mark the voter's name in the registration book and party affiliation
43 list.

1 (d) If a voter is unable or refuses to provide current and valid
2 identification, the voter may vote a provisional ballot pursuant to K.S.A.
3 25-409, and amendments thereto. If the voter's name and address do not
4 match the voter's name and address on the registration book or poll book,
5 the voter may vote a provisional ballot according to K.S.A. 25-409, and
6 amendments thereto. The voter shall provide a valid form of identification
7 as defined in subsection (h) of this section to the county election officer in
8 person or provide a copy by mail or electronic means before the meeting
9 of the county board of canvassers. At the meeting of the county board of
10 canvassers the county election officer shall present copies of identification
11 received from provisional voters and the corresponding provisional ballots.
12 If the county board of canvassers determines that a voter's identification is
13 valid and the provisional ballot was properly cast, the ballot shall be
14 counted.

15 (e) If the name of any person desiring to vote at an election is not in
16 the registration books, an election board member shall print the name and
17 address of the person appearing to vote in the registration book or poll
18 book. The person appearing to vote shall add such person's signature to the
19 registration book or poll book beside such person's printed name, as listed
20 in the registration book or poll book, and the election board judge shall
21 challenge such person's vote pursuant to K.S.A. 25-414, and amendments
22 thereto. During the pendency of a challenge other voters shall be given
23 ballots and be permitted to vote.

24 (f) A voter who has received an advance voting ballot may vote a
25 provisional ballot on election day at the precinct polling place where the
26 voter resides. If the voter returns the advance voting ballot to a judge or
27 clerk at the precinct polling place, the judge or clerk shall void such
28 advance voting ballot. Any such provisional ballot shall be counted only if
29 the county board of canvassers determines that the provisional ballot was
30 properly cast and the voter has not otherwise voted at such election.

31 (g) The secretary of state may adopt rules and regulations in order to
32 implement the provisions of this section and define valid forms of
33 identification with greater specificity, however the requirement that a voter
34 must provide a form of identification that complies with the subsection (h)
35 may not be altered.

36 (h) (1) The following forms of identification shall be valid if the
37 identification contains the name and photograph of the voter and has not
38 expired. Expired documents shall be valid if the bearer of the document is
39 65 years of age or older:

40 (A) A driver's license issued by Kansas or by another state or district
41 of the United States;

42 (B) a state identification card issued by Kansas or by another state or
43 district of the United States;

1 (C) a concealed carry of handgun license issued by Kansas or a
2 concealed carry of handgun or weapon license issued by another state or
3 district of the United States;

4 (D) a United States passport;

5 (E) an employee badge or identification document issued by a
6 municipal, county, state, or federal government office or agency;

7 (F) a military identification document issued by the United States;

8 (G) a student identification card issued by an accredited
9 postsecondary institution of education in the state of Kansas; ~~or~~

10 (H) a public assistance identification card issued by a municipal,
11 county, state, or federal government office or agency; *or*

12 *(I) an identification card issued by an Indian tribe, band, nation or*
13 *other organized group of community of Indians recognized as eligible for*
14 *the services provided to Indians by the secretary of the interior because of*
15 *their status as Indians, including any native village of Alaska as defined in*
16 *43 U.S.C. § 1602(c).*

17 (2) If the person fails to furnish the identification required by this
18 subsection, the person shall be allowed to vote a provisional ballot. The
19 canvassing board shall determine the validity of the ballot pursuant to
20 K.S.A. 25-3002, and amendments thereto.

21 (i) The following persons are exempt from the photographic
22 identification document requirements of this section:

23 (1) Persons with a permanent physical disability that makes it
24 impossible for such persons to travel to a county or state office to obtain a
25 qualifying form of identification and have qualified for permanent advance
26 voting status under K.S.A. 25-1124, and amendments thereto;

27 (2) members of the uniformed service on active duty who, by reason
28 of such active duty, are absent from the county on election day;

29 (3) members of the merchant marine who, by reason of service in the
30 merchant marine, are absent from the county on election day;

31 (4) the spouse or dependent of a member referred to in paragraph (2)
32 or (3), who, by reason of the active duty or service of the member, is
33 absent from the county on election day; and

34 (5) any voter whose religious beliefs prohibit photographic
35 identification. Any person seeking an exemption under this provision must
36 complete and transmit a declaration concerning such religious beliefs to
37 the county election officer or the Kansas secretary of state. The declaration
38 form shall be available on the official website of the Kansas secretary of
39 state.

40 Sec. 3. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-2418 is hereby amended to read as
41 follows: 65-2418. (a) (1) The secretary shall fix and charge by rules and
42 regulations the fees to be paid for certified copies or abstracts of
43 certificates or for search of the files for birth, death, fetal death, marriage

1 or divorce records when no certified copy or abstract is made. Except as
2 otherwise provided in this section, the secretary shall remit all moneys
3 received by or for the secretary from fees, charges or penalties, under the
4 uniform vital statistics act, and amendments thereto, to the state treasurer
5 in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments
6 thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall
7 deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the civil
8 registration and health statistics fee fund created by K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-
9 2418e, and amendments thereto.

10 (2) The secretary shall not charge any fee for a certified copy of a
11 certificate or abstract or for a search of the files or records if the certificate,
12 abstract or search is requested by a person who exhibits correspondence
13 from the United States department of veterans affairs or the Kansas
14 commission on veterans affairs which indicates that the person is applying
15 for benefits from the United States department of veterans affairs and that
16 such person needs the requested information to obtain such benefits,
17 except that, for a second or subsequent certified copy of a certificate,
18 abstract or search of the files requested by the person, the usual fee shall
19 be charged. The secretary may provide by rules and regulations for
20 exemptions from such fees.

21 (3) The secretary shall not charge or accept any fee for a certified
22 copy of a birth certificate if the certificate is requested by any person who
23 is 17 years of age or older for purposes of ~~meeting voting if the applicant~~
24 *lacks the identification required by K.S.A. 25-2908(h), and amendments*
25 *thereto, or to meet the voter registration requirements of K.S.A. 25-2309,*
26 *and amendments thereto. ~~Such person~~ For voter registration purposes, an*
27 *applicant for registration shall swear under oath: (1) That such person*
28 *plans to register to vote in Kansas; and (2) that such person does not*
29 *possess any of the documents that constitute evidence of United States*
30 *citizenship under K.S.A. 25-2309(1), and amendments thereto. The*
31 *affidavit shall specifically list the documents that constitute evidence of*
32 *United States citizenship under K.S.A. 25-2309(1), and amendments*
33 *thereto. The secretary shall adopt rules and regulations in order to*
34 *implement the provisions of this subsection.*

35 (4) Upon receipt of any such remittance of a fee for a certified copy
36 of a birth certificate or abstract, \$3 of each such fee for the first copy of a
37 birth certificate or abstract and \$1 of each such fee for each additional
38 copy of the same birth certificate or abstract requested at the same time
39 shall be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the provisions of
40 K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of each such
41 remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state
42 treasury to the credit of the permanent families account of the family and
43 children investment fund created by K.S.A. 38-1808, and amendments

1 thereto. The balance of the money received for a fee for a certified copy of
2 a birth certificate or abstract shall be remitted to the state treasurer in
3 accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments
4 thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall
5 deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the civil
6 registration and health statistics fee fund created under this act.

7 (5) Upon receipt of any such remittance of a fee for a certified copy
8 of a death certificate or abstract, \$4 of each such fee for the first certified
9 copy of a death certificate or abstract and \$2 of each such fee for each
10 additional copy of the same death certificate or abstract requested at the
11 same time shall be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the
12 provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of
13 each such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in
14 the state treasury to the credit of the district coroners fund created by
15 K.S.A. 22a-245, and amendments thereto. The balance of the money
16 received for a fee for a certified copy of a death certificate or abstract shall
17 be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the provisions of
18 K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of each such
19 remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state
20 treasury to the credit of the civil registration and health statistics fee fund
21 created by K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-2418e, and amendments thereto.

22 (b) Subject to K.S.A. 65-2415, and amendments thereto, the national
23 office of vital statistics may be furnished copies or data it requires for
24 national statistics. The state shall be reimbursed for the cost of furnishing
25 the data. The data shall not be used for other than statistical purposes by
26 the national office of vital statistics unless so authorized by the state
27 registrar of vital statistics.

28 Sec. 4. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 25-2309, 25-2908 and 65-2418 are hereby
29 repealed.

30 Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
31 publication in the Kansas register.

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