

## HOUSE BILL No. 2131

By Committee on Energy and Environment

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1 AN ACT concerning oil and gas; relating to the abandoned oil and gas  
2 well fund, extension of transfers; amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 55-193  
3 and repealing the existing section.  
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 55-193 is hereby amended to read as  
7 follows: 55-193. On July 15, 1996, and on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of each calendar  
8 quarter thereafter before July 1, ~~2016~~ 2023, the director of accounts and  
9 reports shall transfer \$100,000 from the state general fund, \$100,000 from  
10 the state water plan fund established by K.S.A. 82a-951, and amendments  
11 thereto, and \$100,000 from the conservation fee fund established by  
12 K.S.A. 55-143, and amendments thereto, to the abandoned oil and gas well  
13 fund established by K.S.A. 55-192, and amendments thereto, except that:  
14 (a) No transfers shall be made pursuant to this section from the state  
15 general fund to the abandoned oil and gas well fund during state fiscal year  
16 2013, state fiscal year 2014, or state fiscal year 2015; and (b) the aggregate  
17 of the transfers made pursuant to this section from the state water plan  
18 fund to the abandoned oil and gas well fund during state fiscal year 2013,  
19 state fiscal year 2014, and state fiscal year 2015, shall not exceed \$400,000  
20 and such transfer from the state water plan fund to the abandoned oil and  
21 gas well fund shall be made on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of each calendar quarter during  
22 state fiscal year 2013, state fiscal year 2014, and state fiscal year 2015, in  
23 substantially equal amounts as determined by the director of accounts and  
24 reports.

25 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 55-193 is hereby repealed.

26 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
27 publication in the statute book.