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To: Kansas Legislature

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Re: Report of the November 15, 2021, Meeting of the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations

With this report, the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations (Committee) provides its comments on rules and regulations reviewed at its meeting of November 15, 2021. Agencies are asked to respond to each comment or request for information; responses are compiled and maintained by staff of the Kansas Legislative Research Department.

All Agencies

The Committee encourages all agencies to reduce the numbers of rules and regulations, such as by not replacing outdated rules and regulations that are being revoked.

Department of Agriculture, Division of Water Resources

New Article 19, Local Enhanced Management Areas: KAR 5-19-1, definitions; 5-19-2, LEMA plans; KAR 5-19-3, public hearings; KAR 5-19-4, due consideration for past voluntary water conservation; KAR 5-19-5, review and modification of a designated LEMA.

The Committee commends the work of the local enhanced management areas.

Kansas Department of Health and Environment

KAR 28-1-40, definitions; KAR 28-1-41, contact tracers; KAR 28-1-42, contact data; communication with contacts; KAR 28-1-43, surrender or destruction of contact data; KAR 28-1-44, sunset provision.

The Committee requests information on the costs to the State for contact tracing, including, but not limited to, costs for software, hardware, databases, training, hiring, and salaries, and the funding used to cover those costs. The Committee also requests information concerning which counties in the state issue written quarantine orders.

State Board of Technical Professions

KAR 66-7-1, applications.

The Committee had no comments.

Secretary of State

KAR 7-30-1, revoked (was session laws); KAR 7-32-1, revoked (was delivery fees); KAR 7-32-2, revoked (was Kansas administrative regulations); KAR 7-35-1, revoked (was adjustment of federal census data); KAR 7-35-2, revoked (was questionnaires).

The Committee thanks the agency for removing these rules and regulations.

Department of Labor, Division of Workers Compensation

KAR 51-3-20, notification of termination of benefits; KAR 51-9-10, medical bills, reports, and treatment; KAR 51-9-18, designating the authorized treating physician; KAR 51-9-19, neutral evaluations; causation; KAR 51-11-7, average weekly wage; KAR 51-19-2, post-award applications; "costs."

The Committee strongly suggests the agency not proceed with adoption of these new and amended rules and regulations. The Committee strongly urges the agency to work with the Legislature to address concerns on the topics of the proposed changes through the legislative process.

Kansas Bureau of Investigation

KAR 10-22-1, approved field tests.

The Committee had no comments.

State Board of Regents

Article 29, Qualified Admissions: KAR 88-29-12, revoked (was establishment of a qualified admission precollege curriculum by an accredited high school in Kansas); KAR 88-29-13, revoked (was content requirements for qualified admission computer technology courses); KAR 88-29-14, revoked (was content requirements for qualified admission English courses); KAR 88-29-15, revoked (was content requirements for qualified admission mathematics courses); KAR 88-29-16, revoked (was content requirements for qualified admission natural science courses); KAR 88-29-17, revoked (was content requirements for qualified admission social science courses);

Article 29a, State University Admissions: KAR 88-29a-1, revoked (was definitions); KAR 88-29a-5, revoked (was qualifications required for the admission of a Kansas resident who is under the age of 21); KAR 88-29a-6, revoked (was qualifications required for the admission of a Kansas resident who is 21 or older); KAR 88-29a-7, revoked (was qualifications required for the admission of a nonresident who is under the age of 21); KAR 88-29a-7a, qualifications required for the admission of a nonresident who is 21 or older; KAR 88-29a-8, revoked (was the exception window for resident freshman class admissions); KAR 88-29a-8c, revoked (was the exception window for nonresident freshman class admissions); KAR 88-29a-9, revoked (was admission policies for state educational institutions); KAR 88-29a-10, revoked (was methods for state educational institutions to use when evaluating qualifications for admission); KAR 88-29a-11, revoked (was requirements for the qualified admission precollege curriculum); KAR 88-29a-18, revoked (was functional equivalents of the qualified admission precollege curriculum; residents); KAR 88-29a-19, revoked (was functional equivalents of the qualified admission precollege curriculum; nonresidents);

Article 29b, University of Kansas Admissions: KAR 88-29b-1, revoked (was definitions); KAR 88-29b-3, categories of admission; KAR 88-29b-4, qualifications required for the admission of an applicant with 24 or more transferable college credit hours; KAR 88-29b-5, revoked (was qualifications required for the admission of a Kansas resident who is under the age of 21); KAR 88-29b-6, revoked (was qualifications for the admission of a Kansas resident who is 21 or older); KAR 88-29b-7, revoked (was qualifications required for the admission of a nonresident who is under the age of 21); KAR 88-29b-7a, qualifications required for the admission of a nonresident who is 21 or older; KAR 88-29b-8, revoked (was the exception window for resident freshman class admissions); KAR 88-29b-8c, revoked (was the exception window for nonresident freshman class admissions); KAR 88-29b-9, revoked (was admission policies); KAR 88-29b-10, revoked (was methods for evaluating qualifications for admission);

Article 29c, State University Admissions Beginning with Review of Applications for 2021 Summer Session: KAR 88-29c-1, definitions; KAR 88-29c-5, qualifications required for the admission of a Kansas resident who is under the age of 21; KAR 88-29c-6, qualifications required for the admission of a Kansas resident who is 21 or older; KAR 88-29c-7, qualifications required for the admission of a nonresident who is under the age of 21; KAR 88-29c-8, the exception window for resident freshman class admissions; KAR 88-29c-8c, the exception window for nonresident freshman class admissions; KAR 88-29c-9, admission policies for state educational institutions;

Article 29d, University of Kansas Admissions Beginning with Review of Applications for 2021 Summer Session: KAR 88-29d-1, definitions; KAR 88-29d-5, qualifications required for the admission of a Kansas resident who is under the age of 21; KAR 88-29d-6, qualifications required for the admission of a Kansas resident who is 21 or older; KAR 88-29d-7, qualifications required for the admission of a nonresident who is under the age of 21; KAR 88-29d-8, the exception window for resident freshman

class admissions; KAR 88-29d-8c, the exception window for nonresident freshman class admissions; KAR 88-29d-9, admission policies; KAR 88-29d-10, methods for evaluating qualifications for admission.

The Committee had no comments.