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To: Kansas Legislature

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Re: Report of the September 10, 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 September 10, 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.

General Comment

The Committee encourages all agencies to review their rules and regulations and, where possible, revoke those that are outdated, make requirements clearer, and remove unnecessary requirements.

Wildlife and Parks Commission

KAR 115-4-4a, wild turkey; legal equipment and taking methods; KAR 115-17-2, commercial sale of fishing bait; KAR 115-25-6, turkey; spring season, bag limit, permits, and game tags; KAR 115-25-14, fishing; creel limit, size limit, possession limit, and open season; KAR 115-30-3, personal flotation devices; recreational vessels.

The Committee had no comments.

Board of Emergency Medical Services

KAR 109-3-3, emergency medical responder; authorized activities; KAR 109-3-5, advanced emergency medical technician; authorized activities.

KAR 109-1-1, definitions; KAR 109-2-1, ambulance service operator; KAR 109-3-1, revoked (was standards for ambulance attendants); KAR 109-5-1, continuing education; KAR 109-5-3, continuing education approval for long-term providers; KAR 109-5-6, continuing education approval for
The Committee had no comments.

Board of Healing Arts

KAR 100-6-7, application for licensure pursuant to KSA 48-3406.

The Committee had no comments.

Department of Health and Environment

KAR 28-18-1, definitions; KAR 28-18-14, inspections; KAR 28-18-16, waste-retention lagoon or pond closure plan requirements; KAR 28-18-17, groundwater protection requirements for waste-retention lagoons or ponds and waste treatment facilities; KAR 28-18a-24, financial assurance for swine waste-retention lagoon or pond closure.

The Committee had no comments.

State Board of Nursing

KAR 60-1-102, approval procedure; KAR 60-1-104, definitions; KAR 60-2-101, requirements for initial approval; KAR 60-2-102, reapproval requirements; KAR 60-2-103, nursing program faculty and preceptor qualifications; KAR 60-2-104, curriculum requirements; KAR 60-2-105, clinical resources; KAR 60-2-106, educational facilities; KAR 60-2-107, student policies; KAR 60-2-108, reports.

The Committee had no comments.
Kansas Corporation Commission

KAR 82-11-2, enforcement procedures; KAR 82-11-3, transportation of natural and other gas by pipeline; annual reports and incident reports; KAR 82-11-4, transportation of natural and other gas by pipeline; minimum safety standards; KAR 82-11-6, procedures to ensure compliance with minimum safety standards; KAR 82-11-7, reporting requirements; KAR 82-11-10, drug and alcohol testing.

The Committee had no comments.

Department of Agriculture

KAR 4-34-24, sampling, testing, and harvest requirements; KAR 4-34-25, remediation; effective disposal; violations; KAR 4-34-29, negligent violations; corrective action plans.

The Committee had no comments.