

# 2016 Active Law Enforcement Related Legislative Topics

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## Administrative Hearings

[SB19](#)

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7/1/2016

Allows the use of electronic service on parties of an action under the state administrative procedure act such as used in CPOST appeals, but only with permission of all parties.

SB19

Passed Senate 40-0.

Passed House 122-1

Senate concurred with House amendments 40-0.

## Alcohol: Cider and Meade

[SB326](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting action by Gover

[Statute Book](#)

7/1/2016

Authorizes microbreweries to manufacturer and sell cider and meade.

SB277; CCR326

SB277 passed the Senate 40-0.

HB2467 passed House 118-5.

Placed into CCR326 by conference committee.

CCR passed House 111-10; passed Senate 40-0

HB2467

## Alcohol: Farm Wineries

[SB326](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

[Register](#)

Removes the one year residency requirement for persons applying for a farm winery license.

SB379; CCR SB326

SB379 Passed Senate 39-0.

Conference Committee placed into SB326

CCR passed House 111-10; passed Senate 40-0.

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**Alcohol: Microbreweries: Production Limits**

[SB326](#)

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Raises the maximum amount of beer manufactured with a microbrewery license, allowing up to 60,000 barrels of beer in a calendar year. If a licensee has 10 percent or greater ownership interest in one or more entities that also hold a microbrewery license, the aggregate number of domestic barrels manufactured by all licenses under such common ownership could not exceed 60,000 barrels. A microbrewery licensee also licensed as a club or drinking establishment could sell and transfer domestic beer to that club or drinking establishment. Microbrewery licensees with 10 percent or greater ownership interest in one or more entities that also hold a microbrewery license would be allowed to manufacture and transfer domestic beer between the microbrewery licensees with common ownership for storage or sale.

SB326; CCR SB326

HB2469

SB326 passed Senate 40-0.

Amended by House and passed 115-10.

HB2469 passed House 119-4.

Conference Committee placed this in SB326.

CCR SB326 passed House 111-10; passed Senate 40-0.

**Alcohol: Minor in Possession**

[SB133](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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[7/1/2016](#)

Grants immunity of prosecution for possession of alcohol by a minor, if the minor is reporting a medical emergency due to alcohol consumption. Does not change social hosting laws or furnishing alcohol to a minor violations.

HB2198; SB133

HB2198 stricken from House Calendar in 2015. HB2198 is dead.

House committee placed contents of HB2198 into SB133 in 2016.

SB133 Passed Senate 34-5 in 2015. SB133 Passed House 92-27 with amendments in 2016.

Senate concurred with House amendments to SB133.

**Body Cameras: KORA**

[SB22](#)

[CCR brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

[Statute Book](#)

[7/1/2016](#)

Makes recordings from body or vehicle cameras investigatory records for the purposes of KORA.

Sub SB18; House Sub SB18; CCR S

Senate Committee removed original contents of bill with a substitute SB18.

Sub SB18 passed Senate 31-9 in 2015.

House Committee sent Sub SB18 to Judicial Council for study.

House Committee removed contents of Sub SB18 and replaced it with the Judicial Council recommendations as House Substitute for SB18.

Placed into SB22 by Judiciary Conference Committee

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**Budget Amendments**

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End of session FY16 and FY17 budget amendments. Includes many conditions placed on governor in making budget cuts to balance budget.

H Sub SB249

SB249 passed Senate on other topics

H Sub SB249 passed House 114-8 on different topic.

Conference Committee placed budget amendment bill into H Sub SB249

CCR passed House 63-59; passed Senate 22-18.

**Budget: General Appropriations**

[SB161](#)

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3/31/2016

Budget revisions for FY2016, 2017, and 2018 for various state agencies.

SB161

House Substitute for SB161 in House Committee passed House 68-56.

Senate approved CCR on SB161 22-16.

House approved CCR on SB161 68-54.

SB161 signed by Governor with line item veto.

Veto overridden in Senate 30-8. Failed in House 24-97.

**Burglary: Residential**

[HB2462](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

[Statute Book](#)

7/1/2016

Changes the penalty for burglary (not aggravated burglary) of a dwelling from a SL7 person crime to a SL7 nonperson felony. Burglary of a dwelling with intent to commit a theft of a firearm is a SL 5 person felony rather than a SL 5 nonperson felony. Burglary of a non-residence with intent to commit theft of a firearm remains a SL5 nonperson felony. Agg. Burglary to an occupied dwelling becomes a SL 4 person felony instead of a SL 5 person felony. Agg. Burglary to a place occupied by a person other than a residence remains a SL5 person felony. A special rule makes a burglary to a residence presumptive imprisonment if the criminal history score places the offender in sentencing grids 7-C, 7-D or 7-E. Without the special rule the sentence would be presumptive probation. This means a residential burglar without some other felony that is a person felony, will see presumptive probation for the first three convictions.

SB20; S Sub HB2049; CCR HB2462

SB20 passed out of Senate Corrections and Juvenile Justice in 2015 but died on the Senate Calendar. The Senate committee placed those contents into a S Sub for HB2049 which passed the Senate 38-1.

Conference Committee placed this into HB2462.

CCR HB2462 passed Senate 38-0; passed House 96-23.

**Consumer Protection: Consumer Protection Order**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

[Statute Book](#)

7/1/2016

Creates a SL9 person felony for violating a consumer protection order and adds the violation to the list of offenses leading to potential civil forfeiture action.

SB426

Passed Senate 40-0.

Stricken from calendar in House.

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**Consumer Protection: Identity Theft**

[CCR Brief](#)

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7/1/2016

Authorizes the attorney general to assist victims of identity theft, identity fraud and related crimes in obtaining refunds, canceling fraudulent accounts, correcting false information in consumer reports, correcting false information in personnel files and court records, obtaining security freezes, completing identity theft affidavits, filing complaints and related matters.

SB424; CCR HB2460

Passed Senate 40-0.

Conference Committee placed this into HB2460

CCR HB2460 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 85-36.

**Courts: Docket fees**

[SB255](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Allows the supreme court to set court related docket fees, retains docket fees for KLETC. Creates the Electronic Filing and Management Fund.

SB454

HB2705; H Sub SB255

SB454 Passed Senate 30-7.

HB2705 had a hearing but no further action. House Committee placed this into H

Sub SB255.

Senate concurred with House amendments 40-0.

**Courts: Funding**

[SB2449](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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2/11/2016

Repeals the nonseverability clause in the judicial branch budget bill passed last year which was ruled unconstitutional.

HB2449

HB2449 passed House 119-0.

HB2449 passed Senate 39-1.

Signed by Governor.

**CPOST: Funding**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Changes the municipal court docket fee for CPOST from \$2.50 to \$5.

HB2553; CCR HB2696

House passed HB2553 99-26. HB2533 in Senate committee and is dead.

Sub SB22 passed the Senate 40-0 without this topic. The House committee added this topic and bill passed House 109-14.

SB22 CCR passed House 119-0.

Conference Committee placed contents of Sub HB2553 into HB2696.

CCR HB2696 passed Senate 36-4; passed House 92-27

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**Criminal Law: Agg. Burglary to Open Business**

[HB2462](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Unless there is an intent to commit a person felony or sexually motivated crime, burglary and agg. burglary exempt premises that are at the time open to the public, even if there was a prior order to not return to the business. This was taken from the Model Penal Code.

HB2218; HB2592; CCR HB2462  
SB20;

Included in HB2049 which passed the Senate. Conference committee added this to HB2462.

CCR on HB2462 passed Senate 38-0; passed House 96-23.

**Criminal Law: Blackmail/Breach of Privacy**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Amends blackmail and breach of privacy to cover distribution of nude photos of another. Aimed at the distribution or threat of distribution of photos of a spouse during or after a divorce.

HB2062  
HB2080; CCR HB2501

The House Committee gutted this topic from HB2062 and inserted another topic. Hearing was held on HB2080, but no further action. Modified contents of HB2080 was added to HB2501 as a House floor amendment.

HB2501 passed House 113-11. Passed Senate with amendments 39-0.

Other topics added in conference committee.

CCR passed Senate 40-0; passed House 119-0.

**Criminal Law: Sexting**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Establishes a law specific for Unlawful Transmission of a Visual Depiction of a Child (sexting) by teenagers at a much lower severity level than available today and not allowing convictions to require offender registration. Protects more serious sex crimes to be prosecuted under the higher level crimes. The intent of this is to provide an option for charging between nothing and very serious felonies. It also exempts this crime from offender registration.

SB391; CCR HB2501  
HB2018

SB391 passed by Senate 40-0.

HB2018 passed House 123-0. Senate removed this topic and inserted a different topic. Passed Senate 38-2.

CJJ Conference Committee placed into HB2501.

CCR passed Senate 40-0; passed House 119-0.

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**Criminal Law: Theft**

[HB2462](#)   [CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

The threshold for felony theft is increased from \$1,000 to \$1,500. They also removed the third conviction as a felony for a theft under \$50. A five year look back period is created for the third theft being a felony.

HB2462; CCR HB2462

HB2462 passed House 105-19. Passed Senate with amendments 33-6. Conference committee combined in other topics. CCR passed Senate 38-0; passed House 96-23.

**Criminal Procedure: Appeals**

[SB334](#)   [Supplemental Note](#)   [Bill Summary](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Requiring notice to the attorney general before any Kansas court determines that a statute or constitutional provision is invalid or unconstitutional.

SB334

SB334 passed Senate 40-0. Passed House 120-3.

**Criminal Procedure: Bail Bonds**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Requires registration and training for bail bond agents. Current bail bond agents will have until 7/1/17 to receive required training.

HB2548

SB374; HB2056; CCR HB2056

HB2056 passed House 115-0 in 2015. Sent to Judicial Council by Senate. Sen Sub HB2056 Passed Senate 37-3 in 2016 with Judicial Council recommendations. SB374 passed the Senate 38-2. No action in House. SB374 is dead. Conference Committee made amendments to deal with a technical problem. CCR passed Senate 39-1; passed House 90-31.

**Criminal Procedure: Final Dispositions**

[SB392](#)   [Supplemental Note](#)   [Bill Summary](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Allows a prisoner to require final dispositions on pending cases for which they are not incarcerated.

SB392

SB392 passed Senate 40-0.  
SB392 passed House 125-0.

**Criminal Procedure: Grand Jury Instruction**

[HB2151](#)   [CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Requires grand jury instructions to be open to person requesting the grand jury for the purposes of hearing the jury instructions.

CCR HB2151

Placed into HB2151 by conference committee. CCR passed Senate 40-0; House 114-3.

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**Criminal Procedure: KCJIS Records**

[SB362](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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Amends law to allow the KBI to enter into agreements with state agencies and municipalities to share and authenticate electronically stored information to the KCJIS central repository. The definition of "criminal justice information system" would be amended to incorporate such electronically stored information, and a definition for "electronically stored information" would be added. Also includes KCJIS central repository records within the hearsay evidence exception for content of official records.

SB362

SB362 passed Senate 39-1. Passed House without amendment 123-2.

**Criminal Procedure: Manifest Injustice**

[SB319](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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Amending court procedures in motion to attack sentence regarding time limitations and findings of manifest injustice.

HB2502; CCR SB319

HB2502 passed House 111-14. Passed Senate with amendments 40-0.

Judiciary Conference Committee put this into SB319.

SB319 CCR passed House 119-0.

**Criminal Procedure: Search of Parolee**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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Amending search and seizure parameters for parole and postrelease supervision. In response to a appeals court case, State vs. Toliver.

SB480; CCR SB325

Passed Senate 40-0. No action in House.

Conference Committee placed into SB325.

CCR SB325 passed House 121-0; passed Senate 40-0.

**Criminal Procedure: Sexually Violent Predator**

[SB407](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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Reviving statute, erroneously repealed in 2015, concerning conditional release of person civilly committed under the sexually violent predator act.

SB407

Passed Senate 40-0

Passed House with amendment 123-0.

Senate concurred with House amendments 40-0.

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**Criminal Procedure: Significantly Subaverage Intellectual Functioning**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Amends definition of "significantly subaverage general intellectual functioning" as it applies to criminal procedure on death penalty cases. This is in response to the USSC decision in Hall v. Florida.

SB375; CCR HB2049

SB375 passed Senate 39-0; House committee recommended passage but it died on House Calendar.

Conference Committee placed this into HB2049.

CCR HB2049 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 121-0.

**Criminal Procedure: Venue: Electronic Device, Crime Committed with**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Makes the definition of crime committed with electronic device a non-exclusive list by adding "including, but not limited to" to the statute. (Criminal Use of Credit Card; unlawful act concerning computers; Identity theft/fraud; electronic solicitation.)

HB2501; CCR HB2501

HB2501 passed House 113-11. Passed Senate with amendments 39-0.

Added to HB2501 in conference committee.

CCR passed Senate 40-0; passed House 119-0.

**Drones**

[SB319](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Regulation of drones; private property rights; civil cause of action under civil stalking laws. No impact on law enforcement use.

SB462; CCR SB319

SB462 passed Sub Senate 40-0.

Judiciary Conference Committee put this into SB319.

SB319 CCR Passed House 119-0

**Drugs: Binge Eating**

[HB2018](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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Allows doctors to prescribe certain controlled substances on schedules II, III, or IV for treatment of binge eating disorders.

HB2455

HB2018

HB2455 passed out of committee, but no further action. HB2455 is dead.

Senate Committee of the Whole added topic to HB2018. HB2018 passed Senate 38-2.

House concurred with Senate amendments 119-0.



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**Drugs: Drug Schedule**

[HB2018](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

Awaiting action by Gover

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Annual Drug Schedule revisions.

HB2540; House Sub SB216

Sub SB216 was gutted in House Committee and replaced with this topic from HB2540.

SB483; Sen Sub for HB2018

SB483 Exempt. SB483 passed Senate Committee, on General Orders.

Sen Sub HB2018 passed Senate 38-2.

House concurred with Senate amendments 119-0.

**Drugs: Marijuana Penalties**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Amends the sentence for first conviction of possession of marijuana from a Class A misd to a Class B misd; the second conviction from a DSL5 felony to a Class A misd; and third and subsequent convictions remain a DSL5 felony.

HB2049; CCR HB2462

HB2049 Passed House 81-36. HB2049 Passed Senate with amendments 38-1.

CJJ Conference Committee placed into HB2462

CCR HB2462 passed Senate 38-0; passed House 96-23.

**DUI Memorial Signs**

[SB245](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Establishes a KDOT program to allow official signs in remembrance of DUI victims. Requires a fee for the sign and a new maintenance fee to be paid every 10 years to the sign would be removed.

H Sub SB245

H Sub SB245 was passed by the Senate on a different topic 40-0; passed House as substitute bill 124-0.

**Elections: Campaign Workers**

[HB2558](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Regulation of election campaign workers. Prohibits cities and counties from regulating or prohibiting certain actions related to door-to-door campaigning for elective office: canvassing, polling, soliciting, or otherwise approaching private residences for the purpose of distributing campaign literature or campaigning for a candidate.

HB2558

HB2558 passed House 122-3. Passed Senate with amendments 39-0. House concurred with Senate amendments.

**EMS: Interstate Compact**

[SB225](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Authorizes an interstate compact for recognition of certified/licensed emergency personnel.

SB225

SB225 passed 39-0. Passed House 124-1.

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**EMS: Investigations; fines; subpoenas**

[SB224](#)

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Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Allows the Board of EMS to conduct investigations, issue subpoenas, and impose fines.

SB224

SB224 Passed Senate 31-9 in 2015. SB224 was amended and passed House 93-30. Senate concurred with House amendments 35-4.

**EMS: Standards and Training**

[HB2387](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

EMS revisions on training and accepted practices. Amends the authorized activities of certain emergency medical services (EMS) certifications; make changes to the composition, powers, and duties of the Emergency Medical Services Board (EMS Board); amend certain definitions; and make technical amendments to reflect current law.

HB2387

HB2387 passed house 115-0. Passed Senate with amendments 39-0. House Concurred with Senate amendments 120-0.

**Firearms: Adequate Security Measures**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

The definition of "adequate security measures," the screening in public buildings closed to the carrying of a firearm, have changed to require armed personnel at the screening site. It does not appear to require all personnel to be armed.

SB65; H Sub SB65; CCR HB2502

H Sub SB65 passed out of House Committee. This amendment was made as part of the partial building topic which had passed the Senate in SB65.

Conference Committee placed this into HB2502.

CCR HB2502 passed Senate 32-6; passed House 92-28.

**Firearms: CCH Permit: Military Personnel**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Kansas residents who are stationed outside of the state on active duty in the U.S. armed forces and wish to apply for a concealed carry handgun license would be permitted to have their fingerprints taken at a military installation and submitted to the sheriff of the county where they reside.

HB2591; SB65; CCR HB2502

HB2591 had hearing in House but no further action.

House placed this into SB65.

Conference Committee placed this into HB2502.

CCR HB2502 passed Senate 32-6; passed House 92-28.

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**Firearms: Courtrooms**

[CCR Brief](#)

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7/1/2016

The provision in statute about courtrooms was amended striking the provision that having armed personnel in the court room met the requirement for "other security measures" and instead requiring "adequate security measures" to be used to prohibit carrying a firearm into a courtroom. This would require screening in the public area prior to reaching or at all points of entrance to the courtroom. It does not require this to be done, but it is required if firearms are prohibited in the courtroom. Interesting question: Does this violate the separation of powers by taking the control of the courtroom away from the judges?

SB65; H Sub SB65; CCR HB2502

H Sub SB65 passed out of House Committee. This amendment was made as part of the partial building topic which had passed the Senate in SB65. Conference Committee placed this into HB2502. CCR HB2502 passed Senate 32-6; passed House 92-28.

**Firearms: Public Buildings**

[CCR Brief](#)

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7/1/2016

Allows prohibiting carrying of firearms in parts of public buildings, while leaving portions of the same building open to firearms. This also includes the ability to close a portion of the building only during certain times or events. Temporary signage is allowed when necessary.

SB66; SB65; CCR HB2502  
HB2440

SB66 placed this into SB65 by Senate Fed and State Committee. SB66 remains in Senate Committee. HB2440 amended by House Committee, but never brought above the line. Conference Committee placed this into HB2502. CCR HB2502 passed Senate 32-6; passed House 92-28.

**Firearms: Public employees when working**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Permits public employees to carry a concealed firearm while working when outside of public building. There has been some question whether this allows concealed carry on private non-business premises.

SB65; CCR HB2502

SB65 passed Senate 32-7. House committee recommended Substitute bill which included this topic and other firearms topics. Conference Committee placed this into HB2502. CCR HB2502 passed Senate 32-6; passed House 92-28.

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**Firearms: Restricted Access Entrance**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Provides rules on allowing permits to be issued for certain people who are not employees to enter public buildings through a restricted access entrance.

SB421

HB2575; House Sub for SB65; CCR

SB421 passed Senate 38-0. House committee added this topic, from HB2575, to House Sub SB65.

Conference Committee placed this into HB2502.

CCR HB2502 passed Senate 32-6; passed House 92-28.

**Identity Theft**

[HB2134](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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Authorizing consumer credit report security freezes for individuals less than 18 years old.

HB2134

HB2134 passed House 120-0. Passed Senate Amended 40-0. House concurred with Senate amendments 120-0.

**Juvenile: CINC: Medicating a Child**

[CCR Brief](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Clarifies that nothing in the CINC code can be construed to compel a parent to medicate a child if the parent is acting in accordance with a physician's medical advice. A parent's actions in these circumstances would not constitute a basis for determination that a child is a child in need of care, for the removal of custody of a child, or for the termination of parental rights without a specific showing of a causal relation between the actions and harm to the child. "Physician" would be defined as a person licensed to practice medicine and surgery by the state board of healing arts or by an equivalent licensing board or entity in any state.

SB157; CCR SB418

SB157 passed Senate 38-2; recommended to pass by House committee but died on House calendar.

Conference Committee placed into SB418.

CCR passed House 121-0; passed Senate 33-5.

**Juveniles: CINC: Access to reports**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Amends the list of persons and entities with access to the official file and social file in a child in need of care proceeding, to add to the list any county or district attorney from another jurisdiction with a pending child in need of care matter regarding any of the same parties or interested parties.

SB325; CCR SB418

Passed Senate 40-0. House committee amended. Passed House 120-0.

Conference Committee placed this into SB418.

CCR SB418 passed House 121-0; passed Senate 33-5

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**Juveniles: CINC: Host Families**

[CCR Brief](#)

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7/1/2016

Allows a child to be placed by executing a power of attorney delegating the care of a child to a host family any of the powers regarding the care and custody of the child, except the power to consent to marriage or adoption, the performance or inducement of an abortion, or the termination of parental rights to the child. The power of attorney requires the consent of all persons with legal custody of the child. The power of attorney could not exceed one year in duration but could be renewed for one additional year. This would not be an out of home placement and does not trump a CINC order or other court order and does not preclude any abuse/neglect investigation. The idea is to allow families in crisis a short term option when ability to care for a child is jeopardized while focusing on the issue at hand.

SB394; S Sub for Sub HB2112; CCR

SB394: Senate judiciary held a hearing in 2016.

Sub HB2112 was passed in the 2015 session on another topic.

Senate committee placed this in a substitute S Sub for Sub HB2112 which passed Senate 39-0.

Conference Committee placed this into SB418

CCR on SB418 passed House 121-0; passed Senate 33-5.

**Juveniles: Human Trafficking**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Revisions to human trafficking laws to bring them up-to-date with recently revised federal law. DCF is required to immediately report to local law enforcement when a child is reported to DCF as a human trafficking victim or when a child in DCF custody is missing. LE is then required to make the missing person entry into NCIC and the KBI system. Defines "reasonable and prudent parenting" and "runaway" for CINC purposes. Amends definition of "sexual abuse" is clarified by expanding the list of crimes and making the list of offenses non-exclusive. The Interstate Compact for Juveniles administrator in DOC is added to the people who are allowed access law enforcement records on juveniles, the list of persons required to freely exchange information on a CINC, intake records access. The statute on when a law enforcement officer must take a juvenile into custody is amended to clarify it includes when there is probable cause the child is a runaway is permissible and changes the requirement a child be a verified missing person AND in NCIC to verified missing person OR in NCIC. Several provisions for permanency planning were amended. Effective 1/1/17 several provision regarding the staff secure facilities are amended. Allows intake records to be used by the prosecutor and courts only for diagnostic and referral purposes.

SB418; CCR SB418

SB418 passed Senate 28-8; passed House, with amendments, 125-0.

Conference Committee added other topics.

CCR passed House 121-0; passed Senate 33-5.

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**Juveniles: Juvenile Justice Reform**

[SB367](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Complete and extensive overhaul of the Juvenile Justice laws.

SB367

SB367 Passed Senate 38-2. SB367 Passed House, amended, 117-6.

HB2382

House approved CCR on SB367 118-5. Senate approved CCR on SB367 40-0.

Sen Sub for HB2382 is on General Orders

This bill has various delayed implementation dates.

**K-12 Schools: Suicide Awareness and Prevention Training**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Requires each school district to provide a minimum of 1 hour per year suicide awareness and prevention training to all school staff.

SB323; Sub SB323; CCR Sub SB323

Sub SB323 passed Senate 38-1; passed House 125-0.

Conference Committee further amended.

CCR Sub SB323 passed House 117-1; passed Senate 36-4

**KHP: Funding**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Creates a funding mechanism for additional KHP troopers through vehicle registration fees.

SB350; Sub SB335; CCR HB2696

HB2503

Senate Committee added provisions on SB350 to SB335. SB335 passed Senate 24-14.

SB335 and HB2503 had hearings held in House Appropriations.

HB2503 passed by House Transportation Committee, but in floor debate was referred to Conference Committee placed contents of Sub SB335 into HB2696.

CCR HB2696 passed Senate 36-4; passed House 92-27

**KLETC: Funding**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Creates a funding mechanism for KLETC through vehicle registration fees.

SB335; Sub SB335; CCR HB2696

SB335 passed Senate 24-14. Hearing held in House Appropriations.

Conference Committee placed contents of Sub SB335 into HB2696.

CCR HB2696 passed Senate 36-4; passed House 92-27

**KPERS: Annuity Rates**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Applying annuity interest rates for members under the KPERS act of 2015.

HB2489; H Sub SB168

HB2489 passed House 90-34. Not acted on in Senate.

House Committee placed contents into SB168.

Conference Committee further amended H Sub SB168.

CCR H Sub SB168 passed House 117-1; passed Senate 36-4.

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**KPERS: Death and Disability Contributions**

[CCR Brief](#)

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Moratorium on KPERS death and disability contributions for a portion of FY 2016 and FY 2017

HB2489; H Sub SB168; CCR SB168

HB2489 passed House 90-34.

Placed into H Sub SB168 by House Committee.

SB168 passed Senate 21-17 also on KPERS. H Sub SB168 passed House 125-0.

Conference Committee accepted Senate amendments and made further amendments.

CCR passed House 117-1; passed Senate 36-4

**KPERS: Death Benefits**

[CCR Brief](#)

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Applies accidental death benefits for members under the KPERS act of 2015.

HB2489; H Sub SB168

HB2489 passed House 90-34. Senate did not act on it.

House placed into H Sub SB168

Conference Committee included this in CCR.

CCR on H Sub SB168 passed House 117-1; passed Senate 36-4.

**KPERS: Deferred Compensation**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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Amends deferred compensation act so that deferred compensation under 401(a) and 457 plans do not enhance final average salary.

HB2541; HB2489; CCR SB168

HB2724

HB2489 passed House 90-34.

HB2724 passed House 72-53.

House Committee placed into H Sub SB168.

Conference Committee further amended H Sub SB168.

CCR H Sub SB168 passed House 117-1; passed Senate 36-1.

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**KPERS: DROP**

[CCR Brief](#)

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CCR SB168

Technical amendment to KHP DROP program from last year. Clarifies accruals count toward FAS for those hired prior to July 1, 1993. Members of the Kansas Highway Patrol who participate in the DROP Plan, which is a voluntary pilot deferral program that was authorized in 2015, would be allowed to have their retirement benefits recalculated, taking into account any payments of the member's accumulated sick and annual leave compensation made at retirement. If the member's recalculated final average salary would be higher than the final average salary used in the calculating the member's monthly DROP accrual, then after DROP participation has been completed, which under current law may be for three to five years, the member's retirement benefit would be based on the recalculated amount. The difference between a member's monthly DROP accrual and recalculated monthly retirement benefit would be credited as a non-interest bearing lump sum to the member's account prior to ending participation in the DROP Plan.

SB168 on KPERS passed by Senate 21-17. H Sub SB168 passed by House 125-0. Conference Committee further amended H Sub SB168. CCR passed House 117-1; passed Senate 36-4.

**KPERS: Working After Retirement**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

HB2653; HB2700; H Sub SB168; C

Striking sunset to KPERS school working after retirement exception and extending certain working after retirement exceptions upon submission of an assurance protocol and allowing retirants to return to work for a different participating employer when such employer pays a 30% contribution rate.

Also increases KP&F working after retirement earnings cap to \$25,000 from \$15,000.

HB2653: Hearing, no further action.

HB2700 passed by Committee, on House General Orders

H Sub SB168 passed Senate in 2015 on different topic 21-17; passed House 125-0.



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**Law Enforcement Procedure: Abuse and Neglect**

[SB408](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Child abuse or neglect cases occurring in a KDADS facility would be reported to local law enforcement authorities instead of the Attorney General. Reports of child abuse or neglect occurring in a DOC facility, including juvenile facilities, would be reported to DOC for investigation. Investigations of child abuse or neglect by employees of KDADS and DCF, or to the children of KDADS or DCF employees, would be handled by local law enforcement. Also amends duties of the Attorney General Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation of Persons Unit, including adding a provision they "may" at the discretion of the Attorney General "(6) assist in any investigation of child abuse or neglect conducted by a law enforcement agency pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2226, and amendments thereto; and (7) assist in any investigation of adult abuse, neglect, exploitation or fiduciary abuse conducted by a law enforcement agency pursuant to K.S.A. 39-1443." Adds licensed behavior analysts and licensed assistant behavior analysts to the list of persons required to report abuse and neglect.

SB408

SB408 passed Senate 40-0.

SB408 passed House with amendments 103-19.

Senate concurred 40-0.

**Law Enforcement Procedure: Eyewitness Identification**

[HB2151](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Requires all law enforcement agencies to have a written policy on Eyewitness Identification which includes provisions on (1) Use of blind and blinded procedures; (2) instructions to the witness that the perpetrator may or may not be present; (3) use of non-suspect fillers who are reasonably similar to the perpetrator and do not make the suspect stand out; and (4) after an identification is made by the witness, eliciting a confidence statement, in the witness's own words, regarding the level of certainty in the selection.

SB428; CCR HB2151

SB428 passed Senate 38-1. Amended by House committee. No house vote.

Conference Committee placed into H2151.

CCR passed Senate 40-0; House 114-3.

**Law Enforcement Procedure: Jurisdiction**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Amending jurisdiction of university of Kansas medical center police officers. Deals with property used by, but not owned by, KU and other changes.

HB2696; CCR HB2696

HB2696 passed House 125-0. Passed Senate with amendments 38-2.

Conference Committee added more topics.

CCR HB2696 passed Senate 36-4; passed House 92-27

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**Law Enforcement Procedure: Missing Persons**

[SB376](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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Amends the timeline for when law enforcement is required to make NCIC entry for missing person from "when practical" to "within two hours of receipt of the minimum data required to enter a record into" NCIC. Brings statute in line with federal law and FBI-CJIS policy.

SB376

Passed Senate 39-0. Passed House 123-0.

**Law Enforcement Procedure: Mutual Aid**

[HB2549](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

[Bill Summary](#)

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Sets provisions for requesting assistance from and assistance to out of state law enforcement agencies. Covers who can request, authority of out-of-state officers, and other issues of concern.

HB2549

HB2549 passed House 114-8. Passed Senate without amendment 36-4.

**Livestock**

[HB2480](#)

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Statute Book	7/1/2016
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Amends livestock branding law concerning application for brands, application of brands, brand inspections. Amends crime of branding an animal not in accordance with statute.

SB336

HB2480

SB336 had no hearing. SB336 is dead.

HB2480 passed House 98-23. Passed Senate 35-3.

House concurred with Senate Amendments.

To Governor.

**Mental Health Treatment: KDADS**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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KDADS Secretary is given additional authority and responsibilities. These include enforcing laws relating to the hospitalization of mentally ill individuals in a psychiatric hospital and the diagnosis, care, training, or treatment of individuals receiving services through CMHCs, PRTFs for individuals with mental illness, residential care facilities or other facilities or services for individuals with mental illness, intellectual disabilities, developmental disabilities, or other disabilities; to maintain an action for an injunction against any person or facility to restrain or prevent the operation of a residential care facility, crisis residential care facility, private or public psychiatric hospital, PRTF, provider of services, CMHC, or any other facility providing services to individuals without a license; among other broad new authorities. KDADS is also prohibited from privatizing state mental hospitals without approval of the legislature.

SB442; CCR SB449

SB422 passed Senate 31-5. No action in House.

Conference committee placed SB422 into SB449.

CCR passed House 122-0; passed Senate 39-0.

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**Mental Illness: Privatization of State Hospitals**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

SB422 started as a bill to clean up statutes relating to the 2012 changes to KDADS. The Senate added a provision to prohibit KDADS from privatizing services at the State Hospitals.

SB422; CCR SB449

SB422 passed Senate 31-5.  
Conference Committee placed into SB449.  
CCR SB449 passed House 122-0; passed Senate 39-0.

**Municipal Court: District court appeals**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Requires district courts to communicate dispositions in appeals cases back to municipal courts. Senate Committee added provisions for the District Court to report to the municipal court an expungement of a case appealed from a municipal court.

SB22; CCR SB128

SB22 Passed Senate 40-0; passed House with amendments 109-14.  
Conference Committee placed this into SB128.  
CCR SB128 passed House 72-50; passed Senate 35-3.

**Offender Registration: Sexting**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Exempts the new crime of unlawful transmission of a visual depiction of a child (sexting) from offender registration.

SB391; CCR HB2501  
HB2018

SB391 passed by Senate 40-0.  
HB2018 passed House 123-0. Senate removed this topic and inserted a different topic. Passed Senate 38-2.  
CCR passed Senate 40-0; passed House 119-0.

**Offender Registration: Sexually Violent Predator**

[SB407](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Requires a court committing an offender under the Kansas Sexually Violent Predator Act for control, care, and treatment by the KDADS to notify the registering law enforcement agency of the county where the offender resides during commitment. Requires the AG to prepare the notice for the court to submit the electronic transmittal. The offender must register within three business days of arriving in the county where the offender is committed. The offender would not be required to update registration until placed in a reintegration facility or placed on conditional or transitional release, at which point the offender would be personally responsible for complying with KORA provisions.

SB407

House committee added this to SB407.  
Passed House 123-0.  
Senate concurred with House amendments 40-0.

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**Offender Registration: Violation penalty**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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7/1/2016

Currently all violations of KSA 22-4903, violation of offender registry act, are all person crimes. Under this bill they remain person crimes if any crime for which they must register is a person crime, but they will be a nonperson crime if the crime for which they must register is a nonperson crime.

HB2460; CCR HB2463

HB2460 passed House 118-7. Passed Senate with amendments 40-0.  
Placed into HB2463 by conference committee.  
CCR HB2463 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 116-1.

**Open Records: Annual review**

[SB22](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

[Statute Book](#)

7/1/2016

Annual review of existing exceptions to the open records laws. Of interest to Law Enforcement: Victims of sexual offenses; 911 Coordinating Council; Child sex abuse reports; emergency communications services; offender registration; certain juvenile records; juvenile offender information systems; missing persons reports; abuse, neglect, and exploitation unit in AG's Office, concealed firearms records.

SB415; CCR SB22

SB415 passed by Senate 40-0.  
SB415 was amended by the House committee.  
Judiciary Conference Committee has agreed to put this into SB22.

**Open Records: Personal devices**

[SB22](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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7/1/2016

Would specify that communications on a personal device is subject to KORA.

SB361; CCR SB22

Passed Senate 39-0.  
Passed by House Committee without amendment.  
Stricken from House Calendar.  
Judiciary Conference Committee has agreed to put this into SB22.  
CCR passed House 119-0; passed Senate 40-0.

**Open Records: Warrant Affidavit**

[HB2545](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

[Statute Book](#)

7/1/2016

Clarifies that once a court rules to release an arrest or search warrant affidavit in a KORA request the ruling applies to future requests for the same document.

HB2545; CCR HB2545

HB2545 passed House 122-2. Passed Senate with amendments 39-0.

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**Public Speech**

[SB319](#) [CCR Brief](#)

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Enact the "Public Speech Protection Act," protecting the constitutional right to petition, speak freely, associate freely, and otherwise participate in government to the maximum extent permitted by law while, at the same time, protecting the rights of a person to file meritorious lawsuits for demonstrable injury.

HB2054; CCR SB319

Passed House 123-1. Judiciary Conference Committee has agreed to put this into SB319.

SB319 CCR Passed House 119-0.

**Reconciliation Bill**

[HB2285](#) [Supplemental Note](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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[7/1/2016](#)

Reconciles conflicts created by bills previously passed.

SB517; S Sub HB2285

SB517 Introduced

Senate Committee put contents into HB2285

Passed Senate 40-0; House concurred 119-0.

**Rental Property Inspection Limitations**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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Prohibits cities or counties to require inspection of rental property without a search warrant.

HB2665; CCR SB366

HB2665 passed House 70-55. No Senate action.

Conference Committee placed into SB366.

CCR SB366 passed House 76-45; passed Senate 32-6.

**Rural Broadband**

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17-1902 and 66-2004 and K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 66-2005, 66-2007, 66-2008 and 66-2017

SB346; HB2131

SB346 had a hearing in the Senate Committee which later put those contents with some amendments into HB2131.

The House concurred with the Senate amendments.

**Schools: Air guns**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

[Statute Book](#)

[7/1/2016](#)

Allows air guns on K-12 school grounds and in K-12 schools for organized programs.

HB2468; H Sub SB65; CCR HB2502

HB2468 passed House 94-26. Senate held hearing, but no further action.

House placed this into H Sub SB65.

Conference Committee placed this into HB2502.

CCR on HB2502 passed Senate 32-6; passed House 92-28.

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**Schools: K-12: Restraint of student**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Restricts use of physical and chemical (medication) restraint of K-12 students. Appears to apply only to school personnel.

HB2534; H Sub SB193; CCR H Sub

SB2534 passed House 120-0. No action in Senate.

Placed in CCR H Sub SB193

CCR H Sub SB193 passed House 121-0; passed Senate 39-1.

**Sentencing: Absconder**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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Fixes a gap from a law change a few years ago that unintentionally required an absconder to serve county jail time before they could be considered for prison time.

HB2464; HB2620; HB2447; CCR H HB2463

HB2464 passed House 123-2. Senate held hearing but took no further action.

HB2463, topic added by Senate committee. Passed House 113-12, without this topic.

HB2463 passes Senate 40-0.

Added to HB2463 by House Committee. Senate Concurred with House amendments.

Conference Committee added other topics into CCR HB2463

CCR HB2463 passes Senate 40-0; House 116-1.

**Sentencing: Criminal History**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Juvenile adjudications for SL5-10 felony, any drug felony, any non-grid felony or misdemeanor offenses do not count in adult criminal history considerations when the new crime of conviction occurred after the offender reaches 25 years of age.

HB2463; CCR HB2463

HB2463 passed House 113-12. Passed Senate with amendments 40-0.

CCR HB2463 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 116-1.

**Sentencing: Good Time Credits**

[HB2447](#)

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HB2447 Allows DOC to apply the increases in good time and program credits passed in 2015 to be applied retroactively. That was the intent when passed last year.

HB2447

HB2447 passed House 122-2. Passed Senate 39-0.

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**Sentencing: Parents early release**

[HB2151](#)   [CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

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Creating a program for early release from incarceration for parents in certain cases. An offender on a SL4-10 or any DSL 3-5 drug crime with 12 months or less to serve and who has custody of a minor child may be released on home release if they meet the statutory conditions. The requirements include less than 12 months left on the sentence, no prior conviction for a sex offense or non-drug inherently dangerous felony. Release is at the discretion of DOC.

SB453; CCR HB2151

SB453 passed Senate 40-0. No hearing in House, SB453 is dead.  
Conference committee placed into HB2151.  
CCR HB2151 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 114-3.

**Sentencing: Program Credits**

[HB2447](#)   [Supplemental Note](#)   [Bill Summary](#)

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Increases the maximum Program Credits from 90 days to 120 days.

HB2447

HB2447 passed House 122-2. Passed Senate 39-0.

**State IT: Audit Reports**

[HB2442](#)   [Supplemental Note](#)   [Bill Summary](#)

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Limits which government officials may receive technology audit written reports.

SB313

SB313 Passed Senate 40-0. On House GO with amendments.

HB2442

HB2442 passed House 122-0. HB2442 passed by Senate without amendments 39-0.

**Student Online Personal Protection Act**

[HB2008](#)   [CCR Brief](#)

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Prohibits an operator (defined as the operator of an educational online product with actual knowledge the product is used primarily for educational purposes and was designed and marketed for educational purposes) from knowingly releasing student information for certain purposes or under certain conditions. Has a provision specifically allowing release to law enforcement or to a court of competent jurisdiction to protect the safety or integrity of users of the operator's educational online product or other individuals, or the security of such educational online product. Provides for enforcement by AG or District/County Attorney via civil

SB342; S Sub for HB2008; CCR S S

Passed Senate in SB342 and also in S Sub for HB2008.  
Conference Committee amended S Sub HB2008.  
CCR HB2008 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 115-2.

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**Taxes: Tax Lid**

[HB2088](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

This bill amends the tax lid law passed last year. It moves the effective date from January 1, 2018 to January 1, 2017, and implements a five-year rolling average of the inflation rate. The bill also adds some exemptions. Among those exemptions are certain emergency services expense increase above the rate of inflation and court judgements or settlements, certain disasters and emergencies, and certain unfunded federal or state mandates.

SB452

HB2088; CCR HB2088

SB452 had no hearing.

HB2493 had no hearing.

Sen Sub HB2088 Passed Senate 24-16.

HB2609 had a hearing but no further action.

Placed into HB2088 by conference committee.

CCR HB2088 passed Senate 37-3; passed House 112-5.

**Traffic Law: DUI: Admin Hearing**

[HB2289](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

In administrative hearings for DUI test failure or refusal, the argument a stop was not constitutional is preserved for an appeal to the courts, but not subject to decision in the administrative hearing. A person facing an administrative hearing has a right to the police reports prior to the hearing, but must pay no more than \$0.25 per page for the reports.

HB2289

Passed the House 115-7. Passed the Senate 40-0.

House concurred with Senate amendments 115-0.

**Traffic Law: HazMat**

[SB349](#)

[Supplemental Note](#)

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Exempts Class A commercial operators from hazardous material requirements when hauling less than 1000 gals of diesel as a custom harvester, agrichemical business, farm retail outlet, or livestock feeder.

SB349

SB349 passed Senate 39-0. Passed House 124-1 without amendment.

**Traffic Law: Length Limits: Harvesters**

[Sub SB99](#)

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Exempting one truck-tractor two trailer combination or one truck-tractor semitrailer combination used in transporting equipment utilized by custom harvesters under contract to agricultural producers to harvest commodities, but the length of the property-carrying units, excluding load, shall not exceed 81.5 feet.

SB99; Sub SB99

Sub SB99 passed Senate 39-0. Passed House with amendments 125-0. Senate concurred with House amendments 40-0.



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**Traffic Law: Length Limits: Harvesters: Stinger Steered**

[Sub SB99](#)

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Increased maximum length of "stinger-steered" vehicles used by harvesters from 75 feet to 80 feet.

SB99

Passed Senate 39-0.

Amended in House and passed 125-0.

Senate Concurred with House amendments 40-0.

**Traffic Law: Motorcycle DL Class**

[SB373](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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7/1/2016

Technical amendment to correct a statute that still references a 30-day registration permit. This statute deals with exempting motorcycle operators from a class M license while the temporary registration permit is valid.

SB373; CCR HB2522

Passed by Senate 39-0.

Amended and passed by House 91-34.

Conference committee placed this into HB2522.

CCR HB2522 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0.

**Traffic Law: Speed Limit**

[HB2610](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Allows the speed limit on any non-urban highway to be set at 70 mph on highway where the statute otherwise establishes a 65 mph speed limit.

HB2643; CCR HB2610

HB2643 passed House 106-19. Hearing in Senate but no further action.

Conference committee placed into HB2610.

CCR HB2610 passed Senate 39-1; passed House 115-2.

**Traffic Law: Weight limit**

[Sub SB99](#)

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Allows a vehicle operated by an engine fueled primarily by natural gas to exceed the vehicle weight limits in a statute limiting axle weights by an amount equal to the difference between the weight attributable to the natural gas tank and fueling system and the weight of a comparable diesel tank and fueling system, up to a maximum gross vehicle weight of 82,000 pounds.

SB99

SB99 passed Senate 39-0. Amended in House and passed 125-0. Senate Concurred with House amendments 40-0.

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**Traffic: DL Photos**

[CCR Brief](#)

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Statute Book

7/1/2016

Changes the photo requirement for DL applications from "colored digital photograph" to "digital color image or photograph or black and white laser engraved photograph."

HB2522; CCR HB2522

HB2522 passed House 125-0; passed Senate with amendments 38-1.

HB2522 CCR passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0

**Traffic: DL: Electronic Renewal**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Allows an electronic renewal of driver's licenses for those who are ages of 21 to 65, whose most recent renewal was not electronic, is not a registered offender, and whose license is not temporary while in the US.

HB2522; CCR HB2522

HB2522 passed by House, without this provision, 125-0. Passed Senate with amendments 38-1.

This provision was added as a Senate floor amendment.

Place into CCR HB2522 by conference committee.

CCR HB2522 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0

**Traffic: DL: Motorized Bicycle**

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Application fee of a restricted motorized bicycle driver's license is increased for a person who has had driving privileges suspended. Current restrictions for such licenses remain in place.

HB2563; CCR HB2522

HB2563 passed by House 106-19. Passed Senate with amendments 36-3.

Conference Committee moved this topic to HB2522.

CCR HB2522 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0

Conference Committee moved this topic to HB2522.

**Traffic: Liability Insurance**

[HB2446](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Raises the minimum required liability insurance coverage for property damage from \$10k to \$25k.

HB2446; CCR HB2446

HB2446 Passed House 116-2. HB2446 Passed Senate with amendments 35-4.

CCR HB2446 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 115-2.

**Traffic: License Plates: Specialty**

[HB2473](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Specialty plate for Alzheimer's Disease Awareness.

HB2473; Sub HB2473; CCR Sub HB

Sub HB2473 passed House 125-0. Passed Senate with amendments 39-0.

HB2527

HB2526 is exempt: No hearing.

CCR HB2473 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0.

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**Traffic: License Plates; Military Decals**

[HB2473](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

Awaiting Action by Gover

Statute Book

7/1/2016

Allows military decals to be applied to and displayed on veterans related license plates.

HB2473; Sub HB2473; CCR Sub HB2527

Sub HB2473 passed House 125-0. Passed Senate with amendments 39-0. HB2526 is exempt: No hearing. CCR HB2473 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0.

**Traffic: Registration**

[SB373](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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Prohibiting registration of vehicles with lien for unpaid tolls. Unpaid toll may be paid to county treasurer at time of registration. County treasurer retains 15% of collected fee.

HB2605; CCR SB373

HB2605 passed House 63-54. Hearing held in Senate but no further action.

**Traffic: Travel Trailer Titles**

[HB2563](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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Creates nonhighway or salvage titles for travel trailers. Currently travel trailers coming into Kansas with nonhighway or salvage titles from another state are not allowed to be issued such titles and receive a full title. This is being used to "wash" out of state titles and misrepresent damaged trailers.

SB405; HB2563

SB405 Passed Senate 40-0. SB405 stricken from House Calendar. Conference Committee placed this topic into HB2563. HB2563 conference committee report passed Senate 40-0 CCR passed House 102-8.

**Traffic: Wrecker Services: County Clerks**

[HB2473](#)

[CCR Brief](#)

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Repeals requirement for wrecker services to file notices, publications, and affidavits with county clerks. (KSA 8-1107)

SB382; CCR Sub HB2473

SB382 passed Senate 40-0. SB382 was stricken from House Calendar. Conference committee placed into HB2473. CCR HB2473 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0.

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**Traffic: Wrecker Services; Towing from Private Property**

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Amends law regarding a city ordinance or county resolution authorizing the towing of vehicles and specifying the requirements for such ordinance or resolution to state such ordinance or resolution would apply to the towing of vehicles only from private property.

SB382; CCR Sub HB2473

House committee added this to SB382.  
 SB382 was stricken from House Calendar.  
 Conference committee placed into Sub HB2473  
 CCR HB2473 passed Senate 40-0; passed House 117-0.

**Work Comp: Electronic Claim Filing**

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Allows for an electronic claim filing system to be implemented. Also makes changes to the administration of the System. The bill also would broaden an exception to the open records exemptions to include state agency access for the purposes of child support enforcement.

HB2617; CCR HB2617

HB2617 passed House 115-5; passed Senate with amendments 40-0.  
 Conference committee further amended the bill.  
 CCR passed Senate 39-0; passed House 113-0.

The conference committee removed the provisions on chemical testing samples and on partial disabilities the Senate had added to the bill.

**Work Comp: Technical amendment**

[HB2285](#)

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Corrects wrong statute reference.

S Sub HB2285

S. Sub for HB2285 passed Senate 40-0. House concurred with Senate amendments 1119-0.

Corrects incorrect statute reference in Subsection (a)(12)(B)(iii)

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