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## **M**EMORANDUM

To: Chairman Longbine and the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance

From: Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date: February 29, 2024

Subject: HB 2530, Removing automobile club from the definition of person for purposes of

enforcing violations of insurance law.

HB 2530 amends K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 40-2,125 by removing automobile club from the definition of person for purposes of enforcing violations of insurance law.

During the 2023 session, the Legislature amended the definition of "person," to add any legal entity under the jurisdiction of the commissioner, making all such entities subject to penalty for violations of insurance law.

HB 2530 removes automobile club from the definition of person, removing it from the list of entities subject to penalty for violations of insurance law. Upon request by the Insurance Department, the House Committee on Insurance amended the bill to remove the listing of all specific entities subject to the jurisdiction of the commissioner.

HB 2530 passed the House Committee of the Whole on a vote of 118 to 2 on February 9,, 2024.