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MEMORANDUM

To: Chairperson Estes
Members of the House Committee on Education

From: The Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date: February 4, 2026

Subject: HB 2488 – Requiring the University of Kansas School of Medicine to use a grading system with at least four designations for all coursework.

House Bill No. 2488 (HB 2488) would enact new law regarding the grading system used by the University of Kansas School of Medicine. Under the bill, the School must use a grading system based on an assignment of a letter grade from A to F or some other tiered system with at least four designations. Grading systems that are based on pass/fail would not be permitted.

If enacted, HB 2488 would become effective on July 1, 2026.

House Education Committee
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