

## **Substitute for HOUSE BILL No. 2396**

By Committee on Health and Human Services

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9 AN ACT concerning all colleges and universities; relating to students  
10 residing in student housing; requiring policies regarding vaccination  
11 for meningitis.

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13 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

14 Section 1. (a) Beginning with the first academic term commencing  
15 after July 1, 2007, and for each academic term thereafter, each college  
16 and university shall have in place policies and procedures requiring that  
17 all incoming students residing in student housing be vaccinated for men-  
18 ingitis. Such policies shall include appropriate waiver procedures for those  
19 who refuse to take the vaccine.

20 (b) Nothing in this section shall require or be construed to require  
21 any college or university to provide or to pay for any vaccination against  
22 meningitis.

23 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
24 publication in the statute book.