

House Concurrent Resolution No. 5028

By Committee on Environment
(By request of Select Joint Committee on Energy)

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10 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION encouraging the Kansas Turnpike
11 Authority to include in its contracts with operators of turnpike service
12 areas a requirement that fuels containing ethanol and biodiesel be
13 offered for sale at the service areas.

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15 WHEREAS, The Kansas Turnpike Authority operates and maintains
16 one of the state's most traveled highways; and

17 WHEREAS, The state of Kansas is one of the leading producers of
18 agricultural products used in the production of ethanol and biodiesel; and

19 WHEREAS, The state of Kansas has been and continues to provide
20 incentives in the production of ethanol; and

21 WHEREAS, The use of ethanol blended fuels and biodiesel blended
22 fuels provides substantial benefits by reducing the United States reliance
23 upon foreign oil and providing environmental benefits: Now, therefore,

24 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas,*
25 *the Senate concurring therein:* That the Kansas Turnpike Authority be
26 encouraged to include in its contracts with operators of turnpike service
27 areas a requirement that fuels containing ethanol and biodiesel be offered
28 for sale at the service areas on the turnpike; and

29 *Be it further resolved:* That the Secretary of State provide an enrolled
30 copy of this resolution to the members of the Kansas Turnpike Authority.