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## Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1602

By Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance

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12 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the appointment of a task  
13 force to study the licensing and appointment process for insurance  
14 agents.

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16 WHEREAS, The Kansas State Legislature created the Kansas Insur-  
17 ance Department in 1871; and

18 WHEREAS, The Kansas Insurance Department has established an  
19 agent licensing and appointment process; and

20 WHEREAS, Federal law may soon supersede current Kansas law re-  
21 quiring the Kansas Insurance Department to change the current agent  
22 licensing and appointment process; and

23 WHEREAS, The Kansas Insurance Department may need to request  
24 legislative changes to the Kansas Insurance Laws to be compliant: Now,  
25 therefore,

26 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas, the House of Rep-*  
27 *resentatives concurring therein:* That a task force be formed consisting  
28 of ~~14~~ **17** members to include the chair, vice-chair and ranking minority  
29 of the senate committee on financial institutions and insurance; the chair,  
30 vice-chair and ranking minority of the house committee on insurance, the  
31 insurance commissioner or the commissioner's designee, **one person**  
32 **representing a health insurance plan appointed by the insurance**  
33 **commissioner from a list submitted by the Kansas association of**  
34 **health plans**, one person representing a domestic property and casualty  
35 insurance company appointed by the insurance commissioner from a list  
36 submitted by the Kansas Association of Property and Casualty Insurance  
37 Companies, **one person representing a domestic life or health insur-**  
38 **ance company appointed by the insurance commissioner from a list**  
39 **submitted by the Kansas life and health insurance association**, one  
40 person representing foreign stock insurance companies appointed by the  
41 insurance commissioner from a list submitted by the American Insurance  
42 Association, one person representing foreign insurance companies ap-  
43 pointed by the insurance commissioner from a list submitted by the Prop-

1 erty Casualty Insurance Association of America, one person representing  
2 a property and casualty insurance company appointed by the insurance  
3 commissioner from a list submitted by the National Association of Mutual  
4 Insurance Companies, **one person representing a life insurance com-**  
5 **pany appointed by the insurance commissioner from a list submit-**  
6 **ted by the American council of life insurers**, one member representing  
7 Kansas insurance agents appointed by the insurance commissioner from  
8 a list submitted by the Kansas Association of Insurance and Financial  
9 Advisors and two members representing the licensed Kansas insurance  
10 agents appointed by the insurance commissioner from a list submitted by  
11 the Kansas Association of Insurance Agents. The commissioner shall ap-  
12 point the chairperson and the vice-chairperson from the membership of  
13 the committee. The chairperson and the vice-chairperson shall not be of  
14 the same political party. Legislative members serving on the task force  
15 shall receive pay and allowances as provided for legislative service. ~~No~~  
16 ~~other~~ ~~Other~~ task force members shall receive any compensation, subsis-  
17 ~~tence, mileage or other allowances~~ **be paid subsistence allowances and**  
18 **mileage as provided in K.S.A. 75-3223, and amendments thereto,**  
19 **[No other task force members shall receive any compensation, sub-**  
20 **sistence, mileage or other allowances]** for serving on the task force or  
21 attending any meeting thereof.

22 *Be it further resolved:* That the task force shall be charged to recom-  
23 mend changes to the Kansas uniform agents licensing act by a majority  
24 vote if the task force finds any changes to be necessary.

25 *Be it further resolved:* That the task force shall be staffed by the  
26 appropriate members of the legislative research department and the of-  
27 fice of the revisor of statutes.

28 *Be it further resolved:* That the task force shall submit a final report  
29 to the president of the senate, the speaker of the house and the commis-  
30 sioner of insurance by January 1, 2006.