

## HOUSE BILL No. 2477

By Committee on Education

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9 AN ACT concerning education; relating to the 2010 commission; amend-  
10 ing K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 46-3401 and repealing the existing section.

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

13 Section 1. K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 46-3401 is hereby amended to read as  
14 follows: 46-3401. (a) There is hereby established the 2010 commission.  
15 The commission shall be composed of 11 members as follows:

16 (1) One member appointed by the speaker of the house of  
17 representatives;

18 (2) one member appointed by the president of the senate;

19 (3) one member appointed by the minority leader of the house of  
20 representatives;

21 (4) one member appointed by the minority leader of the senate;

22 (5) the chairperson of the house education committee;

23 (6) the chairperson of the senate education committee;

24 (7) one member appointed jointly by the speaker of the house of  
25 representatives, the minority leader of the house of representatives, the  
26 president of the senate and the minority leader of the senate;

27 (8) two members appointed by the governor, of which one shall be a  
28 person licensed by the state board of education;

29 (9) the legislative post auditor, or the designee thereof; and

30 (10) the attorney general, or the designee thereof.

31 The legislative post auditor and the attorney general shall serve ex of-  
32 ficio and shall be nonvoting members of the commission.

33 (b) Except as specifically provided in paragraphs (5) and (6) of sub-  
34 section (a), nothing in this section shall be construed as requiring the  
35 appointment of legislators to the commission. Of the members of the  
36 commission, one member shall be from the professional and business  
37 sector who is recognized for leadership and expertise in such person's  
38 field and one member shall be a certified public accountant who is rec-  
39 ognized for expertise in the area of school district financial operations and  
40 who regularly conducts or has regularly conducted audits of school  
41 districts.

42 (c) A member appointed by the speaker or minority leader of the  
43 house of representatives, one of the members appointed by the governor

1 and the member appointed pursuant to paragraph (7) of subsection (a)  
2 shall serve for terms of two years and until a successor is appointed and  
3 qualified. A member appointed by the president or minority leader of the  
4 senate and one member appointed by the governor shall serve for terms  
5 of four years and until a successor is appointed and qualified. Terms of  
6 members of the legislature appointed to the commission shall expire at  
7 the expiration of the legislative term for which such legislator was elected.  
8 Except for vacancies created by the expiration of a legislative term, a  
9 vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired term by appointment in the  
10 manner prescribed by this section for the original appointment.

11 (d) Members of the commission attending regular or special meetings  
12 or subcommittee meetings authorized by the commission, shall be paid  
13 amounts for expenses, mileage and subsistence as provided in subsection  
14 (e) of K.S.A. 75-3223, and amendments thereto. Expenses for the com-  
15 mission shall be part of the budget of the legislative coordinating council  
16 and shall be subject to the council's approval.

17 (e) The members of the commission annually shall select a chairper-  
18 son and vice-chairperson from the membership of the commission.

19 (f) The commission may meet at any time and at any place within the  
20 state on the call of the chairperson. A quorum of the commission shall  
21 be six voting members. All actions of the commission shall be by motion  
22 adopted by a majority of those voting members present when there is a  
23 quorum.

24 (g) In accordance with K.S.A. 46-1204, and amendments thereto, the  
25 legislative coordinating council may provide for such professional services  
26 as may be requested by the commission.

27 (h) The staff of the office of the revisor of statutes, the legislative  
28 research department and the division of legislative administrative services  
29 shall provide such assistance as may be requested by the commission.  
30 Upon request of the commission, the state board of education and the  
31 center for innovative school leadership established pursuant to K.S.A.  
32 2009 Supp. 76-767, and amendments thereto, shall provide consultants  
33 and assistance when requested by the commission. In addition and upon  
34 the request of the commission, the state board of education and school  
35 districts shall provide any information and supporting documentation re-  
36 lated thereto.

37 ~~(i) The commission shall cease to exist on December 31, 2010.~~

38 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 46-3401 is hereby repealed.

39 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
40 publication in the statute book.