

As Amended by House Committee

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House Concurrent Resolution No. 5026

By Committee on Vision 2020

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10 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION requesting the Kansas supreme
11 court, in cooperation with the judicial council, to make a survey and
12 study of the Kansas court system; authorizing appointment of an ad-
13 visory committee; providing and requiring a report thereon to the ju-
14 diciary and the legislature.

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16 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas,*
17 *the Senate concurring therein:* That the Kansas legislature is hereby re-
18 questing the Kansas supreme court, in cooperation with the judicial coun-
19 cil, to make a survey and study of the Kansas court system including
20 municipal courts;

21 *Be it further resolved:* That such study and survey shall include: (1)
22 Unification and restructuring of the courts; ~~(2) administrative supervision~~
23 ~~of the courts; (3) selection, tenure, compensation and retirement of~~
24 ~~judges and court personnel; (4) appellate review; (5) financing of courts;~~
25 ~~and (6), including judicial districts; (2) workload of judicial and non-~~
26 ~~judicial personnel; (3) court record retention; (4) centralized court~~
27 ~~data network; (5) use of video conferencing and other methods for~~
28 ~~court hearings; (6) jurisdiction, qualifications and compensation of~~
29 ~~district magistrate judges; and (7) such other areas assigned to it by~~
30 the chief justice;

31 *Be it further resolved:* That the chief justice shall report to the judiciary
32 and the 2011 legislature on the study and survey;

33 *Be it further resolved:* That the supreme court may appoint a judicial
34 study advisory committee to assist in conducting the judicial study and
35 survey and to make recommendations to the judiciary and the legislature;

36 *Be it further resolved:* That the judicial study advisory committee shall
37 be considered a regular committee of the judicial council for the purpose
38 of receiving per diem allowances;

39 *Be it further resolved:* That the Secretary of State be directed to send
40 an enrolled copy of this resolution to the Chief Justice of the Kansas
41 Supreme Court.