### MINUTES OF THE SENATE FEDERAL AND STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Pete Brungardt at 10:30 a.m. on March 19, 2008 in Room 526-S of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present:

Kathie Sparks, Kansas Legislative Research Department Dennis Hodgins, Kansas Legislative Research Department Melissa Doeblin, Revisor of Statutes Office Theresa Kiernan, Revisor of Statutes Office Connie Burns, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Others attending:

See attached list.

## Final Action:

## SB 622 - Cereal malt beverages; alcohol content, by ABC, retailers authorized to sale, taxation.

A balloon was provided with requested changes by ABC and the retailers: (Attachment 1)

- Change to 4% from 5% alcohol by weight
- Page 40 and 41 pertain to application, licensees, and proceedings or suspensions
- page 43 pertains to inspections
- page 46 pertains to tax
- Pages 77, 78, and 79 pertains to permit holders, distributors, and tax

The Chairman asked the pleasure of the committee on the bill and with no motion to move the matter was set aside.

## **Introduction of Bill**:

Senator Brownlee requested a bill introduction regarding the state to back the private activity bonds for the intermodal in Gardner, Kansas.

Senator Brownlee moved that this request should be introduced as a committee bill. Senator Barnett seconded the motion. The motion carried.

## Final Action:

## SB 544 - Fireless cigarettes; distribution and sale of

Pat Broxtimer, Assistant Attorney General, provided a balloon with recommended changes: (Attachment 2)

- Page 1, amended definition of cigarettes and "vending machine operator" has been added throughout the bill
- page 2 and 3 technical change
- page 4 change the sell off period July 1, 2010 and section (d) was deleted to make the bill precise
- page 5 identification of manufacturers for cigarette for sale within the state
- page 6, delete section 5, and the markings "FSC" signifies fire standards compliant permanently printed, stamped, engraved or embossed on the package at or near the UPC code
- page 9,the New York statement was removed
- The AG's office is in charge of ensuring that non fire safe cigarettes will not be sold or offered for sale to persons in Kansas

The committee questioned using the date of January 1, 2008, to be compliant instead of July 1, 2008.

Senator Brownlee moved to strike section 13 (a) on page 9. Senator Reitz seconded the motion. The motion

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## CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee at 10:30 a.m. on March 19, 2008 in Room 526-S of the Capitol.

# carried.

Senator Reitz moved to pass **SB 544** out favorably as amended. Senator Brownlee seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 am. The next scheduled meeting is March 20, 2008.

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## SENATE BILL No. 622

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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AN ACT concerning alcoholic beverage; relating to the regulation 10 thereof; amending K.S.A. 41-102, 41-210, 41-211, 41-304, 41-307, 41-11 308, 41-601, 41-602, 41-701, 41-708, 41-717, 41-718, 41-724, 41-725, 12 41-726, 41-729, 41-806, 41-901, 41-905, 41-1001, 41-1002, 41-1004, 13 41-1101, 41-1102, 41-1122, 41-1123, 41-1125, 41-2604, 41-2610, 41-14 2614, 41-2632, 41-2637, 41-2641, 41-2642, 41-2643, 41-2705, 41-2706, 41-2707, 41-2709, 41-2722, 41-2726, 79-4101, 79-4102, 79-4103, 79-15 16 4104, 79-41a01, 79-41a02, 79-41a04, 79-41a06, 79-41a07 and 79-41a08 17 and K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-104, 41-209, 41-308b, 41-712, 41-805, 41-18 2611, 41-2645, 41-2701, 41-2704, 41-2728, 79-3606 and 79-41a03 and 19 repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 41-103 and 41-2712 and K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2702, 41-2703 and 41-2708. 20 21

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 41-102 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-102. As used in this the Kansas liquor control act, unless the context clearly requires otherwise:

- (a) "Alcohol" means the product of distillation of any fermented liquid, whether rectified or diluted, whatever its origin, and includes synthetic ethyl alcohol but does not include denatured alcohol or wood alcohol.
- (b) "Alcoholic liquor" means alcohol, spirits, wine, beer and every liquid or solid, patented or not, containing alcohol, spirits, wine or beer and capable of being consumed as a beverage by a human being, but shall not include any cereal malt beverage.
- (c) "Beer" means a beverage; containing more than 3.2% 5% alcohol by weight, obtained by alcoholic fermentation of an infusion or concoction of barley, or other grain, malt and hops in water and includes beer, ale, stout, lager beer, porter and similar beverages having such alcoholic content.
- (d) "Caterer" has the meaning provided by K.S.A. 41-2601, and amendments thereto.
- (e) "Cereal malt beverage" has the meaning provided by K.S.A. 41-2701, and amendments thereto.
  - (f) "Club" has the meaning provided by K.S.A. 41-2601, and amend-

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- (f) A microbrewery license or microbrewery packaging and warehousing facility license shall apply only to the premises described in the application and in the license issued and only one location shall be described in the license.
  - (g) No microbrewery shall:

(1) Employ any person under the age of 18 years in connection with the manufacture, sale or serving of any alcoholic liquor, cereal malt beverage or domestic beer;

(2) permit any employee of the licensee who is under the age of 21 years to work on the licensed premises at any time when not under the on-premises supervision of either the licensee or an employee of the licensee who is 21 years of age or over;

- (3) employ any person under 21 years of age in connection with mixing or dispensing alcoholic liquor, cereal malt beverage or domestic beer; or
- (4) employ any person in connection with the manufacture or sale of alcoholic liquor, *cereal malt beverage or domestic beer* if the person has been convicted of a felony.
- (h) Whenever a microbrewery licensee is convicted of a violation of the Kansas liquor control act, the director may revoke the licensee's license and all fees paid for the license in accordance with the Kansas administrative procedure act.
- Sec. 10. K.S.A. 41-601 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-601. Every manufacturer, distributor, or microbrewery which sells any beer or cereal malt beverage to a beer distributor at wholesale and farm winery which sells any wine to a distributor at wholesale shall between the 1st and 15th day of each calendar month, make return under oath to the director of all alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage manufactured and sold by the manufacturer, distributor, microbrewery or farm winery in the course of business during the preceding calendar month. In the case of a distributor, the return shall also show: (a) The total amount of alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage, purchased by the distributor during the preceding calendar month, the names of the distillers or distributors from whom purchased, the quantity of each brand and the price paid therefor; and (b) the names and locations of the liquor retailers and cereal malt beverage retailers to whom alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage was sold by the distributor during the preceding calendar month, the quantity of each brand and the price charged therefor. The return shall be made upon forms prescribed and furnished by the director and shall contain such other information as the director reasonably requires.
- Sec. 11. K.S.A. 41-602 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-602. It is the duty of each manufacturer, distributor, microbrewery which sells any *demostic* beer to a beer distributor and farm winery which sells any

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(d) Temporary permits shall specify the premises for which they are issued and shall be issued only for premises where the city, county or township zoning code allows use for which the permit is issued. No temporary permit shall be issued for premises which are not located in a county where the qualified electors of the county:

(1) (A) Approved, by a majority vote of those voting thereon, to adopt the proposition amending section 10 of article 15 of the constitution of the state of Kansas at the general election in November, 1986; or (B) have approved a proposition to allow the sale of liquor by the individual drink in public places within the county at an election pursuant to K.S.A. 41-2646, and amendments thereto; and

(2) have not approved a proposition to prohibit such sales of alcoholic liquor in such places at a subsequent election pursuant to K.S.A. 41-2646, and amendments thereto.

- (e) A temporary permit shall be issued for a period of time not to exceed three consecutive days, the dates and hours of which shall be specified in the permit, except that the director may issue one temporary permit, valid for the entire period of time of the Kansas state fair, which authorizes the sale and serving by the drink of only wine, cereal malt beverage or beer, or both all such beverages, on the state fairgrounds on premises specified in the temporary permit, by a person who has entered into an agreement with the state fair board for that purpose. Not more than four temporary permits may be issued to any one applicant in a calendar year.
- (f) All proceeds from an event for which a temporary permit is issued shall be used only for the purposes stated in the application for such permit.

(g) A temporary permit shall not be transferable or assignable.

(h) The director may refuse to issue a temporary permit to any person or organization which has violated any provision of the Kansas liquor control act, the *club and* drinking establishment act, the Kansas cereal malt beverage act or K.S.A. 79-41a01 et seq., and amendments thereto.

Sec. 43. K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2701 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-2701. As used in this act unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) (1) "Cereal malt beverage" means any fermented but undistilled liquor brewed or made from malt or from a mixture of malt or malt substitute or any flavored malt beverage, as defined in K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2729, and amendments thereto, but does not include.
- (2) "Cereal malt beverage" does not mean any such liquor which is more than 3.2% 5% alcohol by weight.
- (b) "Director" means the director of alcoholic beverage control of the department of revenue.
  - (c) "Manufacturer" means a manufacturer as defined by K.S.A. 41-

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102, and amendments thereto.

- (d) "Person" means any individual, firm, partnership, corporation or association.
- (e) "Retailer" "Cereal malt beverage retailer" means any person who sells or offers for sale any cereal malt beverage for use or consumption and not for resale in any form.
- (f) "Place of business" means any place at which cereal malt beverages are sold.
- (g) "Distributor" means a beer distributor licensed pursuant to the Kansas liquor control act.
- (h) "Legal age for consumption of cereal malt beverage" means 21 years of age, except that "legal age for consumption of cereal malt beverage" shall mean 18 years of age if at any time the provisions of P.L. 98-363 penalizing states for permitting persons under 21 years of age to consume cereal malt beverage are repealed or otherwise invalidated or nullified.
- New Sec. 44. (a) No cereal malt beverage retailer shall sell any cereal malt beverage without having secured from the director a license for each place of business to be licensed.
- (b) No cereal malt beverage retailer's license shall be issued to an individual:
  - (1) Who is not a resident of this state;
- (2) who has not been a resident of this state for at least four years immediately preceding the date of application;
- (3) who has not been a citizen of the United States for at least 10 years, except that the spouse of a deceased licensee may receive and renew a cereal malt beverage retailer's license notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection (b)(3), if such spouse is otherwise qualified to hold a cereal malt beverage retailer's license and is a United States citizen or becomes a United States citizen within one year after the deceased licensee's death;
- (4) who has beneficial interest in the manufacture, preparation or wholesaling of alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverages;
- (5) who has been convicted of a felony under the laws of this state, any other state or the United States;
- (6) who has had a license revoked for cause under the provisions of the Kansas liquor control act, the Kansas cereal malt beverage act or the beer and cereal malt beverage keg registration act, or who has had any license issued under the cereal malt beverage laws of any state revoked for cause, except that a license may be issued to an individual whose license was revoked for the conviction of a misdemeanor at any time after the lapse of 10 years following the date of the revocation;
  - (7) who has been convicted of being the keeper or is keeping a house

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cereal malt beverage in the original and unopened container or to sell cereal malt beverage for consumption on the licensed premises, but no person shall be licensed both to sell cereal malt beverage in the original and unopened container and to sell cereal malt beverage for consumption on the licensed premises.

- (b) Applications for all licenses to sell cereal malt beverage shall be upon forms prescribed and furnished by the director and shall be filed with the director in duplicate. Each application shall be accompanied by a state registration fee of \$50 for each initial application and \$10 for each renewal application, to defray the cost of preparing and furnishing standard forms incident to the administration of the Kansas cereal malt beverage act and the cost of processing the application. Each application also shall be accompanied by a deposit of a certified or cashier's check of a bank within this state, United States post office money order or cash in the full amount of the license fee required to be paid for the license applied for, which license fee shall be returned to the applicant if the application is denied. All registration and license fees shall be paid into the state treasury by the director and shall be credited to the state general fund.
- (c) Each applicant for a cereal malt beverage retailer's license shall file with the application a joint and several bond on a form prescribed by the director and executed by good and sufficient corporate sureties licensed to do business within the state of Kansas to the director, in the amount of \$2,000. Such bond shall be conditioned on the licensee's compliance with the provisions of the Kansas cereal malt beverage act and payment of all taxes, fines and forfeitures which may be assessed against the licensee.
- (d) The annual fee for a cereal malt beverage retailer's license shall be \$250, which shall be paid at the time application for a license is submitted to the director. In addition to the license fee:
- (1) Any city in which the licensed premises are located shall levy and collect an annual occupation or license tax on the licensee in an amount not less than \$100 or more than \$300, but no other occupation or excise tax or license fee shall be levied by any city against or collected from the licensee; and
- (2) any township in which the licensed premises are located shall levy and collect an annual occupation or license tax on the licensee in an amount not less than \$100 or more than \$300; the township board of the township is authorized to fix and impose the tax and the tax shall be paid by the licensee to the township treasurer, who shall issue a receipt therefor to the licensee and shall cause the tax paid to be placed in the general fund of the township.
  - (e) The license year for a cereal malt beverage retailer's license shall

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commence on the date the license is issued by the director and shall end one year after that date.

(f) Any person who was licensed on the date immediately preceding the effective date of this act to sell cereal malt beverage, as such term was defined in K.S.A. 41-2701 prior to its amendment by this act, shall be deemed a licensed cereal malt beverage retailer for a period of 90 days after the effective date of this act. Thereafter, such person must be licensed by the director as provided in this act, in order to operate as a cereal malt beverage retailer.

(g) This section shall be a part of and supplemental to the Kansas cereal malt beverage act.

New Sec. 47. (a) When an application for a license to sell cereal malt beverage is filed with the director, the director shall notify the city clerk of the city or the township clerk of the township where such license is sought. Such notice shall state the date and place where a hearing will be held on such application. No such license shall be issued by the director until the expiration of at least 10 days from the time of filing such application with the director, during which period the governing body of such city or the township board of such township may make advisory recommendations relative to the director's granting or refusal to grant a license. The hearing on the application shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Kansas administrative procedure act.

(b) Within 30 days after an application for a license to sell cereal malt beverage is filed, the director shall enter an order either refusing or granting the license. If the director does not enter an order within the time prescribed, the license applied for shall be deemed to have been refused. The director, with the written consent of the applicant for a license, may delay entering an order on an application for an additional period of not to exceed 30 days.

(e) Proceedings for the suspension, revocation or refusal to grant or renew a license to sell cereal malt beverage, including the proceedings for administrative appeal and judicial review, shall be in substantial conformity with the proceedings set forth in the Kansas liquor control act for the suspension, revocation or refusal to grant or renew a liquor retailer's license.

(d) This section shall be a part of and supplemental to the Kansas cereal malt beverage act.

New Sec. 48. (a) Cereal malt beverage retailer licenses issued pursuant to the Kansas cereal malt beverage act shall apply only to the premises described in the application and in the license issued thereon, and only one location shall be so described in each license. After such license has been granted for particular premises in any city, the director, upon proper showing, may endorse upon the license permission to abandon

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county where the premises to be licensed are located, if such governing body has requested such notification

county may request the director to hold a hearing on the granting or renewal of such license

At such hearing the governing body of such city or county shall have the right to appear before the director and present testimony and evidence and make recommendations regarding the granting of such license or the renewal of such license. In determining whether to grant or to refuse to grant such license or renewal, the director shall take into consideration the testimony and evidence and recommendations of the governing body of such city or county. The director may refuse to grant such license or renewal based on the evidence gathered at such hearing.

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Sec. 51. K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2704 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-2704. (a) In addition to and consistent with the requirements of the *Kansas* cereal malt beverage act, the board of county commissioners of any county or the governing body of any city may prescribe hours of closing, standards of conduct and rules and regulations concerning the moral, sanitary and health conditions of places licensed to sell cereal malt beverage pursuant to this act the Kansas cereal malt beverage act and may establish zones within which no such place may be located.

- (b) Within any city where the days of sale at retail of cereal malt beverage in the original package have not been expanded as provided by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, or have been so expanded and subsequently restricted as provided by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, and within any township where the hours and days of sale at retail of cereal malt beverage in the original package have not been expanded as provided by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, or have been so expanded and subsequently restricted as provided by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, no cereal malt beverages may be sold:
- (1) In the original package between the hours of 11 p.m. and 9 a.m., and for consumption on the licensed premises between the hours of 12 midnight and 6 a.m.; or
- (2) on Sunday, except in a place of business which is licensed to sell cereal malt beverage for consumption on the premises, which derives not less than 30% of its gross receipts from the sale of food for consumption on the licensed premises and which is located in a county where such sales on Sunday have been authorized by resolution of the board of county commissioners of the county or in a city where such sales on Sunday have been authorized by ordinance of the governing body of the city.
- (c) Within any city where the days of sale at retail of cereal malt beverage in the original package have been expanded as provided by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, and have not been subsequently restricted as provided in K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, and within any township where the days of sale at retail of cereal malt beverage in the original package have been expanded as provided by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, and have not been subsequently restricted as provided by K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2911, and amendments thereto, no person shall sell at retail cereal malt beverage:
- (1) In the original package between the hours of 11 p.m. and 9 a.m., and for consumption on the licensed premises between the hours of 12 midnight and 6 a.m.;
  - (2) in the original package before 12 noon or after 8 p.m. on Sunday;

Any suspension or revocation of the license of a cereal malt beverage retailer licensed to sell cereal malt beverage in the original and unopened containers shall not cause the closure of the licensed premises.

- (c) In addition to or in lieu of any suspension or revocation of a license, and in addition to or in lieu of any other civil or criminal penalty provided by law, the director, upon a finding that a licensee under the Kansas cereal malt beverage act has violated any provision thereof, may impose on such licensee a civil fine not exceeding \$1,000 for each violation. For such purpose, the secretary shall adopt rules and regulations providing guidelines for the imposition of fines and penalties pursuant to this section. Such guidelines shall be consistent with the comparable guidelines promulgated by rules and regulations pursuant to the Kansas liquor control act.
- (d) No fine shall be imposed pursuant to this section except upon the written order of the director to the licensee who committeed the violation. Such order shall state the violation, the fine to be imposed and the right of the licensee to appeal the order. Such order shall be subject to appeal and review in the same manner as orders of the director are appealed and reviewed under the Kansas liquor control act.
- (e) Any fine imposed pursuant to this section shall be paid to the state treasurer, who shall deposit the same in the state treasury and credit it to the state general fund.

(3) on Easter Sunday; or

(4) for consumption on the licensed premises on Sunday, except in a place of business which is licensed to sell cereal malt beverage for consumption on the *licensed* premises, which derives not less than 30% of its gross receipts from the sale of food for consumption on the licensed premises and which is located in a county where such sales on Sunday have been authorized by resolution of the board of county commissioners of the county or in a city where such sales on Sunday have been authorized by ordinance of the governing body of the city.

(d) No private rooms or closed booths shall be operated in a place of business, but this provision shall not apply if the licensed premises also are licensed as a club pursuant to the club and drinking establishment

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(e) Each place of business shall be open to the public and to law enforcement officers at all times during business hours, except that a premises licensed as a club pursuant to the club and drinking establishment act shall be open to law enforcement officers and not to the public I

(f) Except as otherwise provided by this subsection, no licensee shall permit a person under the legal age for consumption of cereal malt beverage to consume or purchase any cereal malt beverage in or about a place of business. A licensee's employee who is not less than 18 years of age may dispense or sell cereal malt beverage, if:

(1) The licensee's place of business is licensed only to sell at retail cereal malt beverage in the original package and not for consumption on

the premises; or

(2) the licensee's place of business is a licensed food service establishment, as defined by K.S.A. 36-501, and amendments thereto, and not less than 50% of the gross receipts from the licensee's place of business is derived from the sale of food for consumption on the premises of the licensed place of business.

(g) No person shall have any alcoholic liquor in such person's possession while in a place of business, unless the premises are currently licensed as a club or drinking establishment pursuant to the club and

drinking establishment act.

(h) Cereal malt beverages may be sold on premises which are licensed pursuant to both the cereal malt beverage act and the club and drinking establishment act at any time when alcoholic liquor is allowed by law to be served on the premises.

Sec. 52. K.S.A. 41-2705 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-2705. (a) Except to the *same* extent permitted a liquor retailer pursuant to K.S.A. 41-703, and amendments thereto, no cereal malt beverage retailer, or any officer, associate, member, representative or agent thereof, shall accept, receive or borrow money or anything else of value, or accept

, except a place of business licensed as a club pursuant to the club and drinking establishment act,

The right of immediate entry to and inspection of any licensed premises by any duly authorized officer or agent of the director, or by any law enforcement officer, shall be a condition on which every license is issued, and the application for, and acceptance of, any license shall conclusively be deemed to be the consent of the applicant and licensee to such immediate entry and inspection. Such right of immediate entry and inspection shall be at any time when the premises are occupied and is not limited to hours when the licensed premises are open for business. Such consent shall not be revocable during the term of the license. Refusal of such entry shall be grounds for revocation of the license.

et seq. and amendments thereto the Kansas cereal malt beverage act to sell cereal malt beverage in original and unopened containers and not for consumption on the licensed premises shall sell or offer for sale any cereal malt beverage at a price that is less than the acquisition cost of such cereal malt beverage to the licensee.

- (b) Violation of this section is a misdemeanor punishable as provided by K.S.A. 41-2711, and amendments thereto.
- (c) Violation of this section shall be grounds for suspension or revocation of the *cereal malt beverage* retailer's license as provided by K.S.A. 41-2708 section 50, and amendments thereto.
- Sec. 58. K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 41-2728 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-2728. From and after November 15, 2005: (a) K.S.A. 41-2701 through 41-2727 and section 14, and amendments thereto, shall be known and may be cited as the Kansas cereal malt beverage act.
- (b) Except as specifically provided in the Kansas cereal malt beverage act, the power to regulate all phases of the manufacture, distribution, sale, possession, transportation and traffic in cereal malt beverages is vested exclusively in the state and shall be exercised as provided in the Kansas cereal malt beverage act. No city or county shall enact any ordinance or resolution which is in conflict with the provisions of the Kansas cereal malt beverage act and any such ordinance or resolution shall be null and void.
- (c) The provisions of this act are severable. If any provision of this act is held to be invalid or unconstitutional, it shall be presumed conclusively that the legislature would have enacted the remainder of this act without such invalid or unconstitutional provision.
- Sec. 59. K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 79-3606 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-3606. The following shall be exempt from the tax imposed by this act:
- (a) All sales of motor-vehicle fuel, cereal malt beverages, which are subject to taxation under K.S.A. 79-4101 et seq., and amendments thereto or other articles upon which a sales or excise tax has been paid, not subject to refund, under the laws of this state except cigarettes as defined by K.S.A. 79-3301 and amendments thereto, ecreal malt beverages and malt products as defined by K.S.A. 79-3817 41-501 and amendments thereto, including wort, liquid malt, malt syrup and malt extract, which is not subject to taxation under the provisions of K.S.A. 79-41a02 and amendments thereto, motor vehicles taxed pursuant to K.S.A. 79-5117, and amendments thereto, tires taxed pursuant to K.S.A. 65-3424d, and amendments thereto, drycleaning and laundry services taxed pursuant to K.S.A. 65-34,150, and amendments thereto, and gross receipts from regulated sports contests taxed pursuant to the Kansas professional regulated sports act, and amendments thereto;

, or subject to taxation under K.S.A. 79-41a01 et seq., and amendments thereto

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contractor or any agent, employee or subcontractor thereof, who shall use or otherwise dispose of any materials purchased under such a certificate for any purpose other than that for which such a certificate is issued without the payment of the sales or compensating tax otherwise imposed upon such materials, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction therefor, shall be subject to the penalties provided for in subsection (g) of K.S.A. 79-3615, and amendments thereto;

(zzz) all sales of tangible personal property purchased by the rotary club of shawnee foundation which is exempt from federal income taxation pursuant to section 501 (c)(3) of the federal internal revenue code of 1986, as amended, used for the purpose of providing contributions to community service organizations and scholarships; and

(aaaa) all sales of personal property and services purchased by or on behalf of victory in the valley, inc., which is exempt from federal income taxation pursuant to section 501 (c)(3) of the federal internal revenue code, for the purpose of providing a cancer support group and services for persons with cancer, and all sales of any such property by or on behalf of any such organization for any such purpose.

Sec. 60. K.S.A. 79-4101 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-4101. (a) For the purpose of providing revenue which may be used by the state, counties and cities in the enforcement of the provisions of this act, from and after the effective date of this act, for the privilege of engaging in the business of selling alcoholic liquor by liquor retailers or farm wineries to consumers in this state, selling cereal malt beverage by liquor retailers or sereal malt beverage retailers to consumers in this state of selling alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage by distributors to clubs, drinking establishments or caterers in this state, there is hereby levied and there shall be collected and paid a tax at the rate of 8% upon the gross receipts received from: (1) The sale of alcoholic liquor by liquor retailers, microbreweries or farm wineries to consumers within this state; and (2) the sale of cereal malt beverage by liquor retailers and cereal malt beverage retailers to consumers in this state; and (3) the sale of alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage by distributors to clubs, drinking establishments or caterers in this state.

(b) The tax imposed by this section shall be in addition to the license fee imposed on distributors, liquor retailers, microbreweries and farm wineries by K.S.A. 41-310, and amendments thereto, and in addition to the license fee imposed on cereal malt beverage retailers by section 46, and amendments thereto.

Sec. 61. K.S.A. 79-4102 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-4102. The tax levied under K.S.A. 79-4101, and amendments thereto, shall be paid by the consumer or user to the *liquor retailer*, *cereal malt beverage* retailer, microbrewery or farm winery or by the club, drinking

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the sale of alcoholic liquor to temporary permit holders by liquor retailers; (4) the sale of cereal malt beverage to consumers in this state by cereal malt beverage retailers licensed to sell cereal malt beverage in the original and unopened containers; (5) the sale of cereal malt beverage by distributors to cereal malt beverage retailers licensed to sell cereal malt beverage for consumption on the licensed premises; and (6)

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establishment or caterer to the distributor. It shall be the duty of each liquor retailer, cereal malt beverage retailer, microbrewery, farm winery or distributor in this state to collect from the purchaser the full amount of the tax imposed by this act, or an amount equal as nearly as possible or practicable, to the average equivalent thereof.

Sec. 62. K.S.A. 79-4103 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-4103. On or before the 25th day of each calendar month, every person engaged in the business of selling alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage at retail, every microbrewery selling beer to consumers, every farm winery selling wine to consumers in this state and every distributor selling alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage to clubs, drinking establishments or caterers in this state during the preceding calendar month shall make a return to the director of taxation upon forms prescribed and furnished by the director, stating: (a) The name and address of the seller; (b) the total amount of gross sales subject to the tax imposed by K.S.A. 79-4101, and amendments thereto, during the preceding calendar month; and (c) any other pertinent information the director requires. The person making the return shall, at the time of making the return, pay to the director of taxation the amount of tax imposed by K.S.A. 79-4101, and amendments thereto. The director of taxation may extend the time for making returns and paying the tax for any period not to exceed 60 days, under rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of revenue.

Sec. 63. K.S.A. 79-4104 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-4104. Whenever the director of alcoholic beverage control issues a liquor retailer's, cereal malt beverage retailer's, distributor's, microbrewery or farm winery license, the director of alcoholic beverage control shall promptly notify the director of taxation of its issuance. The notice shall include the name of the licensee and, in the case of a liquor retailer, cereal malt beverage retailer, microbrewery or farm winery, the address of the licensed premises. Whenever the director of alcoholic beverage control revokes or suspends any liquor retailer's, cereal malt beverage retailer's, distributor's, microbrewery or farm winery license or whenever any retailer's, distributor's, microbrewery or farm winery license expires, the director of alcoholic beverage control also shall likewise notify the director of taxation.

Sec. 64. K.S.A. 79-41a01 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-41a01. As used in K.S.A. 79-41a01 through 79-41a09, and amendments thereto:

- (a) "Alcoholic liquor" means alcoholic liquor, as defined by K.S.A. 41-102, and amendments thereto, and cereal malt beverage, as defined by K.S.A. 41-2701, and amendments thereto.
- (b) "Caterer," "club," "drinking establishment" and "temporary permit" have the meanings provided by K.S.A. 41-2601, and amendments

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(c) "Cereal malt beverage retailer" means a cereal malt beverage retailer, as defined by K.S.A. 41-2701, and amendments thereto, which is licensed under the Kansas cereal malt beverage act to sell cereal malt beverage for consumption on the licensed premises.

(e) (d) "Gross receipts derived from the sale of alcoholic liquor" means the amount charged the consumer for a drink containing alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage, including any portion of that amount attributable to the cost of any ingredient mixed with or added to the alcoholic liquor contained in such drink.

Sec. 65. K.S.A. 79-41a02 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-41a02. (a) There is hereby imposed, for the privilege of selling alcoholic liquor, a tax at the rate of 10% upon the gross receipts derived from the sale of alcoholic liquor by any cereal malt beverage retailer club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder.

(b) The tax imposed by this section shall be paid by the consumer to the *cereal malt beverage retailer*, club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder and it shall be the duty of each and every *cereal malt beverage retailer*, club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder subject to this section to collect from the consumer the full amount of such tax, or an amount equal as nearly as possible or practicable to the average equivalent thereto. Each *cereal malt beverage retailer*, club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder collecting the tax imposed hereunder shall be responsible for paying over the same to the state department of revenue in the manner prescribed by K.S.A. 79-41a03, and amendments thereto, and the state department of revenue shall administer and enforce the collection of such tax.

Sec. 66. K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 79-41a03 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-41a03. (a) The tax levied and collected pursuant to K.S.A. 79-41a02, and amendments thereto, shall become due and payable by the cereal malt beverage retailer, club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder monthly, or on or before the 25th day of the month immediately succeeding the month in which it is collected, but any cereal malt beverage retailer, club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder filing an annual or quarterly return under the Kansas retailers' sales tax act, as prescribed in K.S.A. 79-3607, and amendments thereto, shall, upon such conditions as the secretary of revenue may prescribe, pay the tax required by this act on the same basis and at the same time the cereal malt beverage retailer, club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder pays such retailers' sales tax. Each cereal malt beverage retailer, club, caterer, drinking establishment or temporary permit holder shall make a true report to the department of revenue, on a form prescribed by the secretary of revenue, providing or cereal malt beverage or cereal malt beverage

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Session of 2008

## SENATE BILL No. 544

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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AN ACT concerning reduced ignition propensity cigarettes. 10 11 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas: Section 1. (a) This act shall be known and may be cited as the fire 12 safety standard and firefighter protection act. 13 (b) If any provision of the fire safety standard and firefighter protec-14 tion act is held to be unconstitutional, such holding shall not affect the 15 validity of any remaining portion of the act. 16 17 Sec. 2. As used in this act: (a) "Agent" means any person authorized by the director to purchase 18 and affix stamps on packages of cigarettes. 19 (b) "Cigarette" means any roll for smoking, whether made wholly or 20 in part of tobacco or any other substance, irrespective of size or shape, and irrespective of tobacco or substance being flavored, adulterated or mixed with any other ingredient, the wrapper or cover of which is made 24 in whole or part of paper or any other substance or material, other than only leaf tobacco. 25 26 (c) "Director," "retail dealer," "sale" and "wholesale dealer" shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in K.S.A. 79-3301, and amendments 27 28 thereto. 29 (d) "Manufacturer" means: (1) Any entity which manufactures or otherwise produces cigarettes 30 or causes cigarettes to be manufactured or produced anywhere that such manufacturer intends to be sold in this state, including cigarettes intended 32 33 to be sold in the United States through an importer; (2) the first purchaser anywhere that intends to resell in the United 34 States cigarettes manufactured anywhere that the original manufacturer 35 36 or maker does not intend to be sold in the United States; or (3) any entity that becomes a successor of an entity described in par-37 38 agraph (1) or (2). (e) "Quality control and quality assurance program" means the lab-39 oratory procedures implemented to ensure that operator bias, systematic 40 and non-systematic methodological errors and equipment-related prob-41

lems do not affect the results of the testing. Such a program ensures that the testing repeatability remains within the required repeatability values if the wrapper is in greater part made of any material except

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required by section 3, and amendments thereto, for all test trials used to certify cigarettes in accordance with this act.

(f) "Repeatability" means the range of values within which the repeat results of cigarette test trials from a single laboratory will fall 95% of the time.

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- (g) "Sell" means to sell, or to offer or agree to do the same.
- Sec. 3. (a) Except as provided in subsection (\$\frac{\pmathbf{x}}{\pmathbf{x}}\$, no cigarettes may be sold or offered for sale in this state or offered for sale or sold to any person located in this state unless the cigarettes have been tested in accordance with the test method and meet the performance standard specified in this section, a written certification has been filed by the manufacturer with the state fire marshal in accordance with section 4, and amendments thereto, and the cigarettes have been marked in accordance with section 5, and amendments thereto.
- (b) (1) Testing of cigarettes shall be conducted in accordance with the American society of testing and materials (ASTM) standard E2187-04, "Standard Test Method for Measuring the Ignition Strength of Cigarettes."
- (2) Testing shall be conducted on 10 layers of filter paper.
- (3) No more than 25% of the cigarettes tested in a test trial in accordance with this section shall exhibit full-length burns. Forty replicate tests shall comprise a complete test trial for each cigarette tested.
- (4) The performance standard required by this section shall be applied only to a complete test trial.
- (5) Written certifications shall be based upon testing conducted by a laboratory that has been accredited pursuant to standard ISO/IEC 17025 of the international organization for standardization (ISO) or other comparable accreditation standard required by the state fire marshal.
- (6) Laboratories conducting testing in accordance with this section shall implement a quality control and quality assurance program that includes a procedure that will determine the repeatability of the testing results. The repeatability value shall be no greater than 0.19.
- (7) This section does not require additional testing if cigarettes are tested in a manner which is consistent with this act for any other purpose.
- (8) Testing performed or sponsored by the state fire marshal to determine a cigarette's compliance with the performance standard required shall be conducted in accordance with this section.
- (b) Each cigarette listed in a certification submitted pursuant to section 4, and amendments thereto, that uses lowered permeability bands in the cigarette paper to achieve compliance with the performance standard set forth in this section shall have at least two nominally identical bands on the paper surrounding the tobacco column. At least one complete band shall be located at least 15 millimeters from the lighting end of the cig-

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arette. For cigarettes on which the bands are positioned by design, there shall be at least two bands fully located at least 15 millimeters from the lighting end and 10 millimeters from the filter end of the tobacco column, or 10 millimeters from the labeled end of the tobacco column for nonfiltered cigarettes. (e) A manufacturer of a cigarette that the state fire marshal deter-(d) mines cannot be tested in accordance with the test method prescribed in subsection (a) shall propose a test method and performance standard for the cigarette to the state fire marshal. Upon approval of the proposed test 10 method and a determination by the state fire marshal that the performance standard proposed by the manufacturer is equivalent to the performance standard prescribed in subsection (a) (3) of this section, the 12 manufacturer may employ such test method and performance standard 13 to certify such cigarette pursuant to section 4, and amendments thereto. If the state fire marshal determines that another state has enacted re-15 duced cigarette ignition propensity standards that include a test method and performance standard that are the same as those contained in this act, and the state fire marshal finds that the officials responsible for im-19 plementing those requirements have approved the proposed alternative test method and performance standard for a particular cigarette proposed by a manufacturer as meeting the fire safety standards of that state's law or regulation under a legal provision comparable to this section, then the state fire marshal shall authorize that manufacturer to employ the alternative test method and performance standard to certify that cigarette for sale in this state, unless the state fire marshal demonstrates a reasonable 25 basis why the alternative test should not be accepted under this act. All other applicable requirements of this section shall apply to the 27 manufacturer. Each manufacturer shall maintain copies of the reports of all tests (e) conducted on all cigarettes offered for sale for a period of three years, and shall make copies of these reports available to the state fire marshal 31 and the attorney general upon written request. Any manufacturer who fails to make copies of these reports available within 60 days of receiving 34 a written request shall be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$10,000 for each day after the sixtieth day that the manufacturer does not make 36 such copies available. (e) The state fire marshal may adopt a subsequent ASTM standard 37 test method for measuring the ignition strength of cigarettes upon a finding that such subsequent method does not result in a change in the per-39 centage of full-length burns exhibited by any tested cigarette when compared to the percentage of full-length burns the same cigarette would exhibit when tested in accordance with ASTM standard E2187-04 and the performance standard in subsection (a)(3) of this section.

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The state fire marshal shall review the effectiveness of this section and report every three years to the legislature the state fire marshal's findings and, if appropriate, recommendations for legislation to improve the effectiveness of this act. The report and legislative recommendations shall be submitted no later than June 30 following the conclusion of each three-year period.

(g) The requirements of subsection (a) shall not prohibit the sale of cigarettes solely for the purpose of consumer testing. For purposes of this subsection, the term "consumer testing" means an assessment of cigarettes that is conducted by a manufacturer, or under the control and direction of a manufacturer, for the purpose of evaluating consumer acceptance of such cigarettes, utilizing only the quantity of cigarettes that is reasonably necessary for such assessment.

The provisions of this section shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2009.

Sec. 4. (a) Each manufacturer shall submit to the state fire marshal a written certification attesting that: (1) Each cigarette listed in the certification has been tested in accordance with section 3, and amendments thereto; and (2) each cigarette listed in the certification meets the performance standard set forth in section 3, and amendments thereto.

(b) Each cigarette listed in the certification shall be described with the following information:

1) Brand or trade name on the package;

(2) style, such as menthol, lights, ultra lights, low tar, kings, 100s or

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- (5) flavor, such as menthol, chocolate or other, if applicable;
- (6) filter or non-filter;

(7) package description, such as soft pack, box or other;

- 31 (8) the name, address and telephone number of the laboratory, if 32 different than the manufacturer that conducted the test; and
  - (9) the date that the testing was conducted.
  - (c) For the purpose of compliance with this section, the state fire marshal shall accept completed certifications and make the completed certifications available to the attorney general.

(d) No later than six months after the effective date of this act the attorney general shall create a directory of eigarette brand styles certified under this act, to be posted on the attorney general's website. The directory shall include the eigarette varieties, brands and styles identified under subsection (b), and shall be updated as necessary. The directory may be combined with existing directories maintained by the attorney general as practicable. Any eigarette listed on the directory shall be deemed to

(h) The requirements of subsection (a) shall not prohibit: (1) A wholesale dealer, retail dealer or vending machine operator from selling their existing inventory of cigarettes on or after July 1, 2009, if the wholesale dealer, retail dealer or vending machine operator can establish that state tax stamps were affixed to such cigarettes prior to July 1, 2009, and if the wholesale dealer, retail dealer or vending machine operator can establish that the inventory was purchased prior to July 1, 2009, in comparable quantity to the inventory purchased during the same period of time in the prior year. In no event may a wholesale dealer, retail dealer or vending machine operator sell or offer for sale a cigarette in this state that does not comply with this act after July 1, 2010; or (2)

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be in compliance with the requirements of this act.

(e) Each cigarette certified under this section shall be retested and recertified every three years. Initial cigarette certifications may be made at any time. Subsequent certifications shall be made before April 15th of the subsequent certification year.

(f) Every manufacturer shall certify eigarettes within the state and be listed on the directory before the manufacturer, a retailer, or wholesaler may legally offer a manufacturer's eigarettes for sale within the state. In order to obtain and maintain a listing on the directory, a manufacturer shall consent to the jurisdiction of the Kansas courts for the purpose of enforcement of this act and shall appoint a registered agent for service of process in this state and identify the registered agent to the secretary of state.

(g) (Each time it submits a written certification under this section, a manufacturer shall pay to the state fire marshal a fee of \$500 for each style of eigarettes listed in the certification. The fee paid shall apply to all eigarette styles, identified under subsection (b) within the brand family certified and shall include any new eigarette styles certified within the brand family during the three-year certification period. Each year, the state fire marshal may adjust the amount of such fee in order to pay the actual costs of processing, testing, enforcement and oversight activities required by this act.

(h) There is hereby established in the state treasury a separate, non-lapsing fund to be known as the fire safety standard and firefighter protection act enforcement fund which shall be administered by the state fire marshal.

(i) If a manufacturer has certified a cigarette pursuant to this section, and thereafter makes any change to such cigarette that is likely to alter its compliance with the reduced cigarette ignition propensity standards required by this act, that cigarette shall not be sold or offered for sale in this state until the manufacturer retests the cigarette in accordance with the testing standards set forth in section 3, and amendments thereto, and maintains records of that retesting as required by section 3, and amendments thereto. Any altered cigarette which does not meet the performance standard set forth in section 3, and amendments thereto, may not be sold in this state.

(j) Not later than July 31, 2009, the attorney general shall develop a directory of all certified cigarettes under this act. The directory shall be updated as necessary and shall be posted on the attorney general's website. The directory shall include the brands or trade names and styles identified under subsection (b). Any eigarette listed on the directory shall be deemed to be in compliance with the requirements of this act.

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(e) Every manufacturer shall certify cigarettes within the state before the manufacturer, retail dealer, wholesale dealer or vending machine operator legally may offer a manufacturer's cigarette for sale within the state. In order to obtain and maintain a listing on the directory created under subsection (i), a manufacturer shall consent to the jurisdiction of the Kansas courts for the purpose of enforcement of this act and shall appoint a registered agent for service of process in this state and shall identify the agent to the secretary of state.

(f) For each cigarette listed in a certification, a manufacturer shall pay to the state fire marshal a fee of \$250. The state fire marshal may adjust such fee annually, by rule and regulation, to ensure that such fee defrays the actual cost of processing, testing enforcement, administration and oversight activities required by law.

Unless a wholesale dealer, retail dealer or vending machine operator has actual knowledge that cigarettes do not comply with this act, the wholesale dealer, retail dealer or vending machine operator shall consider any cigarette listed on the directory posted on the website to be lawful to sell in this state for the purpose of compliance with this act by such wholesale dealer, retail dealer or vending machine operator.

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Sec. 5. (a) Cigarettes properly certified under this act shall be marked with the letters "FSC." The marking shall be permanently, legibly printed, in 8 point font or larger, around the area of the UPC code.

(b) A manufacturer shall apply this "FSC" marking uniformly for all packages, including, but not limited to, packs, cartons, and cases and brands marketed by that manufacturer.

(e) Manufacturers certifying eigarettes in accordance with section 4, and amendments thereto, shall provide a copy of the certifications to all wholesale dealers and agents to which they sell eigarettes, and also shall provide sufficient copies of an illustration of the package marking utilized by the manufacturer pursuant to this section for each retail dealer to which the wholesale dealers or agents sell eigarettes. Wholesale dealers and agents shall provide a copy of these package markings received from manufacturers to all retail dealers to which they sell eigarettes. Wholesale dealers, agents and retail dealers shall permit the state fire marshal, the director, the attorney general and their employees to inspect markings of eigarette packaging marked in accordance with this section.

(d) The provisions of this section shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2009.

Sec. 6. (a) A manufacturer, wholesale dealer, agent or any other person or entity who knowingly sells or offers to sell cigarettes, other than through retail sale, that are not listed on the directory as required by section 4, and amendments thereto, or are not marked in accordance with section 5, and amendments thereto, shall be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$500 for each pack of such cigarettes sold or offered for sale provided that in no case shall the penalty against any such person or entity exceed \$100,000 during any thirty-day period.

(b) A retail dealer who knowingly sells or offers to sell cigarettes that are not listed on the directory as required by section 4, and amendments thereto, or are not marked in accordance with section 5, and amendments thereto, shall be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$500 for each pack of such cigarettes sold or offered for sale, provided that in no case shall the penalty against any retail dealer exceed \$25,000 for sales or offers to sell during any thirty-day period.

(c) In addition to any penalty prescribed by law, any corporation, partnership, sole proprietor, limited partnership or association engaged in the manufacture of cigarettes that knowingly makes a false certification pursuant to section 4, and amendments thereto, shall be subject to a civil penalty of at least \$75,000 and not to exceed \$250,000 for each such false certification. All eigarettes certified by the violating manufacturer shall be removed from the directory required by section 4, and amendments thereto, and shall be considered illegal for sale in the state until such time

Cigarettes that are certified by a manufacturer in accordance with section 4, and amendments thereto, shall be marked with the letters "FSC", which signifies fire standards compliant, appearing in eight-point type or larger and permanently printed, stamped, engraved or embossed on the package at or near the UPC code. A manufacturer certifying cigarettes in accordance with section 4, and amendments thereto, shall provide a copy of the certifications to any wholesale dealer and its agents to which the manufacturer sells cigarettes. Any wholesale dealer, agent, retail dealer or vending machine operator shall permit the state fire marshal, the director, the attorney general, and employees thereof, to inspect cigarette packaging marked in accordance with this section.

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as the cigarette manufacturer has paid the civil penalty in full and the state-fire marshal has confirmed, to its satisfaction, that the manufacturer's cigarettes will comply with the performance standards required by section 3, and amendments thereto. A second violation of this subsection shall result in the violating manufacturer being prohibited from selling cigarettes to consumers within the state for a period not to exceed two years. Following the prohibition, the state-fire marshal shall again confirm, to its satisfaction, that the manufacturer's cigarettes will comply with the performance standards required by section 3, and amendments thereto.

- (d) Any person violating any other provision in this act shall be subject to a civil penalty for a first offense not to exceed \$1,000, and for a subsequent offense subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$5,000 for each such violation.
- (e) Any cigarettes that have been sold or offered for sale that do not comply with the performance standard required by section 3, and amendments thereto, shall be considered contraband and subject to forfeiture. Cigarettes forfeited pursuant to this section shall be destroyed. Prior to the destruction of any cigarette forfeited pursuant to this subsection, the true holder of the trademark rights in the cigarette brand shall be permitted to inspect the cigarette. A third violation of this subsection within two years shall constitute a knowingly false certification by the cigarette manufacturer under section 6, and amendments thereto.
- (f) In addition to any other remedy provided by law, the state fire marshal or attorney general may file an action in the district court for a violation of this act, including petitioning for injunctive relief or to recover any costs or damages suffered by the state because of a violation of this act, including enforcement costs relating to the specific violation and attorney's fees. Each violation of this act or of rules or regulations adopted under this act constitutes a separate civil violation for which the state fire marshal or attorney general may obtain relief.
- (g) Whenever any law enforcement personnel or duly authorized representative of the state fire marshal, director, or attorney general shall discover any cigarettes that have not been marked in the manner required by section 5, and amendments thereto, or are not listed on the directory as required by section 4, and amendments thereto, such personnel are hereby authorized and empowered to seize and take possession of such cigarettes with or without process or warrant. Such cigarettes shall be turned over to the division of taxation, and shall be subject to forfeiture proceedings. Cigarettes seized pursuant to this section shall be destroyed. Prior to the destruction of any cigarette seized pursuant to this subsection, the true holder of the trademark rights in the cigarette brand shall be permitted to inspect the cigarettes.

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1 (h) Any action taken pursuant to this section is subject to review in 2 accordance with the act for judicial review and civil enforcement of 3 agency actions.

(i) The provisions of this section shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2009.

Sec. 7. (a) The director, in the regular course of conducting inspections of wholesale dealers, agents and retail dealers, as authorized under the Kansas cigarette and tobacco products or other state statutes, rules, or regulations act may inspect such cigarettes to determine if the cigarettes are marked as required by section 5, and amendments thereto. If the cigarettes are not marked as required, the director may seize such contraband with or without process or warrant and shall notify the state fire marshal.

(b) The provisions of this section shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2009.

Sec. 8. (a) To enforce the provisions of this act, the attorney general, the director and the state fire marshal, their duly authorized representatives and other law enforcement personnel are hereby authorized to examine the books, papers, invoices and other records of any person in possession, control or occupancy of any premises where cigarettes are placed, stored, sold or offered for sale, as well as the stock of cigarettes on the premises. Every person in the possession, control or occupancy of any premises where cigarettes are placed, sold or offered for sale, is hereby directed and required to give the attorney general, the director and the state fire marshal, their duly authorized representatives and other law enforcement personnel the means, facilities and opportunity for the examinations authorized by this section.

(b) The provisions of this section shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2009.

Sec. 9. (a) There is hereby established in the state treasury a separate, nonlapsing fund to be known as the cigarette fire safety standard and firefighter protection act fund which shall be administered by the state fire marshal. The fund shall consist of all moneys recovered as penalties under section 6, and amendments thereto. The moneys shall be deposited to the credit of the fund and in addition to any other money made available for such purpose, shall be made available to the state entity responsible for administering the provisions of this act to support fire safety and prevention programs.

(b) The provisions of this section shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2009.

Sec. 10. (a) Nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit any person or entity from manufacturing or selling cigarettes that do not meet the requirements of section 3, and amendments thereto, if the cigarettes

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(b) The provisions of this section shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2009.

Sec. 11. Prior to July 1, 2009, the state fire marshal may promulgate rules and regulations necessary to effectuate the purposes of this act. Such rules and regulations shall not become effective until July 1, 2009. The state fire marshal, director and attorney general may take any other action deemed necessary to prepare for the implementation and enforcement of the fire safety standard and firefighter protection act.

Sec. 12. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a city or county shall not enact nor enforce any ordinance, resolution or other regulation conflicting with, or preempted by, any provision of this act or with any policy of this state expressed by this act, whether that policy be expressed by inclusion of a provision in this act or by exclusion of that subject from this act.

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Sec. 13. The provisions of this act shall become null and void if a federal reduced cigarette ignition propensity standard that preempts this act is adopted and becomes effective.

Sec. 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.

(a) This act shall be implemented in accordance with the implementation and substance of the laws of those states that have enacted reduced cigarette ignition propensity standards as of July 1, 2008.

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