

HOUSE BILL No. 2078

By Joint Committee on Information Technology

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1 AN ACT concerning information technology; relating to the information
2 technology executive council; providing for membership requirements,
3 terms of members and quorum requirements; amending K.S.A. 75-
4 7202 and repealing the existing section.

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

7 Section 1. K.S.A. 75-7202 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-
8 7202. (a) There is hereby established the information technology executive
9 council which shall be attached to the office of information technology
10 services for purposes of administrative functions.

11 (b) (1) The council shall be composed of 17 voting members as
12 follows:

13 (A) Two cabinet agency heads or such persons' designees;
14 (B) two noncabinet agency heads or such persons' designees;
15 (C) the executive chief information technology officer;
16 (D) the legislative chief information technology officer;
17 (E) the judicial chief information technology officer;
18 (F) the chief executive officer of the state board of regents or such
19 person's designee;

20 (G) one representative of cities;

21 (H) one representative of counties; the network manager of the
22 information network of Kansas (INK);

23 (I) one representative with background and knowledge in technology
24 and cybersecurity from the private sector, ~~however,~~ *except that* such
25 representative or such representative's employer shall not be an
26 information technology or cybersecurity vendor that does business with
27 the state of Kansas;

28 (J) one representative appointed by the Kansas criminal justice
29 information system committee;

30 (K) one member of the senate ~~ways and means committee~~ appointed
31 by the president of the senate or such member's designee;

32 (L) one member of the senate ~~ways and means committee~~ appointed
33 by the minority leader of the senate or such member's designee;

34 (M) one member of the house ~~government, technology and security~~
35 ~~committee or its successor committee of representatives~~ appointed by the
36 speaker of the house of representatives or such member's designee; and

1 (N) one member of the house ~~government, technology and security~~
2 ~~committee or its successor committee~~ of representatives appointed by the
3 minority leader of the house of representatives or such member's designee.

4 (2) The chief information technology architect shall be a nonvoting
5 member of the council.

6 (3) The cabinet agency heads, the noncabinet agency heads, the
7 representative of cities, the representative of counties and the
8 representative from the private sector shall be appointed by the governor
9 for a term not to exceed 18 months. Upon expiration of an appointed
10 member's term, the member shall continue to hold office until the
11 appointment of a successor. *Legislative members shall remain members of*
12 *the legislature in order to retain membership on the council and shall*
13 *serve until replaced pursuant to this section. Vacancies of members during*
14 *a term shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment only*
15 *for the unexpired part of the term. The appointing authority for a member*
16 *may remove the member, reappoint the member or substitute another*
17 *appointee for the member at any time. Nonappointed members shall serve*
18 *ex officio.*

19 (c) The chairperson of the council shall be drawn from the chief
20 information technology officers, with each chief information technology
21 officer serving a one-year term. The term of chairperson shall rotate
22 among the chief information technology officers on an annual basis.

23 (d) The council shall hold quarterly meetings and hearings in the city
24 of Topeka or at such other places as the council designates, on call of the
25 executive chief information technology officer or on request of four or
26 more members. *A quorum of the council shall be nine. All actions of the*
27 *council shall be taken by a majority of all of the members of the council.*

28 (e) Except for members specified as a designee in subsection (b),
29 members of the council may not appoint an individual to represent them
30 on the council and only members of the council may vote.

31 (f) Members of the council shall receive mileage, tolls and parking as
32 provided in K.S.A. 75-3223, and amendments thereto, for attendance at
33 any meeting of the council or any subcommittee meeting authorized by the
34 council.

35 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 75-7202 is hereby repealed.

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