

HOUSE BILL No. 2732

By Committee on Education

Requested by Representative Rhiley

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1 AN ACT concerning school districts; authorizing school districts to
2 employ chaplains or accept chaplains as volunteers to provide support,
3 services and programs for students.

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

6 Section 1. (a) The board of education of a school district may employ
7 or accept on a volunteer basis a chaplain to provide support, services and
8 programs for students as directed by the board of education, the
9 superintendent or such other administrator designated by the board.

10 (b) A chaplain employed or volunteering pursuant to this section shall
11 not be required to obtain any form of teacher license issued by the state
12 board of education. Such chaplain shall be subject to the same criminal
13 history records check as required by the board of education of such school
14 district for all other employees of the district.

15 (c) No board of education shall employ or accept on a volunteer basis
16 any person to serve as a chaplain who has been convicted of or adjudicated
17 for an offense requiring registration as a sex offender pursuant to the
18 Kansas offender registration act, K.S.A. 22-4901 et seq., and amendments
19 thereto.

20 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
21 publication in the statute book.