SENATE BILL No. 221

By Committee on Ways and Means

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AN ACT concerning corrections; amending K.S.A. 19-1930 and 75-52,103 and repealing the existing sections.

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

New Section 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 75-3731, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, the secretary of corrections may authorize the payment of any duly authorized claim to be paid for costs associated with providing treatment services to offenders who were driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs, even though such claim is not submitted or processed for payment within the fiscal year in which the service is rendered.

- Sec. 2. K.S.A. 19-1930 is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-1930. (a) The sheriff or the keeper of the jail in any county of the state shall receive all prisoners committed to the sheriff's or jailer's custody by the authority of the United States or by the authority of any city located in such county and shall keep them safely in the same manner as prisoners of the county until discharged in accordance with law. The county maintaining such prisoners shall receive from the United States or such city compensation for the maintenance of such prisoners in an amount equal to that provided by the county for maintenance of county prisoners and provision shall be made for the maintenance of such prisoners in the same manner as prisoners of the county. The governing body of any city committing prisoners to the county jail shall provide for the payment of such compensation upon receipt of a statement from the sheriff of such county as to the amount due therefor from such city.
- (b) (1) The sheriff or the keeper of the jail in any county of the state shall receive all prisoners committed to the sheriff's or jailer's custody pursuant to K.S.A. 75-5217, and amendments thereto, and shall keep them safely in the same manner as prisoners of the county until discharged in accordance with law or until otherwise ordered by the secretary of corrections. The cost of maintenance of such prisoners, including medical costs of such prisoners shall be paid by the department of corrections in an amount equal to that provided by the county formaintenance of county prisoners not exceeding the per capita daily operating cost, not including inmate programs, for the department of corrections, as determined by the secretary of corrections.

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(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 75-3731, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, the secretary of corrections may authorize the payment of any duly authorized claim to be paid for costs pursuant to subsection (b)(1), even though such claim is not submitted or processed for payment within the fiscal year in which the service is rendered.

- (c) In lieu of charging city authorities for the cost of maintenance of prisoners as provided by subsections (a) and (b), the board of county commissioners of Sedgwick county may levy a tax not to exceed one mill upon all tangible taxable property of the county to pay such costs and the costs of maintaining county prisoners. No revenue derived from such levy shall be used to pay the costs of maintenance of prisoners committed to the jail by federal or state authorities, or authorities of other counties or cities in other counties. For the purpose of this subsection, if any portion of a city is located within a county levying a tax hereunder, all prisoners of such city shall be deemed prisoners of such county.
- (d) The board of county commissioners of a county may provide by resolution that any inmate of the county jail who participates in a work release or job training program for which the inmate receives compensation or a subsistence allowance shall be required to pay to the county an amount not exceeding \$20 per day to defray costs of maintaining such inmate in the county jail. Such resolution shall provide for reduction or waiver of such amount in instances in which payment would create undue hardship for an inmate. The inmate shall pay any amount charged pursuant to such resolution, in cash or by money order, to the county treasurer, who shall deposit the entire amount in the county treasury and credit it to the county general fund. If payment is made in cash, the county treasurer shall provide the inmate with a written receipt for such payment. If the county is otherwise entitled to receive reimbursement or compensation for the maintenance of an inmate who is required to pay an amount pursuant to such resolution, the amount paid by such inmate shall be deducted from the amount of the other reimbursement or compensation to which the county is entitled.
- (e) (1) The board of county commissioners of a county may provide by resolution that any inmate of the county jail who is incarcerated in the county jail pursuant to a sentence for the conviction of a crime in this state shall be required to pay to the county a fee in an amount not exceeding the county's daily cost of housing the inmate to defray the costs of maintaining such inmate in the county jail for each day prior to and after conviction for an offense resulting in a conviction.
 - (2) Such resolution shall provide:
- (A) For the priority of restitution, child support, court costs or fines over such fee;

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 (B) for reduction or waiver of such amount in instances in which payment would create undue hardship for an inmate and for a procedure to provide for a reduction or waiver; and

- (C) that if the inmate fails to pay such amount charged pursuant to such resolution, the county keeping such inmate may garnish such inmate's commissary account to recover such costs, upon notice and hearing given to such inmate as provided for in any such resolution contemplated herein.
- (3) The inmate shall pay the amount charged pursuant to such resolution, in cash or by money order, or by release of funds in the inmate's jail commissary account, to the county treasurer, who shall deposit the entire amount in the county treasury and credit it to the county general fund.
- (4) The sheriff shall forward any garnished commissary account payment to the county treasurer, who shall deposit the entire amount in the county treasury and credit it to the county general fund.
- (5) If the county is otherwise entitled to receive reimbursement or compensation for the maintenance of an inmate who is required to pay an amount pursuant to such resolution, and such reimbursement or compensation constitutes the entirety of the costs of maintaining such inmate in the county jail, the amount paid by such inmate shall be deducted from the amount of the other reimbursement or compensation to which the county is entitled.
- (f) If any sheriff or jailer neglects or refuses to perform the services and duties required by the provisions of this act, the sheriff or jailer shall be subject to the same penalties, forfeitures and actions as if the prisoners had been committed under the authority of this state.
- (g) Attorneys of prisoners held in a county jail shall be permitted to visit them professionally at all reasonable hours.
- Sec. 3. K.S.A. 75-52,103 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-52,103. (a) Except as provided in K.S.A. 75-5293, and amendments thereto, each grant under thisthe community corrections act shall be expended by the county receiving it for correctional services as described in K.S.A. 75-5291, and amendments thereto, in addition to the amount required to be expended by such county under this section. Each calendar year in which a county receives grant payments under K.S.A. 75-52,105, and amendments thereto, the county shall make expenditures for correctional services as described in K.S.A. 75-5291, and amendments thereto, from any funds other than from grants under this act in an amount equal to or exceeding the amount of base year corrections expenditures as determined by the secretary of corrections under subsection (b). No expenditures shall be made by any county from any grant made pursuant to this act to supplant any amount of local public or private funding of

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existing programs as determined in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of corrections.

- (b) The secretary of corrections shall audit and determine the amount of the expenditures for correctional services as described in K.S.A. 75-5291, and amendments thereto, of each county applying for a grant as provided in K.S.A. 75-52,111, and amendments thereto.
- (c) In any case where a county receiving a grant does not make expenditures for correctional services from funds other than from grants under this act as required by this section, the grant to such county for the next ensuing calendar year shall be reduced by an amount equal to the amount by which such county failed to make such required amount of expenditures.
- (d) The secretary of corrections may provide, by rules and regulations, procedures for the following, as determined by the secretary to further the purposes of this act:
- (1) The transfer, to one or more other counties, of any portion of a county's annual grant which is not included in such county's program budget for the current program year; and
- (2) the transfer, to one or more other counties, of any portion of a county's annual grant which remains unused at the end of such county's program year and is not included in such county's program budget for the ensuing program year.
- (e) Except as otherwise provided pursuant to subsection (d), if a county does not expend the full amount of the grant received for any one year under the provisions of this act, the county shall retain the unexpended amount of the grant for expenditure for correctional services as described in K.S.A. 75-5291, and amendments thereto, during any ensuing calendar year. The secretary of corrections shall reduce the grant for the ensuing calendar year by an amount equal to the amount of the previous year's grant which was not expended and was retained by the county, unless the secretary finds that the amount so retained is needed for and will be expended during the ensuing calendar year for expenditures under the applicable comprehensive plan.
 - Sec. 4. K.S.A. 19-1930 and 75-52,103 are hereby repealed.
- Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Kansas register.