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Substitute for SENATE BILL No. 60

By Committee on Education

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1 AN ACT concerning schools; relating to the Kansas state high school 2 activities association; relating to participation by certain students.

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

5 Section 1. (a) Any student who: (1) Is a resident of a school district; 6 (2) attends a school registered with the state board of education in 7 accordance with K.S.A. 72-53,101, and amendments thereto, and such school attests to the student's compliance with all applicable academic 8 9 requirements for participation in activities offered by such school district; 10 (3) submits an immunization record to such school district in accordance 11 with K.S.A. 72-5209, and amendments thereto; and (4) submits proof of 12 health insurance if required by the board of education of such school 13 district, shall be permitted to participate in any activities offered by such 14 school district regardless of whether such student attends a school in such 15 school district on a full-time basis.

(b) Nothing in this section shall be construed to permit a student to
participate in an activity if such student is otherwise prohibited from
participating for any reason other than attendance, or if such student is
prohibited from participating because of truancy.

(c) Any student participating in high school activities shall be subject
to the age and eligibility requirements of the association, as described in
K.S.A. 72-130, and amendments thereto, that are not in conflict with the
provisions of this section.

(d) To the extent any participation fees are required to be paid by a
student participating in an activity, the same fees shall be paid by any
student participating in such activity despite not attending a school in such
school district on a full-time basis.

(e) Any liability insurance obtained by a school district that provides
coverage of students participating in activities offered by such school
district shall also cover any student who participates in such activities
despite not attending a school in such school district on a full-time basis.

32 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 33 publication in the statute book.