HOUSE BILL No. 2722

By Committee on Transportation

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AN ACT regulating traffic; concerning work-site utility vehicles; relating to the regulation thereof; amending K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 8-15,109 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 8-15,109 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-15,109. (a) *Except as otherwise provided in subsection (b)*, it shall be unlawful for any person to operate a work-site utility vehicle: (1) On any interstate highway, federal highway or state highway; or (2) within the corporate limits of any city unless authorized by such city.

- (b) A work-site utility vehicle may be operated on a state highway with a posted speed limit less than or equal to 45 miles per hour and located within the corporate limits of a city, if the use of such vehicle is authorized by such city.
- (c) No work-site utility vehicle shall be operated on any public highway, street or road between sunset and sunrise unless equipped with lights as required by law for motorcycles.
- (e)(d) The provisions of subsection (a) shall not prohibit a work-site utility vehicle from crossing a federal or state highway.
- (e) For any work-site utility vehicle operated on a state highway pursuant to this section, the operator is required to possess liability insurance coverage that satisfies the minimum coverage requirements of a motor vehicle set forth in K.S.A. 40-3107, and amendments thereto. Failure to obtain liability insurance shall subject the operator to the same penalties as those prescribed for motor vehicles pursuant to K.S.A. 40-3104, and amendments thereto.
- (f) This section shall be part of and supplemental to the uniform act regulating traffic on highways.
 - Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 8-15,109 is hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.