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HOUSE BILL No. 2224

By Representatives Simmons and Fairchild

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AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to search and seizure; requiring a law enforcement officer executing a search warrant to be properly uniformed and announce their presence before entering; amending K.S.A. 22-2510 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 22-2510 is hereby amended to read as follows: 22-2510. *(a)* A search warrant may be executed at any time of any day or night.

(b) A law enforcement officer executing a search warrant at a dwelling shall be properly uniformed and shall knock on the door and announce their presence in a manner reasonably expected to be heard by the occupants of the dwelling before entering the dwelling to execute a search warrant.

(c) For the purposes of this section, "dwelling" means a building, or portion thereof, that is used or intended for use as a human habitation, home or residence.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 22-2510 is hereby repealed.

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