

HOUSE BILL No. 2015

AN ACT concerning child care facilities; exempting certain residential facilities, hospitals and summer camps from licensure requirements; amending K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 65-501 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 65-501 is hereby amended to read as follows: 65-501. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association to conduct or maintain a maternity center or a child care facility for children under 16 years of age without having a license or temporary permit therefor from the secretary of health and environment. Nothing in this act shall apply to ~~any state institution maintained and operated by the state.~~

(a) *A residential facility or hospital that is operated and maintained by a state agency as defined in K.S.A. 75-3701 and amendments thereto; or*

(b) *a summer instructional camp that:*

(1) *Is operated by a Kansas educational institution as defined in K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 74-32,120, and amendments thereto, or a postsecondary educational institution as defined in K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 74-3201b, and amendments thereto;*

(2) *is operated for not more than five weeks;*

(3) *provides instruction to children, all of whom are 10 years of age and older; and*

(4) *is accredited by an agency or organization acceptable to the secretary of health and environment.*

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 65-501 is hereby repealed.

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

I hereby certify that the above BILL originated in the HOUSE, and passed that body

HOUSE concurred in
SENATE amendments _____

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the SENATE
as amended _____

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

APPROVED _____

Governor.