

HOUSE BILL No. 2152

AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; concerning the regulation thereof; amending K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-126, 8-128, 8-1486, 8-1494, 8-1103, 8-2118, as amended by section 4 of 2009 House Bill No. 2147, 66-1,108 and 66-1,109 and repealing the existing sections.

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

New Section 1. “Golf cart” means a motor vehicle that has not less than three wheels in contact with the ground, an unladen weight of not more than 1,800 pounds, is designed to be and is operated at not more than 25 miles per hour and is designed to carry not more than four persons including the driver.

New Sec. 2. (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a golf cart: (1) On any interstate highway, federal highway or state highway; (2) on any public highway or street within the corporate limits of any city unless authorized by such city; or (3) on any street or highway with a posted speed limit greater than 30 miles per hour.

(b) The provisions of subsection (a) shall not prohibit a golf cart from crossing a federal or state highway or a street or highway with a posted speed limit in excess of 30 miles per hour.

(c) A golf cart shall be operated on any public street or highway only during the hours between sunrise and sunset.

(d) This section shall be part of and supplemental to the uniform act regulating traffic on highways.

New Sec. 3. (a) 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) 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.

(c) This section shall be part of and supplemental to the uniform act regulating traffic on highways.

Sec. 4. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-126 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-126. The following words and phrases when used in this act shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them herein:

(a) “Vehicle” means every device in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a public highway, excepting electric personal assistive mobility devices or devices moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks.

(b) “Motor vehicle” means every vehicle, other than a motorized bicycle or a motorized wheelchair, which is self-propelled.

(c) “Truck” means a motor vehicle which is used for the transportation or delivery of freight and merchandise or more than 10 passengers.

(d) “Motorcycle” means every motor vehicle designed to travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground, except any such vehicle as may be included within the term “tractor” as herein defined.

(e) “Truck tractor” means every motor vehicle designed and used primarily for drawing other vehicles, and not so constructed as to carry a load other than a part of the weight of the vehicle or load so drawn.

(f) “Farm tractor” means every motor vehicle designed and used as a farm implement power unit operated with or without other attached farm implements in any manner consistent with the structural design of such power unit.

(g) “Road tractor” means every motor vehicle designed and used for drawing other vehicles, and not so constructed as to carry any load thereon independently, or any part of the weight of a vehicle or load so drawn.

(h) “Trailer” means every vehicle without motive power designed to carry property or passengers wholly on its own structure and to be drawn by a motor vehicle.

(i) “Semitrailer” means every vehicle of the trailer type so designed and used in conjunction with a motor vehicle that some part of its own weight and that of its own load rests upon or is carried by another vehicle.

(j) “Pole trailer” means any two-wheel vehicle used as a trailer with bolsters that support the load, and do not have a rack or body extending to the tractor drawing the load.

(k) “Specially constructed vehicle” means any vehicle which shall not have been originally constructed under a distinctive name, make, model or type, or which, if originally otherwise constructed shall have been ma-

terially altered by the removal of essential parts, or by the addition or substitution of essential parts, new or used, derived from other vehicles or makes of vehicles.

(l) “Foreign vehicle” means every motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer which shall be brought into this state otherwise than in ordinary course of business by or through a manufacturer or dealer and which has not been registered in this state.

(m) “Person” means every natural person, firm, partnership, association or corporation.

(n) “Owner” means a person who holds the legal title of a vehicle, or in the event a vehicle is the subject of an agreement for the conditional sale thereof with the right of purchase upon performance of the conditions stated in the agreement and with an immediate right of possession vested in the conditional vendee or in the event a vehicle is subject to a lease of 30 days or more with an immediate right of possession vested in the lessee; or in the event a party having a security interest in a vehicle is entitled to possession, then such conditional vendee or lessee or secured party shall be deemed the owner for the purpose of this act.

(o) “Nonresident” means every person who is not a resident of this state.

(p) “Manufacturer” means every person engaged in the business of manufacturing motor vehicles, trailers or semitrailers.

(q) “New vehicle dealer” means every person actively engaged in the business of buying, selling or exchanging new motor vehicles, travel trailers, trailers or vehicles and who holds a dealer’s contract therefor from a manufacturer or distributor and who has an established place of business in this state.

(r) “Used vehicle dealer” means every person actively engaged in the business of buying, selling or exchanging used vehicles, and having an established place of business in this state and who does not hold a dealer’s contract for the sale of new motor vehicles, travel trailers, trailers or vehicles.

(s) “Highway” means every way or place of whatever nature open to the use of the public as a matter of right for the purpose of vehicular travel. The term “highway” shall not be deemed to include a roadway or driveway upon grounds owned by private owners, colleges, universities or other institutions.

(t) “Department” or “motor vehicle department” or “vehicle department” means the division of vehicles of the department of revenue, acting directly or through its duly authorized officers and agents. When acting on behalf of the department of revenue pursuant to this act, a county treasurer shall be deemed to be an agent of the state of Kansas.

(u) “Commission” or “state highway commission” means the director of vehicles of the department of revenue.

(v) “Division” means the division of vehicles of the department of revenue.

(w) “Travel trailer” means every vehicle without motive power designed to be towed by a motor vehicle constructed primarily for recreational purposes.

(x) “Passenger vehicle” means every motor vehicle, as herein defined, which is designed primarily to carry 10 or fewer passengers, and which is not used as a truck.

(y) “Self-propelled farm implement” means every farm implement designed for specific use applications with its motive power unit permanently incorporated in its structural design.

(z) “Farm trailer” means every trailer as defined in subsection (h) of this section and every semitrailer as defined in subsection (i) of this section, designed and used primarily as a farm vehicle.

(aa) “Motorized bicycle” means every device having two tandem wheels or three wheels, which may be propelled by either human power or helper motor, or by both, and which has:

- (1) A motor which produces not more than 3.5 brake horsepower;
- (2) a cylinder capacity of not more than 130 cubic centimeters;
- (3) an automatic transmission; and
- (4) the capability of a maximum design speed of no more than 30 miles per hour.

(bb) “All-terrain vehicle” means any motorized nonhighway vehicle ~~48~~ 50 inches or less in width, having a dry weight of ~~1,000~~ 1,500 pounds

or less, traveling on three or more ~~low-pressure~~ *nonhighway* tires, having a seat designed to be straddled by the operator. As used in this subsection, ~~low-pressure nonhighway~~ tire means any pneumatic tire six inches or more in width, designed for use on wheels with rim diameter of ~~12~~ *14* inches or less, ~~and utilizing an operating pressure of 10 pounds per square inch or less as recommended by the vehicle manufacturer.~~

(cc) “Implement of husbandry” means every vehicle designed or adapted and used exclusively for agricultural operations, including feedlots, and only incidentally moved or operated upon the highways. Such term shall include, but not be limited to:

- (1) A farm tractor;
- (2) a self-propelled farm implement;
- (3) a fertilizer spreader, nurse tank or truck permanently mounted with a spreader used exclusively for dispensing or spreading water, dust or liquid fertilizers or agricultural chemicals, as defined in K.S.A. 2-2202, and amendments thereto, regardless of ownership;
- (4) a truck mounted with a fertilizer spreader used or manufactured principally to spread animal dung;
- (5) a mixer-feed truck owned and used by a feedlot, as defined in K.S.A. 47-1501, and amendments thereto, and specially designed and used exclusively for dispensing food to livestock in such feedlot.

(dd) “Motorized wheelchair” means any self-propelled vehicle designed specifically for use by a physically disabled person that is incapable of a speed in excess of 15 miles per hour.

(ee) “Oil well servicing, oil well clean-out or oil well drilling machinery or equipment” means a vehicle constructed as a machine used exclusively for servicing, cleaning-out or drilling an oil well and consisting in general of a mast, an engine for power, a draw works and a chassis permanently constructed or assembled for one or more of those purposes. The passenger capacity of the cab of a vehicle shall not be considered in determining whether such vehicle is an oil well servicing, oil well clean-out or oil well drilling machinery or equipment.

(ff) “Electric personal assistive mobility device” means a self-balancing two nontandem wheeled device, designed to transport only one person, with an electric propulsion system that limits the maximum speed of the device to 15 miles per hour or less.

(gg) “Electronic certificate of title” means any electronic record of ownership, including any lien or liens that may be recorded, retained by the division in accordance with K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-135d, and amendments thereto.

(hh) “Work-site utility vehicle” means any motor vehicle which is not less than 48 inches in width, has an overall length, including the bumper, of not more than 135 inches, has an unladen weight, including fuel and fluids, of more than 800 pounds and is equipped with four or more low pressure tires, a steering wheel and bench or bucket-type seating allowing at least two people to sit side-by-side, and may be equipped with a bed or cargo box for hauling materials. “Work-site utility vehicle” does not include a micro utility truck.

(ii) “Micro utility truck” means any motor vehicle which is not less than 48 inches in width, has an overall length, including the bumper, of not more than ~~144~~ *160* inches, has an unladen weight, including fuel and fluids, of more than 1,500 pounds, can exceed 40 miles per hour as originally manufactured and is manufactured with a metal cab. “Micro utility truck” does not include a work-site utility vehicle.

(jj) “*Golf cart*” means a motor vehicle that has not less than three wheels in contact with the ground, an unladen weight of not more than 1,800 pounds, is designed to be and is operated at not more than 25 miles per hour and is designed to carry not more than four persons including the driver.

Sec. 5. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-128 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-128. (a) The following need not be registered under this act, any:

- (1) Implement of husbandry;
- (2) all-terrain vehicle;
- (3) micro utility truck;
- (4) *golf cart*;
- (5) *work-site utility vehicle*;

~~(4)~~ (6) road roller or road machinery temporarily operated or moved upon the highways;

~~(5)~~ (7) municipally owned fire truck;

~~(6)~~ (8) privately owned fire truck subject to a mutual aid agreement with a municipality;

~~(7)~~ (9) school bus owned and operated by a school district or a nonpublic school which has the name of the municipality, school district or nonpublic school plainly painted thereon;

~~(8)~~ (10) farm trailer used in carrying not more than 6,000 pounds owned by a person engaged in farming, which trailer is used exclusively by the owner to transport agricultural products produced by such owner or commodities purchased by the owner for use on the farm owned or rented by the owner of such trailer and the weight of any such farm trailer, plus the cargo weight of 6,000 pounds or less, shall not be considered in determining the gross weight for which the truck or truck tractor propelling the same shall be registered; or

~~(9)~~ (11) farm trailer used and designed for transporting hay or forage from a field to a storage area or from a storage area to a feedlot, which is only incidentally moved or operated upon the highways, except that this paragraph shall not apply to a farm semitrailer.

(b) Self-propelled cranes where the crane operator on a job site operates the controls of such crane from a permanent housing or module on the crane and the crane is not used for the transportation of property, except the property that is required for the operation of the crane itself and earth moving equipment which are equipped with pneumatic tires may be moved on the highways of this state from one job location to another, or to or from places of storage, delivery or repair, without complying with the provisions of the law relating to registration and display of license plates but shall comply with all the other requirements of the law relating to motor vehicles.

(c) Oil well servicing, oil well clean-out or oil well drilling machinery or equipment need not be registered under this act but shall comply with all the other requirements of the law relating to motor vehicles.

(d) A truck permanently mounted with a hydraulic concrete pump and placing boom may be moved on the highways of this state from one job location to another, or to or from places of storage delivery or repair, without being registered under this act, but shall comply with all the other requirements of the law relating to motor vehicles. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to ready-mix concrete trucks.

Sec. 6. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-1486 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-1486. K.S.A. 8-1402a, 8-1414a, 8-1439c, 8-1458a, 8-1459a, 8-1475a, 8-1487, 8-1488, 8-1489 and 8-1490 and amendments thereto, and K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-1491, 8-1492, 8-1493 ~~and~~, 8-1494 *and section 1*, and amendments thereto, shall be a part of, and supplemental to, the uniform act regulating traffic on highways.

Sec. 7. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-1494 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-1494. “Micro utility truck” means any motor vehicle which is not less than 48 inches in width, has an overall length, including the bumper, of not more than ~~144~~ 160 inches, has an unladen weight, including fuel and fluids, of more than 1,500 pounds, can exceed 40 miles per hour as originally manufactured and is manufactured with a metal cab. “Micro utility truck” does not include a work-site utility vehicle.

Sec. 8. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-2118, as amended by section 4 of 2009 House Bill No. 2147, is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-2118. (a) A person charged with a traffic infraction shall, except as provided in subsection (b), appear at the place and time specified in the notice to appear. If the person enters an appearance, waives right to trial, pleads guilty or no contest, the fine shall be no greater than that specified in the uniform fine schedule in subsection (c) and court costs shall be taxed as provided by law.

(b) Prior to the time specified in the notice to appear, a person charged with a traffic infraction may enter a written appearance, waive right to trial, plead guilty or no contest and pay the fine for the violation as specified in the uniform fine schedule in subsection (c) and court costs provided by law. Payment may be made by mail or in person and may be by personal check. The traffic citation shall not have been complied with if a check is not honored for any reason, or if the fine and court costs are

not paid in full. When a person charged with a traffic infraction makes payment without executing a written waiver of right to trial and plea of guilty or no contest, the payment shall be deemed such an appearance, waiver of right to trial and plea of no contest.

(c) The following uniform fine schedule shall apply uniformly throughout the state but shall not limit the fine which may be imposed following a court appearance, except an appearance made for the purpose of pleading and payment as permitted by subsection (a). The description of offense contained in the following uniform fine schedule is for reference only and is not a legal definition.

<i>Description of Offense</i>	<i>Statute</i>	<i>Fine</i>
Refusal to submit to a preliminary breath test	8-1012	\$90
Unsafe speed for prevailing conditions	8-1557	\$60
Exceeding maximum speed limit; or speeding in zone posted by the state department of transportation; or speeding in locally posted zone	8-1558 to 8-1560 8-1560a or 8-1560b	1-10 mph over the limit, \$30 11-20 mph over the limit, \$30 plus \$6 per mph over 10 mph over the limit; 21-30 mph over the limit, \$90 plus \$9 per mph over 20 mph over the limit; 31 and more mph over the limit, \$180 plus \$15 per mph over 30 mph over the limit;
Disobeying traffic control device	8-1507	\$60
Violating traffic control signal	8-1508	\$60
Violating pedestrian control signal	8-1509	\$30
Violating flashing traffic signals	8-1510	\$60
Violating lane-control signal	8-1511	\$60
Unauthorized sign, signal, marking or device	8-1512	\$30
Driving on left side of roadway	8-1514	\$60
Failure to keep right to pass oncoming vehicle	8-1515	\$60
Improper passing; increasing speed when passed	8-1516	\$60
Improper passing on right	8-1517	\$60
Passing on left with insufficient clearance	8-1518	\$60
Driving on left side where curve, grade, intersection railroad crossing, or obstructed view	8-1519	\$60
Driving on left in no-passing zone	8-1520	\$60
Unlawful passing of stopped emergency vehicle	8-1520a	\$60
Driving wrong direction on one-way road	8-1521	\$60
Improper driving on laned roadway	8-1522	\$60
Following too close	8-1523	\$60
Improper crossover on divided highway	8-1524	\$30
Failure to yield right-of-way at uncontrolled intersection	8-1526	\$60
Failure to yield to approaching vehicle when turning left	8-1527	\$60
Failure to yield at stop or yield sign	8-1528	\$60
Failure to yield from private road or driveway	8-1529	\$60
Failure to yield to emergency vehicle	8-1530	\$180
Failure to yield to pedestrian or vehicle working on roadway	8-1531	\$90
Failure to comply with restrictions in road construction zone	8-1531a	\$30
Disobeying pedestrian traffic control device	8-1532	\$30
Failure to yield to pedestrian in crosswalk; pedestrian suddenly entering roadway; passing vehicle stopped for pedestrian at crosswalk	8-1533	\$60
Improper pedestrian crossing	8-1534	\$30
Failure to exercise due care in regard to pedestrian	8-1535	\$30
Improper pedestrian movement in crosswalk	8-1536	\$30
Improper use of roadway by pedestrian	8-1537	\$30
Soliciting ride or business on roadway	8-1538	\$30
Driving through safety zone	8-1539	\$30
Failure to yield to pedestrian on sidewalk	8-1540	\$30
Failure of pedestrian to yield to emergency vehicle	8-1541	\$30
Failure to yield to blind pedestrian	8-1542	\$30
Pedestrian disobeying bridge or railroad signal	8-1544	\$30
Improper turn or approach	8-1545	\$60
Improper "U" turn	8-1546	\$60
Unsafe starting of stopped vehicle	8-1547	\$30
Unsafe turning or stopping, failure to give proper signal; using turn signal unlawfully	8-1548	\$60

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Improper method of giving notice of intention to turn	8-1549	\$30
Improper hand signal	8-1550	\$30
Failure to stop or obey railroad crossing signal	8-1551	\$180
Failure to stop at railroad crossing stop sign	8-1552	\$120
Certain hazardous vehicles failure to stop at railroad crossing	8-1553	\$180
Improper moving of heavy equipment at railroad crossing	8-1554	\$60
Vehicle emerging from alley, private roadway, building or driveway	8-1555	\$60
Improper passing of school bus; improper use of school bus signals	8-1556	\$300
Improper passing of church or day-care bus; improper use of signals	8-1556a	\$180
Impeding normal traffic by slow speed	8-1561	\$30
Speeding on motor-driven cycle	8-1562	\$60
Speeding in certain vehicles or on posted bridge	8-1563	\$30
Improper stopping, standing or parking on roadway	8-1569	\$30
Parking, standing or stopping in prohibited area	8-1571	\$30
Improper parking	8-1572	\$30
Unattended vehicle	8-1573	\$30
Improper backing	8-1574	\$30
Driving on sidewalk	8-1575	\$30
Driving with view or driving mechanism obstructed	8-1576	\$30
Unsafe opening of vehicle door	8-1577	\$30
Riding in house trailer	8-1578	\$30
Improper driving in defiles, canyons, or on grades	8-1579	\$30
Coasting	8-1580	\$30
Following fire apparatus too closely	8-1581	\$60
Driving over fire hose	8-1582	\$30
Putting glass, etc., on highway	8-1583	\$90
Driving into intersection, crosswalk, or crossing without sufficient space on other side	8-1584	\$30
Improper operation of snowmobile on highway	8-1585	\$30
Parental responsibility of child riding bicycle	8-1586	\$30
Not riding on bicycle seat; too many persons on bicycle	8-1588	\$30
Clinging to other vehicle	8-1589	\$30
Improper riding of bicycle on roadway	8-1590	\$30
Carrying articles on bicycle; one hand on handlebars	8-1591	\$30
Improper bicycle lamps, brakes or reflectors	8-1592	\$30
Improper operation of motorcycle; seats; passengers, bundles	8-1594	\$30
Improper operation of motorcycle on laned roadway	8-1595	\$60
Motorcycle clinging to other vehicle	8-1596	\$30
Improper motorcycle handlebars or passenger equipment	8-1597	\$60
Motorcycle helmet and eye-protection requirements	8-1598	\$30
Unlawful riding on vehicle	8-1578a	\$60
Unlawful operation of all-terrain vehicle	8-15,100	\$60
Unlawful operation of low-speed vehicle	8-15,101	\$60
Littering	8-15,102	\$100
Disobeying school crossing guard	8-15,103	\$60
Unlawful operation of micro utility truck	8-15,106	\$60
Failure to remove vehicles in accidents	section 1 of 2009 House Bill No. 2147	\$60
<i>Unlawful operation of golf cart</i>	section 2	\$60
<i>Unlawful operation of work-site utility vehicle</i>	section 3	\$60
Equipment offenses that are not misdemeanors	8-1701	\$60
Driving without lights when needed	8-1703	\$30
Defective headlamps	8-1705	\$30
Defective tail lamps	8-1706	\$30
Defective reflector	8-1707	\$30
Improper stop lamp or turn signal	8-1708	\$30
Improper lighting equipment on certain vehicles	8-1710	\$30
Improper lamp color on certain vehicles	8-1711	\$30
Improper mounting of reflectors and lamps on certain vehicles	8-1712	\$30

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Improper visibility of reflectors and lamps on certain vehicles	8-1713	\$30
No lamp or flag on projecting load	8-1715	\$60
Improper lamps on parked vehicle	8-1716	\$30
Improper lights, lamps, reflectors and emblems on farm tractors or slow-moving vehicles	8-1717	\$30
Improper lamps and equipment on implements of husbandry, road machinery or animal-drawn vehicles	8-1718	\$30
Unlawful use of spot, fog, or auxiliary lamp	8-1719	\$30
Improper lamps or lights on emergency vehicle	8-1720	\$30
Improper stop or turn signal	8-1721	\$30
Improper vehicular hazard warning lamp	8-1722	\$30
Unauthorized additional lighting equipment	8-1723	\$30
Improper multiple-beam lights	8-1724	\$30
Failure to dim headlights	8-1725	\$60
Improper single-beam headlights	8-1726	\$30
Improper speed with alternate lighting	8-1727	\$30
Improper number of driving lamps	8-1728	\$30
Unauthorized lights and signals	8-1729	\$30
Improper school bus lighting equipment and warning devices	8-1730	\$30
Unauthorized lights and devices on church or day-care bus	8-1730a	\$30
Improper lights on highway construction or maintenance vehicles	8-1731	\$30
Defective brakes	8-1734	\$30
Defective or improper use of horn or warning device	8-1738	\$30
Defective muffler	8-1739	\$30
Defective mirror	8-1740	\$30
Defective wipers; obstructed windshield or windows	8-1741	\$30
Improper tires	8-1742	\$30
Improper flares or warning devices	8-1744	\$30
Improper use of vehicular hazard warning lamps and devices	8-1745	\$30
Improper air-conditioning equipment	8-1747	\$30
Improper safety belt or shoulder harness	8-1749	\$30
Improper wide-based single tires	8-1742b	\$60
Improper compression release engine braking system	8-1761	\$60
Defective motorcycle headlamp	8-1801	\$30
Defective motorcycle tail lamp	8-1802	\$30
Defective motorcycle reflector	8-1803	\$30
Defective motorcycle stop lamps and turn signals	8-1804	\$30
Defective multiple-beam lighting	8-1805	\$30
Improper road-lighting equipment on motor-driven cycles	8-1806	\$30
Defective motorcycle or motor-driven cycle brakes	8-1807	\$30
Improper performance ability of brakes	8-1808	\$30
Operating motorcycle with disapproved braking system	8-1809	\$30
Defective horn, muffler, mirrors or tires	8-1810	\$30
Unlawful statehouse parking	75-4510a	\$15
Exceeding gross weight of vehicle or combination	8-1909	Pounds Overweight up to 1000 \$25 1001 to 2000 3¢ per pound 2001 to 5000 5¢ per pound 5001 to 7500 7¢ per pound 7501 and over .. 10¢ per pound
Exceeding gross weight on any axle or tandem, triple or quad axles	8-1908	Pounds Overweight up to 1000 \$25 1001 to 2000 3¢ per pound 2001 to 5000 5¢ per pound 5001 to 7500 7¢ per pound 7501 and over .. 10¢ per pound
Failure to obtain proper registration, clearance or to have current certification	66-1324	\$272
Insufficient liability insurance for motor carriers	66-1,128 or 66-1314	\$122
Failure to obtain interstate motor fuel tax authorization	79-34,122	\$122
No authority as private or common carrier	66-1,111	\$122
Violation of motor carrier safety rules and regulations, except for violations specified in subsection (b)(2) of K.S.A. 66-1,130, and amendments thereto	66-1,129	\$100

(d) Traffic offenses classified as traffic infractions by this section shall be classified as ordinance traffic infractions by those cities adopting ordinances prohibiting the same offenses. A schedule of fines for all ordinance traffic infractions shall be established by the municipal judge in the manner prescribed by K.S.A. 12-4305, and amendments thereto. Such fines may vary from those contained in the uniform fine schedule contained in subsection (c).

(e) Fines listed in the uniform fine schedule contained in subsection (c) shall be doubled if a person is convicted of a traffic infraction, which is defined as a moving violation in accordance with rules and regulations adopted pursuant to K.S.A. 8-249, and amendments thereto, committed within any road construction zone as defined in K.S.A. 8-1458a, and amendments thereto.

(f) For a second violation of K.S.A. 8-1908 or 8-1909, and amendments thereto, within two years after a prior conviction of K.S.A. 8-1908 or 8-1909, and amendments thereto, such person, upon conviction shall be fined 1½ times the applicable amount from one, but not both, of the schedules listed in the uniform fine schedule contained in subsection (c). For a third violation of K.S.A. 8-1908 or 8-1909, and amendments thereto, within two years, after two prior convictions of K.S.A. 8-1908 or 8-1909, and amendments thereto, such person, upon conviction shall be fined two times the applicable amount from one, but not both, of the schedules listed in the uniform fine schedule contained in subsection (c). For a fourth and each succeeding violation of K.S.A. 8-1908 or 8-1909, and amendments thereto, within two years after three prior convictions of K.S.A. 8-1908 or 8-1909, and amendments thereto, such person, upon conviction shall be fined 2½ times the applicable amount from one, but not both, of the schedules listed in the uniform fine schedule contained in subsection (c).

(g) Fines listed in the uniform fine schedule contained in subsection (c) relating to exceeding the maximum speed limit, shall be doubled if a person is convicted of exceeding the maximum speed limit in a school zone authorized under subsection (a)(4) of K.S.A. 8-1560, and amendments thereto.

Sec. 9. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-1103 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-1103. (a) Whenever any person providing wrecker or towing service, as defined by law, while lawfully in possession of a vehicle, at the direction of a law enforcement officer or the owner *or as provided by a city ordinance or county resolution*, renders any service to the owner thereof by the recovery, transportation, protection, storage or safekeeping thereof, a first and prior lien on the vehicle is hereby created in favor of such person rendering such service and the lien shall amount to the full amount and value of the service rendered. The lien may be foreclosed in the manner provided in this act. If the name of the owner of the vehicle is known to the person in possession of such vehicle, then within 15 days, notice shall be given to the owner that the vehicle is being held subject to satisfaction of the lien. Any vehicle remaining in the possession of a person providing wrecker or towing service for a period of 30 days after such wrecker or towing service was provided may be sold to pay the reasonable or agreed charges for such recovery, transportation, protection, storage or safekeeping of such vehicle and personal property therein, the costs of such sale, the costs of notice to the owner of the vehicle and publication after giving the notices required by this act, unless a court order has been issued to hold such vehicle for the purpose of a criminal investigation or for use as evidence at a trial. If a court orders any vehicle to be held for the purpose of a criminal investigation or for use as evidence at a trial, then such order shall be in writing, and the court shall assess as costs the reasonable or agreed charges for the protection, storage or safekeeping accrued while the vehicle was held pursuant to such written order. Any personal property within the vehicle need not be released to the owner thereof until the reasonable or agreed charges for such recovery, transportation or safekeeping have been paid, or satisfactory arrangements for payment have been made, ~~except that~~ *as provided under subsection (c) or for personal medical supplies which* shall be released to the owner thereof upon request. The person in possession of such vehicle and personal property shall be responsible only for the reasonable care

of such property. Any personal property within the vehicle not returned to the owner shall be sold at the auction authorized by this act.

(b) At the time of providing wrecker or towing service, any person providing such wrecker or towing service shall give written notice to the driver, if available, of the vehicle being towed that a fee will be charged for storage of such vehicle. Failure to give such written notice shall invalidate any lien established for such storage fee.

(c) *A city ordinance or county resolution authorizing the towing of vehicles shall specify in such ordinance or resolution: (1) The maximum rate such wrecker or towing service may charge for such wrecker or towing service and storage fees; (2) that an owner of a vehicle towed shall have access to personal property in such vehicle for 48 hours after such vehicle has been towed and such personal property shall be released to the owner; and (3) that the wrecker or towing service shall report the location of such vehicle to local law enforcement within two hours of such tow.*

Sec. 10. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 66-1,108 is hereby amended to read as follows: 66-1,108. As used in this act:

(a) “Commission” means the corporation commission of the state of Kansas;

(b) “gross combination vehicle weight rating” means the value specified by the manufacturer as the loaded weight of a combination (articulated) motor vehicle. In the absence of a value specified by the manufacturer, gross combination weight rating shall be determined by adding the gross vehicle weight rating of the power unit and the total weight of the towed unit and any load thereon;

(c) “gross vehicle weight rating” means the value specified by the manufacturer as the loaded weight of a single motor vehicle;

(d) “ground water well drilling rigs” means any vehicle, machine, tractor, trailer, semi-trailer or specialized mobile equipment propelled or drawn by mechanical power and used on highways to transport water well field operating equipment, including water well drilling and pump service rigs equipped to access ground water;

(e) “household goods” means property and personal effects used or to be used in a dwelling, when a part of the equipment or supply of such dwelling and such other similar property, as the commission may provide by rules and regulations, if the transportation of such effects or property is:

(1) Arranged and paid for by the householder, including transportation of property from a factory or store when the property is purchased by the householder with intent to use in such householder’s dwelling; or

(2) arranged and paid for by another party.

(f) “Motor carrier” means any person operating as a for hire motor carrier or a private motor carrier, and any of that person’s agents, officers, representatives, as well as employees responsible for hiring, supervising, training, assigning or dispatching of drivers and employees concerned with the installation, inspection and maintenance of motor vehicle equipment or accessories or both;

(g) “motor vehicle” means any automobile, truck, trailer, semitrailer, tractor, motor bus or any other self-propelled or motor-driven vehicle used upon any of the public highways of the state for the purpose of transporting persons or property;

(h) “person” means any individual, firm, partnership, limited liability partnership, corporation, limited liability company, association or their lessees, trustees or receivers;

(i) “private motor carrier” means a person who provides transportation of property or passengers, by commercial *motor* vehicle and is not a for hire motor carrier;

(j) “public highways” means every public street, alley, road or highway or thoroughfare of any kind used by the public;

(k) “public motor carrier of household goods” means any person who undertakes for hire to transport by *commercial* motor vehicle from place to place, the household goods of others who may choose to employ or contract with the motor carrier;

(l) “public motor carrier of passengers” means any person who undertakes for hire to transport by *commercial* motor vehicle, from place to

place, persons who may choose to employ or contract with the motor carrier; and

(m) “public motor carrier of property” means any person who undertakes for hire to transport by *commercial* motor vehicle, from place to place, the property other than household goods of others who may choose to employ or contract with the motor carrier.

Sec. 11. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 66-1,109 is hereby amended to read as follows: 66-1,109. This act shall not require the following carriers to obtain a certificate, license or permit from the commission or file rates, tariffs, annual reports or provide proof of insurance with the commission:

(a) Transportation by motor carriers wholly within the corporate limits of a city or village in this state, or between contiguous cities or villages in this state or in this and another state, or between any city or village in this or another state and the suburban territory in this state within three miles of the corporate limits, or between cities and villages in this state and cities and villages in another state which are within territory designated as a commercial zone by the relevant federal authority, except that none of the exemptions specified in this subsection (a) shall apply to wrecker carriers and none of such exemptions shall apply to motor carriers of passengers, other than motor carriers of passengers operating as a part of the general transit system serving any such city or village in this or another state, operating on regular routes and time schedules between any city or village in this or another state, and the suburban territory in this state;

(b) a private motor carrier who operates within a radius of 25 miles beyond the corporate limits of its city or village of domicile, or who operates between cities and villages in this state and cities and villages in another state which are within territory designated as a commercial zone by the relevant federal authority;

(c) the owner of livestock or producer of farm products transporting livestock of such owner or farm products of such producer to market in a motor vehicle of such owner or producer, or the motor vehicle of a neighbor on the basis of barter or exchange for service or employment, or to such owner or producer transporting supplies for the use of such owner or producer in a motor vehicle of such owner or producer, or in the motor vehicle of a neighbor on the basis of barter or exchange for service or employment;

~~(d) persons operating motor vehicles used only to transport property when no common carrier is accessible, but when common carrier service is available then this last exemption is limited to the transportation of such property from origin to the nearest practicable common carrier receiving or loading point, or from a common carrier unloading point by way of the shortest practicable route to destination, providing such motor vehicle does not pass a practicable delivery or receiving point of a common carrier equipped to transport such load, or when used to transport property from the point of origin to point of destination thereof when the destination of such property is less distant from the point of origin thereof than the nearest practicable common carrier receiving or loading point equipped to transport such load;~~

~~—(e) (1) the transportation of children to and from school, or; (2) to motor vehicles owned by schools, colleges, and universities, religious or charitable organizations and institutions, or governmental agencies, when used to convey students, inmates, employees, athletic teams, orchestras, bands or other similar activities; or (3) motor vehicles owned by nonprofit organizations meeting the qualification requirements of section 501(c) of the internal revenue code of 1986, and amendments thereto, when transporting property or materials belonging to the owner of the vehicle;~~

~~(f) (e) a new vehicle dealer as defined by K.S.A. 8-2401, and amendments thereto, when transporting property to or from the place of business of such dealer;~~

~~(g) (f) motor vehicles carrying tools, property or material belonging to the owner of the vehicle and used in repair, building or construction work, not having been sold or being transported for the purpose of sale;~~

~~(h) (g) persons operating motor vehicles which have an ad valorem tax situs in and are registered in the state of Kansas, and used only to transport grain from the producer to an elevator or other place for storage or sale for a distance of not to exceed 50 miles;~~

~~(h)~~ (h) the operation of hearses, funeral coaches, funeral cars or ambulances by motor carriers;

~~(i)~~ (i) motor vehicles owned and operated by the United States, the District of Columbia, any state, any municipality or any other political subdivision of this state, including vehicles used exclusively for handling U.S. mail, and the operation of motor vehicles used exclusively by organizations operating public transportation systems pursuant to 49 U.S.C. sections 5307, 5310 and 5311;

~~(j)~~ (j) any motor vehicle with a normal seating capacity of not more than the driver and 15 passengers while used for vanpooling or otherwise not for profit in transporting persons who, as a joint undertaking, bear or agree to bear all the costs of such operations, or motor vehicles with a normal seating capacity of not more than the driver and 15 passengers for not-for-profit transportation by one or more employers of employees to and from the factories, plants, offices, institutions, construction sites or other places of like nature where such persons are employed or accustomed to work;

~~(k)~~ (k) motor vehicles used to transport water for domestic purposes, as defined by subsection (c) of K.S.A. 82a-701, and amendments thereto, or livestock consumption;

~~(l)~~ (l) transportation of sand, gravel, slag stone, limestone, crushed stone, cinders, calcium chloride, bituminous or concrete paving mixtures, blacktop, dirt or fill material to a construction site, highway maintenance or construction project or other storage facility and the operation of ready-mix concrete trucks in transportation of ready-mix concrete;

~~(m)~~ (m) the operation of a vehicle used exclusively for the transportation of solid waste, as the same is defined by K.S.A. 65-3402, and amendments thereto, to any solid waste processing facility or solid waste disposal area, as the same is defined by K.S.A. 65-3402, and amendments thereto;

~~(n)~~ (n) the transporting of vehicles used solely in the custom combining business when being transported by persons engaged in such business;

~~(o)~~ (o) the operation of vehicles used for servicing, repairing or transporting of implements of husbandry, as defined in K.S.A. 8-1427, and amendments thereto, by a person actively engaged in the business of buying, selling or exchanging implements of husbandry, if such operation is within 100 miles of such person's established place of business in this state;

~~(p)~~ (p) transportation by taxi or bus companies operated exclusively within any city or within 25 miles of the point of its domicile in a city;

~~(q)~~ (q) a vehicle being operated with a dealer license plate issued under K.S.A. 8-2406, and amendments thereto, and in compliance with K.S.A. 8-136, and amendments thereto, and vehicles being operated with a full-privilege license plate issued under K.S.A. 8-2425, and amendments thereto;

~~(s) any person operating a motor vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of 10,000 pounds or less, transporting property sold or to be sold by the owner or operator of such motor vehicle, except motor vehicles transporting hazardous materials which require placards;~~

~~(r)~~ (r) the operation of vehicles used for transporting materials used in the servicing or repairing of the refractory linings of industrial boilers;

~~(s)~~ (s) transportation of newspapers published at least one time each week;

~~(t)~~ (t) transportation of animal dung to be used for fertilizer; ~~and~~

~~(u)~~ (u) the operation of ground water well drilling rigs;

(v) *the transportation of cotton modules from the field to the gin; and*

(w) *the transportation of custom harvested silage, including, but not limited to, corn, wheat and milo.*

Sec. 12. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 8-126, 8-128, 8-1486, 8-1494, 8-1103, 8-2118, as amended by section 4 of 2009 House Bill No. 2147, 66-1,108 and 66-1,109 are hereby repealed.

Sec. 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.

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

HOUSE adopted
Conference Committee Report _____

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the SENATE
as amended _____

SENATE adopted
Conference Committee Report _____

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

APPROVED _____

Governor.