

CHAPTER 219

HOUSE Substitute for SENATE BILL No. 278

AN ACT regulating traffic; concerning motorcycle equipment; amending
K.S.A. 8-1597 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 8-1597 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-1597. ~~(a)~~ Any motorcycle carrying a passenger, other than in a sidecar or enclosed cab, shall be equipped with a seat and footrests for such passenger.

~~(b) No person shall operate any motorcycle with handlebars so positioned that the hands of the operator, when upon the grips, are at or above shoulder height when such person is sitting astride the seat with the vehicle in an upright position.~~

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 8-1597 is hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 18, 2006.
