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**MEMORANDUM**

To: Chairman Sutton and the House Committee on Insurance

From: Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date: March 5, 2025

Subject: **SB 42 – Providing for the establishment of an online verification system for the verification of evidence of motor vehicle liability insurance.**

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SB 42 is the Senate version of HB 2047.

SB 42 would create nine sections of new law, enacting the Kansas real time motor vehicle insurance verification act and requiring the commissioner to establish an online verification system of motor vehicle liability insurance.

The Senate Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance made a technical amendment to correct the name of the act in the bill, on page 1, in lines 11-23, where "insurance verification" was added.

The Senate Committee of the Whole amended the bill twice. First, SCOW added a new section. The new section states that "Establishing compliance with the provisions of K.S.A. 40-3104, and amendments thereto, through the insurance verification system shall not be the primary cause for law enforcement to stop a vehicle." (This is the same amendment that the House Committee on Insurance made to HB 2047.) The amendment appears on page 3 in lines 32 through 35.

SCOW also amended the bill on page 2, in line 19, to limit the information that may be shared by the insurer via the insurance verification system. The amendment appears on page 2 in line 19.

The Senate Committee of the Whole passed the bill on February 19, 2025, on a vote of 38-2.