

STATE OF KANSAS

SENATE CHAMBER

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend **Substitute for HB 2731**, on page 1, following line 28, by inserting:

"Sec. 2. (a) On or before July 1, 2026, the secretary of health and environment and the secretary for children and families shall implement data system coordination to allow for the automatic issuance of benefits for children enrolled in the Kansas medical assistance program who meet the federal eligibility criteria for the summer electronic benefit transfer for children program under 42 U.S.C. § 1762, also known as SUN bucks. Such coordination shall include secure electronic data sharing sufficient to permit automatic issuance of summer electronic benefit transfer benefits for the summer of 2026 and each summer thereafter without requiring a separate household application if eligibility can be established through existing data sources.

(b) The secretaries shall ensure that such electronic data sharing complies with all applicable federal privacy and confidentiality requirements.";

And by renumbering sections accordingly;

Also on page 1, in line 30, by striking "statute book" and inserting "Kansas register";

Also on page 1, in the title, in line 4, after "investigations" by inserting "; directing the secretary of health and environment and the secretary for children and families to implement data system coordination for the automatic issuance of benefits for children enrolled in the Kansas medical assistance program who meet the federal eligibility criteria for the SUN bucks program"

Senator _____