## **HOUSE BILL No. 2145**

By Committee on Local Government Requested by Representative Blex

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AN ACT concerning fairs; relating to certain county fair boards; establishing the membership for the Butler county fair board; providing for the appointment of members thereto; allowing up to five members of such board to be appointed from the county at large; amending K.S.A. 19-2699 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 19-2699 is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-2699. (a) The county fair board of Cloud county shall consist of 12 members. An annual meeting for appointment of members of the fair board to succeed members with expiring terms shall be conducted in December by the presiding county commissioners. At the annual appointment meeting, one member of the board shall be appointed, if possible, from each county commissioner district and one member shall be appointed from the county at large. Any person of legal voting age and residing in the county shall be eligible for membership on the board.

- (b) The county fair board of Butler county shall consist of 15 members. An annual meeting for appointment of members of the fair board to succeed members with expiring terms shall be conducted in December by the presiding county commissioners. At the annual appointment meeting, one member of the board shall be appointed, if possible, from each county commissioner district and not more than five members may be appointed from the county at large. Any person of legal voting age and residing in the county shall be eligible for membership on the board.
- (c) Except as—hereinafter otherwise provided, the term of office of each member of such fair boards shall be three years commencing January 1 and ending December 31. Members of—the each such board shall be eligible to serve unlimited consecutive terms. Vacancies in the membership of—the each such board shall be filled by appointment by the remaining members of—the such board for the unexpired term of office. Members of the each board shall elect—from among its own members a president, vice—president vice president, secretary and treasurer from among the members of such board.
  - Sec. 2. K.S.A. 19-2699 is hereby repealed.
  - Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its

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1 publication in the statute book.