HOUSE BILL No. 2714

By Committee on Elections

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AN ACT relating to the recall of elected officials; amending K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 25-4302 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 25-4302 is hereby amended to read as follows: 25-4302. (a) Grounds for recall are conviction of a felony, misconduct in office or, failure to perform duties prescribed by law, loss or suspension of a pertinent and appropriate professional license or personal conduct on the job falling short of a criminal felony but rises to the level to a criminal or civil misdemeanor. No recall submitted to the voters shall be held void because of the insufficiency of the grounds, application, or petition by which the submission was procured.

- (b) As used in this section, the term "misconduct in office" means a violation of law by the officer that impacts the officer's ability to perform the official duties of the office.
 - Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 25-4302 is hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.