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Terry Forsyth, KNEA House Pensions and Benefits Committee HB 2253 March 16, 2015

Mr. Chairman, members of the Committee, thank you for the opportunity to appear before you today to speak in favor of House Bill 2253.

Retirees can be valuable resources to school districts in their struggle to secure teachers for their classrooms. Many districts currently benefit from retirees who have returned to work following their retirement.

This bill would extend the current provisions in law regarding working after retirement for KPERS retirees. We support this extension and ask you to pass HB 2253.

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