STATE OF KANSAS

SENATE CHAMBER

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I move to amend **Senate Substitute for HB 2135**, on page 393, following line 27, by inserting the following:

"Sec. 163. (a) On the effective date of this act, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015, notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 82a-1802, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, of all the moneys received from the state of Nebraska under the case of Kansas v. Nebraska, No. 126, Original in the Supreme Court of the United States, the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to credit the first \$2,000,000 received and deposited in the state treasury to the interstate water litigation fund of the attorney general: *Provided*, That, after such aggregate amount has been credited to the interstate water litigation fund of the attorney general, then all of the moneys received from the state of Nebraska under the case of Kansas v. Nebraska, No. 126, Original in the Supreme Court of the United States, during fiscal year 2015 shall be credited to the Republican river water conservation projects – Nebraska moneys fund of the Kansas water office: *Provided further*, That, notwithstanding the provisions of any statute, the director of the Kansas water office, in consultation with the local stakeholders in the basin, the chief engineer and the secretary of agriculture, shall expend such moneys in the Republican river water conservation projects – Nebraska moneys fund of the Kansas water office for water improvement projects in the Republican river basin as described in K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 82a-1804(g), and amendments thereto.

(b) On July 1, 2015, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 82a-1802, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, of all the moneys received from the state of Nebraska under the case of Kansas v. Nebraska, No. 126, Original in the

Supreme Court of the United States, the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to credit the first \$2,000,000, including any moneys credited in fiscal year 2015, received and deposited in the state treasury to the interstate water litigation fund of the attorney general: *Provided*, That, after such aggregate amount has been credited to the interstate water litigation fund of the attorney general, then all of the moneys received from the state of Nebraska under the case of Kansas v. Nebraska, No. 126, Original in the Supreme Court of the United States, during fiscal year 2016 shall be credited to the Republican river water conservation projects – Nebraska moneys fund of the Kansas water office: *Provided further,* That, notwithstanding the provisions of any statute, the director of the Kansas water office, in consultation with the local stakeholders in the basin, the chief engineer and the secretary of agriculture, shall expend such moneys in the Republican river water conservation projects – Nebraska moneys fund of the Kansas water office for water improvement projects in the Republican river basin as described in K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 82a-1804(g), and amendments thereto.

(c) On July 1, 2016, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 82a-1802, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, of all the moneys received from the state of Nebraska under the case of Kansas v. Nebraska, No. 126, Original in the Supreme Court of the United States, the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to credit the first \$2,000,000, including any moneys credited in fiscal years 2015 and 2016, received and deposited in the state treasury to the interstate water litigation fund of the attorney general: *Provided*, That, after such aggregate amount has been credited to the interstate water litigation fund of the attorney general, then all of the moneys received from the state of Nebraska under the case of Kansas v. Nebraska, No. 126, Original in the Supreme Court of the United States, during fiscal year 2017 shall be credited to the Republican river water conservation projects – Nebraska moneys fund of the Kansas water office: *Provided further*, That, notwithstanding the provisions of any statute, the director of the Kansas water office, in consultation with the local stakeholders in the basin, the chief engineer and the secretary of

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agriculture, shall expend such moneys in the Republican river water conservation projects – Nebraska moneys fund of the Kansas water office for water improvement projects in the Republican river basin as described in K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 82a-1804(g), and amendments thereto.";

And by renumbering sections accordingly

Senator
