

HOUSE BILL No. 2679

By Representative Alcalá

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1 AN ACT relating to public employees; providing for annual pay increases.

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

4 Section 1. Annually, the director of the budget and the secretary of
5 revenue shall continuously monitor the implementation of the water's edge
6 election and related provisions for taxpayers subject to the taxes imposed
7 under article 32 of chapter 79 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and
8 amendments thereto. Commencing on August 1, 2017, and on or before
9 each August 1 thereafter, or on such date as mutually agreed by the
10 director of the budget and the secretary of revenue, the director of the
11 budget shall determine and certify to the director of accounts and reports
12 the amount that is determined by the director of the budget and the
13 secretary of revenue to be actual tax collected as a result of the
14 implementation of the water's edge tax election and related provisions
15 during the preceding fiscal year. Upon receipt of such certification, the
16 director of accounts and reports shall expend such amount for pay raises
17 for unclassified and classified employees of the judicial and executive
18 branches, excluding appointed or elected state officers and judges,
19 notwithstanding the provisions of 75-3111a, 75-3120l, 46-137a or any
20 other statute to the contrary, in a percentage amount of 5% for fiscal year
21 2019 and, for each fiscal year thereafter, the percentage amount equivalent
22 to the percentage increase in the consumer price index, as determined by
23 the bureau of labor statistics of the federal department of labor.

24 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
25 publication in the statute book.