

**TESTIMONY BEFORE THE
HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

**REGARDING HOUSE BILL 2420
RELATING TO REGISTRATION AND REGULATION
OF MILITARY SURPLUS VEHICLES**

January 23, 2020

Mr. Chairman and Committee Members:

I am Lindsey Douglas, Deputy Secretary for The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT). I am here today to provide neutral testimony on House Bill 2420 relating to registration and regulation of military surplus vehicles.

KDOT requests a technical language change in HB 2420. We discussed the following change and have approval from the bill sponsor. We have also submitted the suggested language change to the Office of the Revisor. KDOT would request that the following language be stricken and replaced with language requiring these vehicles to meet current state vehicle size and weight laws.

- Strike language in definition on lines 6-7 and 28-29 “regardless of the vehicle’s weight or size”
- Add language after “means a vehicle, that meets legal size and weight limits as set forth in K.S.A. 8-1902(a); 8-1904(a) and (b); 8-1908 and 8-1909” in place of the stricken language above

KDOT requests an amendment is offered that makes the suggested language changes to the bill and stands neutral on HB 2420 with the technical language change.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide neutral testimony on House Bill 2420. I am happy to stand for questions at the appropriate time.