

**SENATE BILL No. 41**

By Committee on Transportation

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1 AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to the use of safety belts;  
2 classifying violations as a traffic infraction; amending K.S.A. 8-2116  
3 and repealing the existing section.  
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 8-2116 is hereby amended to read as follows: 8-  
7 2116. (a) Every person convicted of *violating K.S.A. 8-2503, and*  
8 *amendments thereto, or* violating any of the sections listed in the uniform  
9 fine schedule in K.S.A. 8-2118, *and amendments thereto*, is guilty of a  
10 traffic infraction.

11 (b) Except where another penalty or class of misdemeanor is  
12 provided by statute, every person convicted of violating any provision of  
13 the uniform act regulating traffic on highways designated as a  
14 misdemeanor is guilty of a class C misdemeanor, except that upon a  
15 second such offense committed within one year after the date of the first  
16 such offense, upon conviction thereof, such person is guilty of a class B  
17 misdemeanor, and upon a third or subsequent such offense committed  
18 within one year after the first such offense, upon conviction thereof, such  
19 person is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

20 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 8-2116 is hereby repealed.

21 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
22 publication in the statute book.