



Kansas Fireworks Association

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Testimony on SB 378*

Chairman and Senators of the Committee,

I am Philip Bradley representing the Kansas Fireworks Assn. We are the businesses and individuals who support the safe and responsible use of fireworks. We are legally engaged in the pyrotechnic industry. We legally supply consumers and licensed commercial pyrotechnicians. We retail items, wholesale products and we perform fireworks shows in compliance, safely in KS.

We support SB 378, Which is based on the compromise made with the Senator, the State Fire Marshall and our industry in 2020. We further ask for an amendment to set the term of at least 2 years and then pass it favorably as amended.

We originally had several concerns with the bill as introduced in 2020. After conversations and compromises on these concerns we now are in support. We worked with the introducing Senator, and the KSFM on this issue. Our concerns have been addressed.

We had worked diligently on the compromises and agreements. We thank all parties, specifically, Senator Tyson, SFM Jorgensen and the Revisors. We believe this bill is a workable solution. It protects the citizens of KS and promotes the businesses without sacrificing any control over the fireworks used in Kansas.

Therefore, we support this measure and ask you to pass favorably.

I am available for questions at your pleasure. We have experts in this very specific field, and they will be made available to address questions as needed. Thank you for your time and consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Philip Bradley". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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