



KANSAS BOARD OF REGENTS

House Committee on Appropriations Proponent of House Bill 2418

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Chair Waymaster and Members of the Committee, thank you for the opportunity to submit written testimony on House Bill 2418.

HB 2418 would abolish the KAN-ED Act on July 1, 2023. From July 1, 2001 to June 30, 2015, the Kansas Board of Regents was responsible for administering the KAN-ED Act. When the Legislature decommissioned KAN-ED, the associated statutes were not repealed (KSA 75-7221 through 75-7227). This bill will abolish the Act, which we support.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this bill.

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