

SENATE BILL No. 371

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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1 AN ACT concerning the Kansas silver alert plan; relating to public notice
2 of certain missing persons; expanding such plan to include persons 18
3 years of age or older who have an intellectual disability; amending
4 K.S.A. 75-754 and repealing the existing section.
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6 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

7 Section 1. K.S.A. 75-754 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-
8 754. (a) There is hereby established the Kansas silver alert plan. The
9 Kansas silver alert plan shall be established and implemented by the office
10 of attorney general, in collaboration with the Kansas bureau of
11 investigation, Kansas highway patrol, local law enforcement agencies and
12 other public and private agencies and organizations.

13 (b) Under the Kansas silver alert plan, public notice of a missing
14 elderly person *or a missing person who is 18 years of age or older and*
15 *who has an intellectual disability* may be promptly broadcast and a search
16 may be timely undertaken with the cooperation of local law enforcement,
17 news media and the general public in order to locate such person in time to
18 avoid serious harm or death.

19 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 75-754 is hereby repealed.

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