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and equipment, that covers all state agencies; (C) standards for data management for all state agencies; and (D) a strategic information technology management plan for the state;

- (2) serve as secretary to the information technology executive council; and
- (3) perform such other functions and duties as provided by law or as directed by the executive chief information technology officer.
- Sec. 28. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 75-7205 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-7205. (a) There is hereby established within and as a part of the office of information technology services Kansas information technology enterprise the position of executive chief information technology officer. The executive chief information technology officer shall be in the unclassified service under the Kansas civil service act, shall be appointed by the governor, and shall receive compensation in an amount fixed by the governor. The executive chief information technology officer shall maintain a presence in any cabinet established by the governor and shall report to the governor.
 - (b) The executive chief information technology officer shall:
- (1) Review and consult with each executive *branch* agency regarding information technology plans, deviations from the state information technology architecture, information technology project estimates and information technology project changes and overruns submitted by such agency pursuant to K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 75-7209, and amendments thereto, to determine whether the agency has complied with: (A) The information technology resource policies and procedures and project management methodologies adopted by the information technology executive council; (B) the information technology architecture adopted by the information technology executive council; and (D) the strategic information technology management plan adopted by the information technology executive council;
- (2) report to the *individual or committee serving as the* chief information technology architect all deviations from the state information architecture that are reported to the executive information technology officer by executive *branch* agencies;
- (3) submit recommendations to the division of the budget as to the technical and management merit of information technology project estimates and information technology project changes and overruns submitted by executive *branch* agencies pursuant to K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 75-7209, and amendments thereto, based on the determinations made pursuant to subsection (b)(1);
- (4) monitor executive *branch* agencies' compliance with: (A) The information technology resource policies and procedures and project

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management methodologies adopted by the information technology executive council; (B) the information technology architecture adopted by the information technology executive council; (C) the standards for data management adopted by the information technology executive council; and (D) the strategic information technology management plan adopted by the information technology executive council;

- (5) coordinate implementation of new information technology among executive *branch* agencies and with the judicial and legislative chief information technology officers;
- (6) designate the ownership of information resource processes and the lead agency for implementation of new technologies and networks shared by multiple agencies within the executive branch of state government;
- (7) review, coordinate and approve all appropriate executive branch information technology expenditures pursuant to section 2, and amendments thereto:
- (8) manage and order executive branch information technology systems and employees in a uniform, efficient and cost-effective manner;
- (9) deliver information technology services to the executive branch agencies through information technology systems, to further the priorities of service, effectiveness, prevention of fraud and abuse and adaptation to developing technologies; and
- $\frac{7}{10}$ perform such other functions and duties as provided by law or as directed by the governor.
- Sec. 29. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 75-7224 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-7224. (a) The board shall:
- (1) Provide a program to facilitate the use of broadband technology-based video communication for distance learning and telemedicine by schools, libraries and hospitals;
- (2) transition schools, libraries and hospitals that have a direct KAN-ED connection as of January 1, 2012, to a commercially provided broadband internet connection no later than June 30, 2013. At the time a school, library or hospital has been transitioned off a KAN-ED connection, the board shall pay up to \$350 per month to such school, library or hospital for the cost of broadband service until June 30, 2013;
- (3) provide the secretary of commerce any information necessary to conduct the needs assessment described in subsection (b);
- (4) assist schools, libraries and hospitals to apply for federal grants to be used for purposes consistent with this act; and
 - (5) collect data regarding:
 - (A) Distance learning and telemedicine usage; and
 - (B) the volume of data accessed.
- The board shall develop a methodology for updating and validating any data collected for periodic revisions of the program, standards and

- (10) The executive chief information technology officer, on or before the first day of the regular legislative session, shall submit a report to the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of representatives, to be distributed to relevant standing and joint committees, and the Kansas legislative research department and the Kansas state library. Such report shall contain:
- (A) A projected budget for the upcoming three fiscal years;
- (B) fund balances and expenditures from the most recent fiscal year, with expenditures broken down by agency;
- (C) five-year information technology management and architecture plans;
- (D) performances measures for the enterprise; and
- (E) all other information the executive chief information technology officer deems relevant or necessary.