

HOUSE BILL No. 2079

By Committee on Water and Environment

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1 AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to water district vehicle
2 registration; amending K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 8-1,134 and repealing the
3 existing section.
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 8-1,134 is hereby amended to read as
7 follows: 8-1,134. (a) Except as provided in subsection ~~(d)~~ (c): (1) Each
8 motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer owned or leased by any city, county,
9 township, *water district* or school district of this state or by any agency or
10 instrumentality of any city, county or township and used exclusively for
11 governmental, *water district* or school district purposes and not for any
12 private purposes, which is not otherwise exempt from registration; or (2)
13 each truck tractor, trailer or semitrailer leased by a community college or
14 technical college and used exclusively for a truck driver training program,
15 which is not otherwise exempt from registration, shall be registered for a
16 fee established by rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of
17 revenue, except that such fee shall not exceed the actual cost of such
18 registration. Such registration shall be permanent in nature and designed in
19 such a manner as to remain with a vehicle for the duration of the life span
20 of the vehicle, the duration of the lease or until the title is transferred to an
21 owner who is not a city, county, township, *water district*, school district,
22 community college or technical college.

23 (b) License plates issued for city, county, township, *water district*,
24 school district, community college or technical college vehicles shall be
25 distinctive and shall contain the words city, county, township, *water*
26 *district*, school district, community college or technical college, as
27 applicable and there shall be no year date thereon.

28 (c) Vehicles registered under this section which are used for utility
29 purposes shall be issued license plates as prescribed by subsection (b),
30 except that such license plates shall be issued for periods of five years, but
31 shall be required to pay all license fees imposed pursuant to K.S.A. 8-143,
32 and amendments thereto, as though such vehicles were registered annually.
33 The secretary of revenue shall design decals to be affixed to such license
34 plates containing the word utility and the date the registration is to expire.
35 *This subsection shall not be construed to apply to water district vehicles*
36 *registered pursuant to this section.*

1 (d) The secretary of revenue shall adopt rules and regulations
2 necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

3 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 8-1,134 is hereby repealed.

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