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MEMORANDUM

To: Senate Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
From: Kansas Office of Revisor of Statutes
Date: March 12, 2019
Subject: House Bill 2215—State Fair Board

House Bill 2215 would amend K.S.A. 74-520a and would allow the state fair board to establish a nonprofit corporation, also referred to as a charitable organization, in accordance with section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code. The board of directors of such nonprofit corporation would consist of the members of the executive committee of the fair board, the general manager and other directors designated by the fair board. The purpose of the nonprofit corporation would be to receive gifts, donations, grants and other funds and to engage in fundraising projects.

The bill would become effective upon publication in the statute book on July 1, 2019.

The bill passed the House on a vote of 122-0.