

SENATE BILL No. 512

By Committee on Assessment and Taxation

2-15

1 AN ACT concerning vehicles; relating to registration; eliminating the
2 division of vehicles modernization surcharge; amending K.S.A. 2021
3 Supp. 8-145 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A.
4 75-5160.

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6 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

7 Section 1. K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 8-145 is hereby amended to read as
8 follows: 8-145. (a) All registration and certificates of title fees shall be
9 paid to the division of vehicles, a contractor of the division or the county
10 treasurer of the county in which the applicant for registration resides or has
11 an office or principal place of business within this state. The division,
12 contractor or the county treasurer shall issue a receipt to the applicant for
13 such fees paid.

14 (b) The county treasurer, division or contractor shall deposit \$.75 out
15 of each license application, \$.75 out of each application for transfer of
16 license plate and \$2 out of each application for a certificate of title,
17 collected under this act, in a special fund, which fund is hereby
18 appropriated for the use of the county treasurer, division or contractor in
19 paying for necessary help and expenses incidental to the administration of
20 duties in accordance with the provisions of this law. The county treasurer
21 shall receive extra compensation for the services performed in
22 administering the provisions of this act, which compensation shall be in
23 addition to any other compensation provided by any other law, except that
24 the county treasurer shall receive as additional compensation for
25 administering the motor vehicle title and registration laws and fees, a sum
26 computed as follows: The county treasurer, during the month of December,
27 shall determine the amount to be retained for extra compensation not to
28 exceed the following amounts each year for calendar year 2006 or any
29 calendar year thereafter: The sum of \$110 per hundred registrations for the
30 first 5,000 registrations; the sum of \$90 per hundred registrations for the
31 second 5,000 registrations; the sum of \$5 per hundred for the third 5,000
32 registrations; and the sum of \$2 per hundred registrations for all
33 registrations thereafter. In no event, however, shall any county treasurer be
34 entitled to receive more than \$15,000 additional annual compensation.

35 If more than one person shall hold the office of county treasurer during
36 any one calendar year, such compensation shall be prorated among such

1 persons in proportion to the number of weeks served. The total amount of
2 compensation paid the treasurer together with the amounts expended in
3 paying for other necessary help and expenses incidental to the
4 administration of the duties of the county treasurer in accordance with the
5 provisions of this act, shall not exceed the amount deposited in such
6 special fund. Any balance remaining in such fund at the close of any
7 calendar year shall be withdrawn and credited to the general fund of the
8 county prior to June 1 of the following calendar year.

9 (c) The county treasurer, division or contractor shall remit the
10 remainder of all such fees collected, together with the original copy of all
11 applications, to the secretary of revenue. The secretary of revenue shall
12 remit all such fees remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the
13 provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of
14 each such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in
15 the state treasury to the credit of the state highway fund, except as
16 provided in subsection (d).

17 (d) (1) Three dollars and fifty cents of each certificate of title fee
18 collected and remitted to the secretary of revenue, shall be remitted to the
19 state treasurer who shall credit such \$3.50 to the Kansas highway patrol
20 motor vehicle fund. Three dollars of each certificate of title fee collected
21 and remitted to the secretary of revenue, shall be remitted to the state
22 treasurer who shall credit such \$3 to the VIPS/CAMA technology
23 hardware fund.

24 (2) For repossessed vehicles, \$3 of each certificate of title fee
25 collected shall be retained by the contractor or county treasurer who
26 processed the application.

27 (3) Three dollars and fifty cents of each reassignment form fee
28 collected and remitted to the secretary of revenue, shall be remitted to the
29 state treasurer who shall credit such \$3.50 to the Kansas highway patrol
30 motor vehicle fund. Three dollars of each reassignment form fee collected
31 and remitted to the secretary of revenue, shall be remitted to the state
32 treasurer who shall credit such \$3 to the VIPS/CAMA technology
33 hardware fund.

34 ~~(4) Four dollars of each division of vehicles modernization surcharge~~
35 ~~collected and remitted to the secretary of revenue, shall be remitted to the~~
36 ~~state treasurer who shall credit such \$4 to the state highway fund.~~

37 (5) Two dollars of each Kansas highway patrol staffing and training
38 surcharge collected and remitted to the secretary of revenue, shall be
39 remitted to the state treasurer who shall credit such \$2 to the Kansas
40 highway patrol staffing and training fund.

41 ~~(6)~~(5) One dollar and twenty-five cents of each law enforcement
42 training center surcharge collected and remitted to the secretary of
43 revenue, shall be remitted to the state treasurer who shall credit such \$1.25

1 to the law enforcement training center fund.

2 ~~(7)~~(6) Fees collected in K.S.A. 8-135 and 8-145, and amendments
3 thereto, that are collected by the division for commercial motor vehicles or
4 vehicles that are part of a commercial fleet, shall be remitted to the state
5 treasurer, who shall credit such amounts to the commercial vehicle
6 administrative fund.

7 ~~(8)~~(7) Fees collected in K.S.A. 8-135 and 8-145, and amendments
8 thereto, that are collected by the division for vehicles that are part of a fleet
9 rental pursuant to K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 8-1,189, and amendments thereto,
10 shall be remitted to the state treasurer, who shall credit such amounts to the
11 fleet rental vehicle administration fund.

12 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 75-5160 and K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 8-145 are hereby
13 repealed.

14 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after
15 January 1, 2023, and its publication in the statute book.