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MEMORANDUM

To: House Committee on Government Efficiency  
From: Renae Jefferies, Assistant Revisor  
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Subject: HB 2726

HB 2726 has to do with fees and surcharges charged by the state when a person pays with a credit card.

Section one of the bill amends K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 75-30,100 to take away the ability of a state agency to impose an additional fee to make up the cost incurred when a person pays with a credit card.

Section 2 of the bill amends K.S.A. 79-2973 to take away the ability of the director of taxation and the county treasurer to impose a fee to make up the difference when a person pays by credit card. Additional language was added to prohibit the charging of surcharges when a credit card is used for payment.

Should the bill be enacted, it would be effective upon publication in the statute book.