HOUSE BILL No. 2187

By Committee on Local Government

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AN ACT concerning platting land in certain counties; repealing K.S.A. 19-2633.

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

Section 1. (a) Any person, partnership or corporation owning land located in the unincorporated area of any county which is outside the planning jurisdiction of any city or county and who desires to subdivide any tract of such land, may plat the same and submit the plat, together with an abstract of title to the land, to the board of county commissioners of the county in which such land is situated. The plat shall contain a description of the land as subdivided, giving the name of such subdivision, and the restrictions to which the land or separate tracts thereof are subject.

- (b) When the plat is approved by the board of county commissioners of the county which shall be within 30 days after the first meeting of the board following the date of submission of the plat to the county clerk, the plat shall be filed with the register of deeds of such county, and after the filing of the plat with the register of deeds the various tracts or parcels of land therein may be conveyed by the description designated in the plat, and the land and tracts shall be subject to the restrictions contained in the plat filed with the register of deeds and the instrument conveying the tracts or parcel of land shall contain the recital subject to existing restrictions contained in the plat of such land on file in the office of the register of deeds.
- (c) For any subdivision submitted as provided herein which contains a blanket easement, the easement shall be unenforceable where there is no reasonably defined or expressed use and the recorded description of the easement does not include a definite and specific description of the easement, unless the entity holding the easement, upon written request by the property owner, provides the property owner and records in a timely manner a reasonable, definite and specific description of the easement appropriate for its use.
 - Sec. 2. K.S.A. 19-2633 is hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.