AN ACT concerning rural water districts; definitions; amending K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 82a-612 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 82a-612 is hereby amended to read as follows: 82a-612. As used in this act, unless the context clearly requires otherwise:

"District" means a rural water district organized pursuant to this (a) act;

(b) "board" means the governing body of a district;

(c) the terms "board of county commissioners" and "county clerk" shall mean, respectively, the board of county commissioners and county clerk of the county in which the greatest portion of the territory of any existing or proposed rural water district is located; (d) "participating member" means an individual, firm, partnership,

association or corporation which owns land located within a district and:

(1) Which has subscribed to one or more benefit units of such district; or

(2) which is charged a franchise fee for water service which is paid, either directly or indirectly through another water provider, to such district:

(e) "chief engineer" means the chief engineer of the division of water resources, Kansas department of agriculture.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 82a-612 is hereby repealed.

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

I hereby certify that the above BILL originated in the HOUSE, and passed that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the SENATE .

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

Approved \_\_\_\_

Governor.