County Jail Matron Statutes Repealed; HB 2669

HB 2669 repeals four statutes concerning the matron of a county jail. The statutes being repealed cover the following topics:

- The authority of a Board of County Commissioners, on nomination and recommendation of the sheriff of a county, to appoint a matron of a county jail, to define the duties of the position, and to fix compensation (KSA 19-901);
- A matron's membership on the sheriff's force, with the same authority as delegated to a deputy sheriff, and subject to the rules and regulations of the Board of County Commissioners and to remove for cause (KSA 19-902);
- The provision of living quarters for matrons in the jail buildings is defined (KSA 19-903); and
- The duties of a matron of a county jail are defined (KSA 19-904).