HOUSE BILL No. 2262

By Committee on Appropriations

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AN ACT concerning the oil and gas valuation depletion trust fund; relating to transfer of moneys to the state general fund; abolishing the fund; amending K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 19-101a and 79-4227 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 19-271 and 79-4231.

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

New Section 1. On the effective date of this act, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer all moneys in the oil and gas valuation depletion trust fund to the state general fund. On the effective date of this act, all liabilities of the oil and gas valuation depletion trust fund are hereby transferred to and imposed on the state general fund, and the oil and gas valuation depletion trust fund is hereby abolished.

New Sec. 2. On the effective date of this act, any moneys in each county's county oil and gas valuation depletion trust fund established pursuant to K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 19-271, as such statute existed prior to the effective date of this act, which have not been authorized for release to the county general fund by the director of taxation pursuant to subsection (b) of K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 79-4231, as such statute existed prior to the effective date of this act, or have not been released from a county's county oil and gas valuation depletion trust fund to the county general fund by the county treasurer pursuant to subsection (b) of K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 19-271, as such statute existed prior to the effective date of this act, shall be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the state general fund.

- Sec. 3. K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 19-101a is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-101a. (a) The board of county commissioners may transact all county business and perform all powers of local legislation and administration it deems appropriate, subject only to the following limitations, restrictions or prohibitions:
- (1) Counties shall be subject to all acts of the legislature which apply uniformly to all counties.
 - (2) Counties may not affect the courts located therein.
 - (3) Counties shall be subject to acts of the legislature prescribing

limits of indebtedness.

- (4) In the exercise of powers of local legislation and administration authorized under provisions of this section, the home rule power conferred on cities to determine their local affairs and government shall not be superseded or impaired without the consent of the governing body of each city within a county which may be affected.
- (5) Counties may not legislate on social welfare administered under state law enacted pursuant to or in conformity with public law No. 271 74th congress, or amendments thereof.
- (6) Counties shall be subject to all acts of the legislature concerning elections, election commissioners and officers and their duties as such officers and the election of county officers.
- (7) Counties shall be subject to the limitations and prohibitions imposed under K.S.A. 12-187 to 12-195, inclusive, and amendments thereto, prescribing limitations upon the levy of retailers' sales taxes by counties.
- (8) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in statutes made nonuniform in application solely by reason of authorizing exceptions for counties having adopted a charter for county government.
- (9) No county may levy ad valorem taxes under the authority of this section upon real property located within any redevelopment project area established under the authority of K.S.A. 12-1772, and amendments thereto, unless the resolution authorizing the same specifically authorized a portion of the proceeds of such levy to be used to pay the principal of and interest upon bonds issued by a city under the authority of K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto.
- (10) Counties shall have no power under this section to exempt from any statute authorizing or requiring the levy of taxes and providing substitute and additional provisions on the same subject, unless the resolution authorizing the same specifically provides for a portion of the proceeds of such levy to be used to pay a portion of the principal and interest on bonds issued by cities under the authority of K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto.
- (11) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the provisions of K.S.A. 19-4601 through 19-4625, and amendments thereto.
- (12) Except as otherwise specifically authorized by K.S.A. 12-1,101 through 12-1,109, and amendments thereto, counties may not levy and collect taxes on incomes from whatever source derived.
- 39 (13) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 19-40 430, and amendments thereto.
- 41 (14) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 19-42 302, 19-502b, 19-503, 19-805 or 19-1202, and amendments thereto.
 - (15) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 19-

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15,139, 19-15,140 and 19-15,141, and amendments thereto.

- (16) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the provisions of K.S.A. 12-1223, 12-1225, 12-1225a, 12-1225b, 12-1225c and 12-1226, and amendments thereto, or the provisions of K.S.A. 12-1260 through 12-1270 and 12-1276, and amendments thereto.
- (17) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the provisions of K.S.A. 19-211, and amendments thereto.
- (18) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the provisions of K.S.A. 19-4001 through 19-4015, and amendments thereto.
- (19) Counties may not regulate the production or drilling of any oil or gas well in any manner which would result in the duplication of regulation by the state corporation commission and the Kansas department of health and environment pursuant to chapter 55 and chapter 65 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and amendments thereto, and any rules and regulations adopted pursuant thereto. Counties may not require any license or permit for the drilling or production of oil and gas wells. Counties may not impose any fee or charge for the drilling or production of any oil or gas
- 19 (20) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 79-20 41a04, and amendments thereto.
- 21 (21) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 79-22 1611, and amendments thereto.
 - (22) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 79-1494, and amendments thereto.
 - (23) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in subsection (b) of K.S.A. 19-202, and amendments thereto.
 - (24) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in subsection (b) of K.S.A. 19-204, and amendments thereto.
 - (25) Counties may not levy or impose an excise, severance or any other tax in the nature of an excise tax upon the physical severance and production of any mineral or other material from the earth or water.
 - (26) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 79-2017 or 79-2101, and amendments thereto.
 - (27) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 2-3302, 2-3305, 2-3307, 2-3318, 17-5904, 17-5908, 47-1219, 65-171d, 65-1.178 through 65-1,199, 65-3001 through 65-3028, and amendments thereto.
- 38 (28) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 2012 39 Supp. 80-121, and amendments thereto.
 - (29) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 19-228, and amendments thereto.
- 42 (30) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the wireless enhanced 911 act, in the VoIP enhanced 911 act or in the provisions of

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- K.S.A. 12-5301 through 12-5308, and amendments thereto.
 - (31) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 26-601, and amendments thereto.
 - (32) (A) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the Kansas liquor control act except as provided by paragraph (B).
 - (B) Counties may adopt resolutions which are not in conflict with the Kansas liquor control act.
 - (33) (A) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the Kansas cereal malt beverage act except as provided by paragraph (B).
- (B) Counties may adopt resolutions which are not in conflict with the Kansas cereal malt beverage act.
- (34) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the Kansas
 lottery act.
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 - (35) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in the Kansas expanded lottery act.
 - (36) Counties may neither exempt from nor effect changes to the eminent domain procedure act.
 - (37) Any county granted authority pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 19-5001 through 19-5005, and amendments thereto, shall be subject to the limitations and prohibitions imposed under K.S.A. 19-5001 through 19-5005, and amendments thereto.
 - (38) Except as otherwise specifically authorized by K.S.A. 19-5001 through 19-5005, and amendments thereto, counties may not exercise any authority granted pursuant to K.S.A. 19-5001 through 19-5005, and amendments thereto, including the imposition or levy of any retailers' sales tax.
 - (39) Counties may not exempt from or effect changes in K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 19-271, and amendments thereto.
 - (b) Counties shall apply the powers of local legislation granted in subsection (a) by resolution of the board of county commissioners. If no statutory authority exists for such local legislation other than that set forth in subsection (a) and the local legislation proposed under the authority of such subsection is not contrary to any act of the legislature, such local legislation shall become effective upon passage of a resolution of the board and publication in the official county newspaper. If the legislation proposed by the board under authority of subsection (a) is contrary to an act of the legislature which is applicable to the particular county but not uniformly applicable to all counties, such legislation shall become effective by passage of a charter resolution in the manner provided in K.S.A. 19-101b, and amendments thereto.
- 41 (c) Any resolution adopted by a county which conflicts with the 42 restrictions in subsection (a) is null and void.
 - Sec. 4. K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 79-4227 is hereby amended to read as

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follows: 79-4227. (a) All revenue collected or received by the director from the tax imposed by this act shall be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state treasury. The state treasurer shall first credit such amount as the director shall order to the mineral production tax refund fund created under subsection (b) of this section. Except asotherwise provided by this section. The state treasurer shall credit the remainder of such amounts as follows: (1) Seven percent to the special county mineral production tax fund created under subsection (c) of this section; and (2) the remainder shall be credited to the state general fund. On and after July 1, 2012, and thereafter, except as otherwise provided by this section, the state treasurer shall credit the remainder of such amounts for oil and gas for any county which had \$100,000 or more in receipts of the excise tax upon the severance and production of oil and gas as follows: (1) Seven percent to the special county mineral production tax fundereated under subsection (e); (2) 12.41% to the oil and gas valuation depletion trust fund; and (3) the remainder shall be credited to the stategeneral fund. During fiscal year 2013, the state treasurer shall credit the remainder of such amounts as follows: (1) As otherwise provided in this section; and (2) on the 15th day of each month, the state treasurer shall determine the amount of revenue collected or received by the director from the tax imposed by this act during the preceding month which exceeds the consensus revenue estimate for such preceding month. If such amount of revenue collected or received for such preceding month is greater than the estimated amount of revenue for such preceding month, then the statetreasurer shall credit 14.63% of the difference between the actual amount collected or received and the estimated amount of revenue to the incentive for technical education fund, and 85.37% of the difference between the actual amount collected or received and the estimated amount of revenue to the tuition for technical education fund. During fiscal year 2013, the amount credited to the incentive for technical education fund shall not exceed \$1,500,000, and the amount credited to the tuition for technical education fund shall not exceed \$8,750,000. The incentive for technical education fund and the tuition for technical education fund are herebyereated in the state treasury.

- (b) A refund fund designated as "mineral production tax refund fund" not to exceed \$50,000 is hereby created for the prompt payment of all tax refunds. The mineral production tax refund fund shall be in such amount, within the limit set by this section, as the director shall determine is necessary to meet current refunding requirements under this act.
- (c) There is hereby created a special county mineral production tax fund. On December 1, 1983, and quarterly thereafter, the director of

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taxation shall distribute all moneys credited to such fund to the county 2 treasurers of all counties in which taxes were levied under K.S.A. 79-4217, 3 and amendments thereto, for the severing and producing of coal, oil or gas 4 from property within the county, in the proportion that the taxes levied upon production in each county bears to the total of all of such taxes levied 6 in all of such counties. Such distribution shall be based on returns filed, with any adjustments or corrections thereto made by the director of taxation

- (d) The secretary of revenue shall make provision for the determination of the counties within which taxes are levied under K.S.A. 79-4217, and amendments thereto, for the severance of coal, oil or gas and shall certify the same to the director of accounts and reports.
- (e) The director of accounts and reports shall draw warrants on the state treasurer payable to the county treasurer of each county entitled to payment from the special county mineral production tax fund upon vouchers approved by the director of taxation. Upon receipt of such warrant, each county treasurer shall credit 50% of the amount thereof to the county general fund and shall distribute the remaining 50% thereof to the treasurer of each school district all or any portion of which is located within the county in the proportion that the assessed value of coal, oil and gas properties within each district bears to the total of the assessed value of all coal, oil and gas properties within the county. Such assessed valuation shall be determined upon the basis of the most recent November 1 tax roll. The treasurer of each school district shall credit the entire amount of the moneys so received to the general fund of the school district.
- K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 19-101a, 19-271, 79-4227 and 79-4231 are 26 Sec. 5. 27 hereby repealed.
 - This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its Sec. 6. publication in the Kansas register.