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HOUSE BILL No. 2726

By Committee on Appropriations

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 AN ACT concerning state agencies; relating to procurement procedures for insurance services; responsibilities of the department of administration.

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

5 Section 1. (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of article 41 of chapter 6 75 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and amendments thereto, or any other 7 provision of law to the contrary, the department of administration shall 8 oversee all insurance procurement for all state agencies to provide a 9 coordinated and cost-effective insurance and risk management program for 10 the state.

11 (b) The department of administration shall rebid all statewide 12 insurance policies or contracts in effect on the effective date of this act 13 through a competitive request for proposal process. Contracts awarded under such process may be for terms of not more than three years and may 14 be renegotiated and renewed. All renewals of an insurance policy or 15 16 contract for a state agency shall be through a competitive bid process. All such contracts shall be subject to the limits of appropriations made or 17 18 available therefor and subject to the provisions of appropriation acts 19 relating thereto.

20 (c) The secretary of administration shall promulgate rules and 21 regulations to implement the provisions of this section.

22 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 23 publication in the Kansas register.