Session of 2015

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House Substitute for SENATE BILL No. 11

By Committee on Appropriations

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AN ACT concerning state officers and employees; relating to duties of the
 secretary of administration; concerning essential state employees;
 amending K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 75-3747 and repealing the existing
 section.

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

7 Section 1. K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 75-3747 is hereby amended to read as8 follows: 75-3747. (a) The secretary of administration shall:

9 (1) As provided in K.S.A. 75-3706, and amendments thereto, adopt, 10 modify and adopt or reject rules and regulations prepared and 11 recommended by the director of personnel services for carrying out the 12 purposes of this act and the Kansas civil service act;

13 (2) perform all powers and duties prescribed by law with respect to 14 civil service and personnel administration. On June 5, 2015, through sine 15 die adjournment of the 2015 regular legislative session, for the purposes 16 of civil service and personnel administration relating to state officers or 17 employees being furloughed, every state officer or employee shall be 18 considered an essential officer or employee;

(3) adopt, as provided in K.S.A. 75-3706, and amendments thereto,
special rules and regulations or exceptions to general rules and regulations
for those agencies listed in K.S.A. 75-2934, and amendments thereto, to
insure compliance with federal laws and regulations;

23 (4) when the services of the division of personnel services and the 24 state civil service board are required, enter into agreements with the state 25 adjutant general whereby the cost incurred in connection with the 26 assignment of positions to classes and with the examination, selection, 27 promotion, transfer, discipline or hearing of appeals of employees in 28 county, city and interjurisdictional disaster agencies and in the division of 29 emergency management under the jurisdiction of the adjutant general shall 30 be paid in whole or in part from moneys granted by the federal 31 government for the administration of state laws and state plans 32 administered by the adjutant general; and

(5) when necessary to facilitate activities relating to civil service and
 personnel administration, enter into contracts with other state agencies for
 such purposes.

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(b) The adjutant general may enter into the agreements described in

paragraph (5) of subsection (a)(5) with the secretary of administration. All
 moneys paid under such agreements or from other sources 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.

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(c) The secretary of administration may:

8 (1) Perform duties and functions provided in the Kansas civil service 9 act;

10 (2) make investigations either at the request of the governor, or upon 11 petition of a citizen for just cause, or of its own motion, concerning the 12 enforcement and effect of the Kansas civil service act; and

(3) make the services and facilities of the division of personnel
services and its staff available upon request, subject to rules and
regulations adopted as provided in K.S.A. 75-3706, and amendments
thereto, to political subdivisions of the state.

17 (d) In making available the service and facilities prescribed in paragraph (3) of subsection (c)(3), it shall be understood that requirements 18 19 for the enforcement and administration of the provisions of this act shall 20 be given precedence and that the political subdivisions shall reimburse the 21 state for the reasonable cost of such services and facilities, and such 22 reimbursement moneys shall be remitted to the state treasurer in 23 accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments 24 thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall 25 deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the state 26 general fund.

27 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 75-3747 is hereby repealed.

28 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 29 publication in the Kansas register.