

## 2016 Kansas Statutes

**82a-1402. Kansas weather modification act; definitions.** As used in this act, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) "Authority" means the Kansas water authority;
- (b) "Director" means the director of the Kansas water office.
- (c) "Naturally" means arising from a phenomenon of nature.
- (d) "Operational program" means weather modification activity conducted to increase rainfall or suppress hail damage whether such activity is conducted not-for-profit, for profit or purely for research.
- (e) "Person" means and includes a natural person, a partnership, an organization, a corporation, a municipality and any department or agency of the state.
- (f) "Research and development operation" or "research and development project" means an operation which is conducted solely to advance scientific and technical knowledge.
- (g) "Weather modification activity" means any operation or experimental process which has as its objective inducing change, by artificial means, in the composition, behavior, or dynamics of clouds and the atmosphere.

**History:** L. 1974, ch. 321, § 2; L. 1986, ch. 397, § 1; L. 1995, ch. 138, § 1; July 1.