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## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Chairman Highland and Members of the House Agriculture Committee

From: Jessie Pringle, Assistant Revisor of Statutes

Date: January 29, 2020 RE: House Bill 2451

House Bill 2451 would amend several statutes related to livestock and domestic animals. The bill would change the dates for renewal deadlines for fees and licenses for livestock and domestic animals from the current date of June 30 to September 30.

The sections with renewal deadlines changed to September 30 are:

- (1) K.S.A. 47-1001e concerning licenses to operate a public livestock market and electronic auctions.
- (2) K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 47-1002 also concerning licenses to operate a public livestock market.
- (3) K.S.A. 47-1208 concerning all licenses and permits issued under chapter 47 article 12, relating to the disposal of dead animals.
- (4) K.S.A. 47-1503 concerning licenses to operate a feedlot.
- (5) K.S.A. 47-1805 concerning livestock dealer registrations.
- (6) K.S.A. 47-2101 concerning all permits issued to possess a domesticated deer.

House Bill 2451 would also amend K.S.A. 47-1831 to allow the animal health commissioner to require reimbursement for the actual cost of calfhood vaccination tags. Additionally, the commissioner would have the option to charge a processing fee for the tags. Such processing fee could be changed annually and could not exceed \$.25 per tag. HB 2451 would be effective upon publication in the Kansas Register.