HOUSE BILL No. 2029

By Representative Ward

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AN ACT repealing K.S.A. 65-6230; concerning the health care compact. 1 2 3 WHEREAS, Medicare plays a vital role in providing financial security 4 to older Kansans and those with disabilities; and WHEREAS, 414,000 Kansans are covered by Medicare; and 5 WHEREAS, Medicare is paid for by payroll taxes paid by most 6 employees, employers and people who are self-employed; and 7 WHEREAS, The Health Care Compact creates a direct threat to the 8 9 health care of every older Kansan; and WHEREAS, The Health Care Compact presents a real danger that state 10 officials will reduce or eliminate benefits currently covered under 11 12 Medicare. 13 Now, therefore: 14 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas: 15 Section 1. K.S.A. 65-6230 is hereby repealed. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 16 publication in the statute book. 17