

SENATE BILL No. 135

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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1 AN ACT concerning the department of revenue; relating to driver's license
2 examiners, unclassified service; amending K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-2015
3 and repealing the existing section.
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-2015 is hereby amended to read as
7 follows: 74-2015. Within the division of vehicles, there shall be a
8 supervisor of driver's license examiners and such driver's license
9 examiners as may be needed. ~~Said~~ The supervisor and all such driver's
10 license examiners shall be within the classified service under the Kansas
11 civil service act, *except as otherwise provided by the provisions of K.S.A.*
12 *75-2935(1)(x) or (1)(cc), and amendments thereto.* Any person employed
13 by a third party who has entered into a contract with the department of
14 revenue pursuant to K.S.A. 8-129, and amendments thereto, to provide
15 services of a driver's license examiner shall not be required to be within
16 the classified service under the Kansas civil service act. Such driver's
17 license examiners shall make and conduct all examinations of applicants
18 for operator's and chauffeur's licenses required by law, and shall exercise
19 and enforce the licensing provisions of the operator's and chauffeur's
20 licensing act, and shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by
21 law or by the director of vehicles. All such driver's license examiners are
22 hereby vested with the power and authority of peace and police officers in
23 the execution of the duties imposed upon them by this act and by the
24 director of vehicles. The director of vehicles shall determine what, if any,
25 vehicles, equipment and supplies, and insignia of office are needed by
26 driver's license examiners. The property so determined to be needed shall
27 be furnished without expense to such examiners. All property so furnished
28 shall remain the property of the state and be strictly accounted for by each
29 driver's license examiner. The secretary of revenue may adopt rules and
30 regulations for the conduct and duties of driver's license examiners.

31 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 74-2015 is hereby repealed.

32 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
33 publication in the statute book.