SENATE BILL No. 135

By Senators Hilderbrand, Alley, Hardy, Olson, Petersen and Pyle

AN ACT concerning rural opportunity zones; relating to eligible counties; amending K.S.A. 74-50,222 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 74-50,222 is hereby amended to read as follows:

74-50,222. As used in K.S.A. 74-50,222, and amendments thereto, and K.S.A. 2018 Supp. 79-32,267, and amendments thereto:

(a) "Institution of higher education" means a public or private nonprofit educational institution that meets the requirements of participation in programs under the higher education act of 1965, as amended, 34 C.F.R. § 600;


(c) "secretary" means the secretary of commerce; and

(d) "student loan" means a federal student loan program supported by the federal government and a nonfederal loan issued by a lender such as a bank, savings and loan or credit union to help students and parents pay school expenses for attendance at an institution of higher education.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 74-50,222 is hereby repealed.

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