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Legislative Testimony - written only by the **Kansas Motor Carriers Association** before the **House Transportation Committee** Representative Shannon Francis, Chairman Monday, February 12, 2024

MR. CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE **HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE:**

On behalf of the Kansas Motor Carriers Association, representing our seven hundred plus member firms, I am Deann Williams, Executive Director and we are here today in support of HB 2679, which is the Division of Vehicles efforts to streamline the testing requirements for military personnel.

The motor carrier industry is short on drivers. it makes sense to waive the additional testing for military personnel that have received commercial vehicle training while in the service.

We urge the legislative committee's support of this commonsense legislation.