Sec. 1. Kansas, Inc., its board, the office of chief executive officer, and the president of Kansas, Inc., along with their powers, duties, and functions, as created pursuant to K.S.A. 74-8001 et seq., and amendments thereto, are hereby abolished.

Sec. 2. (a) The secretary of administration, for the sole purpose of efficiently wrapping up and concluding the affairs of Kansas, Inc. and satisfying any outstanding liabilities or commitments of Kansas, Inc., shall be the successor in every way to the powers, duties, and functions of the Kansas, Inc., and its chief executive officer and president, hereinafter referred to as president, in which the same were vested prior to the effective date of this order. Every act performed in the exercise of such abolished powers, duties, and functions by or under the authority of the secretary of administration shall be performed by the existing employees of the department of administration and shall be deemed to have the same force and effect as if performed by Kansas, Inc., or its president in which such powers, duties, and functions were vested prior to the effective date of this order.

(b) In furtherance of the sole purpose set forth in Section 2(a) above, whenever Kansas, Inc., or words of like effect are referred to or designated by a statute, contract, memorandum of agreement or other document, such reference or designation shall be deemed to apply to the secretary of administration.

(c) In furtherance of the sole purpose set forth in Section 2(a) above, whenever the president of Kansas Inc., or words of like effect are referred to or designated by a statute, contract, memorandum of agreement or other document, such reference or designation shall be deemed to apply to the secretary of administration.

(d) In furtherance of the sole purpose set forth in Section 2(a) above, all rules and regulations, orders, and directives of Kansas, Inc., or its president which are in effect on the effective date of this order, shall continue to be effective and shall be deemed to be rules and regulations, orders, and directives of the secretary of administration, until revised, amended, revoked or nullified pursuant to law.

(e) In furtherance of the sole purpose set forth in Section 2(a) above, all orders and directives of the Kansas, Inc., or its president in existence on the effective date of this act shall continue to be effective and shall be
deemed to be orders and directives of the secretary of administration, until revised, amended or nullified pursuant to law.

Sec. 3. (a) The secretary of administration shall succeed to whatever right, title or interest that Kansas, Inc., has acquired in any real property in this state, and the secretary of administration shall hold the same for and in the name of the state of Kansas.

(b) Whenever any statute, contract, deed or other document concerns the power or authority of Kansas, Inc., or its president to acquire, hold or dispose of real property or any interest therein, the secretary of administration shall succeed to such power or authority.

Sec. 4. The secretary of administration shall have the legal custody of all records, memoranda, writings, entries, prints, representations, electronic data or combinations thereof of any act, transaction, occurrence or event of Kansas Inc., or its president.

Sec. 5. (a) The balances of all funds or accounts thereof appropriated or reappropriated for Kansas, Inc., relating to the powers, duties, and functions abolished by this order are hereby transferred within the state treasury to the department of administration and shall be used only for the purpose for which the appropriation was originally made.

(b) Liability for all accrued compensation or salaries of officers and employees who are employees of Kansas, Inc., during the period commencing on the first day of the first payroll period chargeable to fiscal year 2012 and ending in on June 30, 2011, shall be assumed and paid by the department of administration.

Sec. 6. When any conflict arises as to the disposition of any records, property, power, duty, or function or the unexpended balance of any appropriation as a result of any abolition made by or under the authority of this order, such conflict shall be resolved by the governor, whose decision shall be final.

Sec. 7. (a) No suit, action, or other proceeding, judicial or administrative, lawfully commenced, or which could have been commenced, by or against any state agency or program mentioned in this order, or by or against any officer of the state in such officer's official duties, shall abate by reason of the governmental reorganization effected under the provisions of this order. The court may allow any such suit, action, or other proceeding to be maintained by or against the successor of any such state agency or any officer affected.

(b) No criminal action commenced or which could have been commenced by the state shall abate by the taking effect of this order.

Sec. 8. Except as otherwise provided by this order, all of the provisions of this order shall take effect and have the force of general law on July 1, 2011, unless disapproved by either house of the Kansas legislature as provided by subsection (c) of section 6 of article 1 of the
Constitution of Kansas, and unless so disapproved, this order is to be published as and with the acts of the legislature and the statutes of this state.

DONE AT The Capitol in Topeka
Under the Great Seal of the State of Kansas this 4th day of February, 2011.

BY THE GOVERNOR
SAM BROWNBACK

Kris W. Kobach
Secretary of State

Kathy M. Sachs
Assistant Secretary of State