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Legislative Testimony

TO: Senator Mike Petersen

Chairman, Senate Transportation Committee

FROM: Donna Shelite

Director of Vehicles, Dept. of Revenue

DATE: February 19, 2013

RE: Senate Bill 136

Thank you Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee. I am Donna Shelite and I serve as the Director of the Division of Motor Vehicles, Kansas Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill 136 provides for a designation of "VETERAN" in a hologram security feature on the back of a driver's license or identification card upon presentation of proof of military service and honorable discharge, including a copy of the DD214 form.

The vendor for the card manufacturing indicates the system is not designed to put the "VETERAN" designation in a hologram on the back of the card. As such, I respectfully suggest to the committee to consider the removal of the language regarding the hologram, and instead, consider the printing of the "VETERAN" designation in plain text on back of the card.

Thank you for the opportunity to speak on this bill and I stand for questions.