AN ACT concerning regulation of knives; amending K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 12-16,134 and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 12-16,134 is hereby amended to read as follows: 12-16,134. (a) A municipality shall not enact any ordinance, resolution, rule or tax relating to the transportation, possession, carrying, sale, transfer, purchase, gift, devise, licensing, registration or use of a knife or knife making components. Any such ordinance, resolution, rule or tax adopted on or before June 30, 2014, shall be null and void.

(b) A municipality shall not enact any ordinance, resolution or rule relating to the manufacture of a knife that is more restrictive than any such ordinance, resolution or rule relating to the manufacture of any other commercial goods. Any such ordinance, resolution, rule or tax adopted on or before June 30, 2014, shall be null and void.

(c) As used in this section:

(1) "Knife" means a cutting instrument and includes a sharpened or pointed blade.

(2) "Municipality" has the same meaning as defined in K.S.A. 75-6102, and amendments thereto, but shall not include school districts, jails as defined in K.S.A. 38-2302, and amendments thereto, and juvenile correctional facilities as defined in K.S.A. 38-2302, and amendments thereto.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2013 Supp. 12-16,134 is hereby repealed.

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