AN ACT concerning the department of health and environment; relating to  
the clean water act and clean air act, development of state  
implementation plans; concerning the legislature, economic impact  
reports.

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

Section 1. (a) As part of the development of any state implementation  
plan for submission to the United States environmental protection agency  
pursuant to any promulgated rules or regulations under 33 U.S.C. § 1251,  
et seq. or 42 U.S.C. § 7401, et seq., the secretary of health and  
environment shall prepare a regulatory impact report. One calendar month  
prior to the submission of any such state implementation plan to the  
environmental protection agency, the secretary shall:

(1) Submit the impact report and the proposed state implementation  
plan to the governor, the president of the senate and the speaker of the  
house of representatives; and

(2) make such impact report and the proposed state implementation  
plan available on the department of health and environment's internet  
website.

(b) The regulatory impact report prepared by the secretary pursuant to  
subsection (a) shall include:

(1) The economic impact the plan will have on businesses and  
citizens in the state, including any disproportionate impact the plan will  
have on lower income populations;

(2) any job losses that are anticipated as a result of the plan;

(3) other existing state implementation plans and the economic  
impact of such plans;

(4) the existence and cost efficiency of any technology that may be  
needed to achieve the reduction goal;

(5) a determination as to whether the reduction goals are achievable  
within the allotted time frame;

(6) a determination as to whether the plan achieves reduction goals at  
a sustainable cost;

(7) the remaining useful life of any impacted structure;

(8) any policy options for the adoption of less stringent standards or  
longer compliance schedules;
the unique policies, energy needs, resource mix and economic
priorities of Kansas;
(10) the potential impact on taxpayers;
(11) a determination as to whether the reduction will solve an actual
health problem as based upon peer-reviewed scientific evidence;
(12) a determination as to whether the reduced pollutant is a
significant variable in solving the actual health problem;
(13) any permissible options that provide flexibility in achieving
reduction goals, including the averaging of emissions or any other
alternative implementation measure that may further the interests of
Kansas' citizens; and
(14) a cost-benefit analysis of how the plan affects the economic
well-being of the state, the projected cost to any industry affected by the
plan and the projected costs to Kansas ratepayers.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
publication in the statute book.