AN ACT concerning education; relating to the financing and instruction thereof; making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, for the department of education; relating to the classroom learning assuring student success act; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463, 72-6465, 72-6466, 72-6472, 72-6474, 72-6481, 72-8801 and 74-4939a and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6476.

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

Section 1.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, the following:

Supplemental general state aid................................................$464,092,249

School district capital outlay state aid fund.................................No limit

(b) On July 1, 2016, of the $2,759,751,285 appropriated for the above agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, by section 54(c) of 2016 House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 161 from the state general fund in the block grants to USDs account (652-00-1000-0500), the sum of $477,802,500 is hereby lapsed.

(c) On July 1, 2016, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, by section 3(b) of chapter 4 of the 2015 Session Laws of Kansas on the school district extraordinary need fund of the department of education is hereby decreased from $17,521,425 to $0.

New Sec. 2. (a) Each school district that has adopted a local option budget is eligible to receive an amount of supplemental general state aid. A school district's eligibility to receive supplemental general state aid shall be determined by the state board as provided in this subsection. The state board of education shall:

(1) Determine the amount of the assessed valuation per pupil in the preceding school year of each district in the state;

(2) rank the districts from low to high on the basis of the amounts of assessed valuation per pupil determined under subsection (a)(1);

(3) identify the amount of the assessed valuation per pupil located at the 81.2 percentile of the amounts ranked under subsection (a)(2);

(4) divide the assessed valuation per pupil of the district in the
and

(5) if the quotient obtained under subsection (a)(4) is less than one, subtract the quotient obtained under (a)(4) from one, and multiply such difference by the amount of the local option budget of the school district. The resulting product is the supplemental general state aid the school district is entitled to receive for the school year. If the quotient obtained under subsection (a)(4) equals or exceeds one, the school district shall not be entitled to receive supplemental general state aid.

(b) The state board shall prescribe the dates upon which the distribution of payments of supplemental general state aid to school districts shall be due. Payments of supplemental general state aid shall be distributed to school districts on the dates prescribed by the state board. The state board shall certify to the director of accounts and reports the amount due each school district, and the director of accounts and reports shall draw a warrant on the state treasurer payable to the treasurer of the school district. Upon receipt of the warrant, the treasurer of the school district shall credit the amount thereof to the supplemental general fund of the school district to be used for the purposes of such fund.

(c) If any amount of supplemental general state aid that is due to be paid during the month of June of a school year pursuant to the other provisions of this section is not paid on or before June 30 of such school year, then such payment shall be paid on or after the ensuing July 1, as soon as moneys are available therefor. Any payment of supplemental general state aid that is due to be paid during the month of June of a school year and that is paid to school districts on or after the ensuing July 1 shall be recorded and accounted for by school districts as a receipt for the school year ending on the preceding June 30.

(d) If the amount of appropriations for supplemental general state aid is less than the amount each school district is to receive for the school year, the state board shall prorate the amount appropriated among the school districts in proportion to the amount each school district is to receive as determined under subsection (a).

(e) The provisions of this section shall be part of and supplemental to the classroom learning assuring student success act.

(f) The provisions of this section shall expire on June 30, 2017.

New Sec. 3. (a) There is hereby established in the state treasury the school district capital outlay state aid fund. Such fund shall consist of all amounts transferred thereto under the provisions of subsection (c).

(b) Each school district which levies a tax pursuant to K.S.A. 72-8801 et seq., and amendments thereto, shall be entitled to receive payment from the school district capital outlay state aid fund in an amount determined by the state board of education as provided in this subsection.
The state board of education shall:

(1) Determine the amount of the assessed valuation per pupil (AVPP) of each school district in the state and round such amount to the nearest $1,000. The rounded amount is the AVPP of a school district for the purposes of this section;

(2) determine the median AVPP of all school districts;

(3) prepare a schedule of dollar amounts using the amount of the median AVPP of all school districts as the point of beginning. The schedule of dollar amounts shall range upward in equal $1,000 intervals from the point of beginning to and including an amount that is equal to the amount of the AVPP of the school district with the highest AVPP of all school districts and shall range downward in equal $1,000 intervals from the point of beginning to and including an amount that is equal to the amount of the AVPP of the school district with the lowest AVPP of all school districts;

(4) determine a state aid percentage factor for each school district by assigning a state aid computation percentage to the amount of the median AVPP shown on the schedule, decreasing the state aid computation percentage assigned to the amount of the median AVPP by one percentage point for each $1,000 interval above the amount of the median AVPP, and increasing the state aid computation percentage assigned to the amount of the median AVPP by one percentage point for each $1,000 interval below the amount of the median AVPP. The state aid percentage factor of a school district is the percentage assigned to the schedule amount that is equal to the amount of the AVPP of the school district, except that the state aid percentage factor of a school district shall not exceed 100%. The state aid computation percentage is 25%;

(5) determine the amount levied by each school district pursuant to K.S.A. 72-8801 et seq., and amendments thereto;

(6) multiply the amount computed under subsection (b)(5), but not to exceed 8 mills, by the applicable state aid percentage factor. The resulting product is the amount of payment the school district is to receive from the school district capital outlay state aid fund in the school year.

(c) The state board shall certify to the director of accounts and reports the amount of school district capital outlay state aid determined under the provisions of subsection (b), and an amount equal thereto shall be transferred by the director from the state general fund to the school district capital outlay state aid fund for distribution to school districts. All transfers made in accordance with the provisions of this subsection shall be considered to be demand transfers from the state general fund.

(d) Payments from the school district capital outlay state aid fund shall be distributed to school districts at times determined by the state board of education. The state board of education shall certify to the
director of accounts and reports the amount due each school district, and
the director of accounts and reports shall draw a warrant on the state
treasurer payable to the treasurer of the school district. Upon receipt of the
warrant, the treasurer of the school district shall credit the amount thereof
to the capital outlay fund of the school district to be used for the purposes
of such fund.

(e) The provisions of this section shall expire on June 30, 2017.

Sec. 4. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463 is hereby amended to read as
follows: 72-6463. (a) The provisions of K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463
through 72-6481, and section 2, and amendments thereto, shall be known
and may be cited as the classroom learning assuring student success act.

(b) The legislature hereby declares that the intent of this act is to
lessen state interference and involvement in the local management of
school districts and to provide more flexibility and increased local control
for school district boards of education and administrators in order to:

(1) Enhance predictability and certainty in school district funding
sources and amounts;

(2) allow school district boards of education and administrators to
best meet their individual school district's financial needs; and

(3) maximize opportunities for more funds to go to the classroom.

To meet this legislative intent, state financial support for elementary
and secondary public education will be met by providing a block grant for
school years 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 to each school district. Each
school district's block grant will be based in part on, and be at least equal
to, the total state financial support as determined for school year 2014-
2015 under the school district finance and quality performance act, prior to
its repeal. All school districts will be held harmless from any decreases to
the final school year 2014-2015 amount of total state financial support.

(c) The legislature further declares that the guiding principles for the
development of subsequent legislation for the finance of elementary and
secondary public education should consist of the following:

(1) Ensuring that students' educational needs are funded;

(2) providing more funding to classroom instruction;

(3) maximizing flexibility in the use of funding by school district
boards of education and administrators; and

(4) achieving the goal of providing students with those education
capacities established in K.S.A. 72-1127, and amendments thereto.

(d) The provisions of this section shall be effective from and after
July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2017.

Sec. 5. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6465 is hereby amended to read as
follows: 72-6465. (a) For school year 2015-2016 and school year 2016-
2017, the state board shall disburse general state aid to each school district
in an amount equal to:
(1) Subject to the provisions of subsections (b) (c) through (f) (g), the
amount of general state aid such school district received for school year
2014-2015, if any, pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6416, prior to its repeal, as
prorated in accordance with K.S.A. 72-6410, prior to its repeal, less:

(A) The amount directly attributable to the ancillary school facilities
weighting as determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 72-6443,
prior to its repeal;
(B) the amount directly attributable to the cost-of-living weighting as
determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6450,
prior to its repeal;
(C) the amount directly attributable to declining enrollment state aid
as determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-
6452, prior to its repeal; and
(D) the amount directly attributable to virtual school state aid as
determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-3715,
and amendments thereto, plus;

(2) the amount of supplemental general state aid such school district
received for school year 2014-2015, if any, pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6434,
prior to its repeal, as prorated in accordance with K.S.A. 72-6434, prior to
its repeal, plus;

(3) the amount of capital outlay state aid such school district received
for school year 2014-2015, if any, pursuant to K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-8814,
prior to its repeal, plus;

(4) (A) an amount that is directly attributable to the proceeds of the
tax levied by the school district pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6473,
and amendments thereto, provided; the school district has levied such tax;
(B) an amount that is directly attributable to the proceeds of the tax
levied by the school district pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6474, and
amendments thereto, provided; the school district has levied such tax; and
(C) an amount that is directly attributable to the proceeds of the tax
levied by the school district pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6475, and
amendments thereto, provided; the school district has levied such tax, plus;

(5) the amount of virtual school state aid such school district is to
receive under K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-3715, and amendments thereto, plus;

(6) an amount certified by the board of trustees of the Kansas public
employees retirement system which is equal to the participating employer's
obligation of such school district to the system, less;

(7) an amount equal to 0.4% of the amount determined under
subsection (a)(1).

(b) For school year 2016-2017, the state board shall disburse
general state aid to each school district in an amount equal to:

(1) Subject to the provisions of subsections (c) through (g), the
amount of general state aid such school district received for school year
2014-2015, if any, pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6416, prior to its repeal, as
prorated in accordance with K.S.A. 72-6410, prior to its repeal, less:
(A) The amount directly attributable to the ancillary school facilities
weighting as determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 72-6443,
prior to its repeal;
(B) the amount directly attributable to the cost-of-living weighting as
determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6450,
prior to its repeal;
(C) the amount directly attributable to declining enrollment state aid
as determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6452, prior to its repeal; and
(D) the amount directly attributable to virtual school state aid as
determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-3715,
and amendments thereto, plus;
(2) (A) an amount that is directly attributable to the proceeds of the
tax levied by the school district pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6473,
and amendments thereto, provided the school district has levied such tax;
(B) an amount that is directly attributable to the proceeds of the tax
levied by the school district pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6474, and
amendments thereto, provided the school district has levied such tax; and
(C) an amount that is directly attributable to the proceeds of the tax
levied by the school district pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6475, and
amendments thereto, provided the school district has levied such tax, plus;
(3) the amount of virtual school state aid such school district is to
receive under K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-3715, and amendments thereto, plus;
(4) an amount certified by the board of trustees of the Kansas public
employees retirement system which is equal to the participating employer's
obligation of such school district to the system, less;
(5) an amount equal to 0.4% of the amount determined under
subsection (b)(1).

(b) (c) For any school district whose school financing sources
exceeded its state financial aid for school year 2014-2015 as calculated
under the school district finance and quality performance act, prior to its
repeal, the amount such school district is entitled to receive under
subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1) shall be the proceeds of the tax levied by the
school district pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6470, and amendments
thereto, less the difference between such school district's school financing
sources and its state financial aid for school year 2014-2015 as calculated
under the school district finance and quality performance act, prior to its
repeal.

d) For any school district formed by consolidation in accordance
with article 87 of chapter 72 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and
amendments thereto, prior to the effective date of this act, and whose state
financial aid for school year 2014-2015 was determined under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6445a, prior to its repeal, the amount of general state aid for such school district determined under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1) shall be determined as if such school district was not subject to K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6445a, prior to its repeal, for school year 2014-2015.

(d) (e) For any school district that consolidated in accordance with article 87 of chapter 72 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and amendments thereto, and such consolidation becomes effective on or after July 1, 2015, the amount of general state aid for such school district determined under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1) shall be the sum of the general state aid each of the former school districts would have received under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1).

(e) (f) (1) For any school district that was entitled to receive school facilities weighting for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6415b, prior to its repeal, and which would not have been eligible to receive such weighting for school year 2015-2016 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6415b, prior to its repeal, an amount directly attributable to the school facilities weighting as determined for school year 2014-2015 under K.S.A. 72-6415, prior to its repeal, for such school district shall be subtracted from the amount of general state aid for such school district determined under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1).

(2) For any school district which would have been eligible to receive school facilities weighting for school year 2015-2016 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6415b, prior to its repeal, but which did not receive such weighting for school year 2014-2015, an amount directly attributable to the school facilities weighting as would have been determined under K.S.A. 72-6415, prior to its repeal, for school year 2015-2016 shall be added to the amount of general state aid for such school district determined under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1).

(3) For any school district which would have been eligible to receive school facilities weighting for school year 2016-2017 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6415b, prior to its repeal, but which did not receive such weighting for school year 2014-2015, and which would not have been eligible to receive such weighting for school year 2015-2016 under K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 72-6415b, prior to its repeal, an amount directly attributable to the school facilities weighting as would have been determined under K.S.A. 72-6415, prior to its repeal, for school year 2016-2017 shall be added to the amount of general state aid for such school district determined under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1).

(f) (g) (1) For any school district that received federal impact aid for school year 2014-2015, if such school district receives federal impact aid in school year 2015-2016 in an amount that is less than the amount such school district received in school year 2014-2015, then an amount equal to
the difference between the amount of federal impact aid received by such school district in such school years shall be added to the amount of general state aid for such school district for school year 2015-2016 as determined under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1).

(2) For any school district that received federal impact aid for school year 2014-2015, if such school district receives federal impact aid in school year 2016-2017 in an amount that is less than the amount such school district received in school year 2014-2015, then an amount equal to the difference between the amount of federal impact aid received by such school district in such school years shall be added to the amount of general state aid for such school district for school year 2016-2017 as determined under subsection (a)(1) or (b)(1).

(h) The general state aid for each school district shall be disbursed in accordance with appropriation acts. In the event the appropriation for general state aid exceeds the amount determined under subsection (a) or (b) for any school year, then the state board shall disburse such excess amount to each school district in proportion to such school district's enrollment.

(i) The provisions of this section shall be effective from and after July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2017.

Sec. 6. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6466 is hereby amended to read as follows: 72-6466. (a) The distribution of general state aid determined pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6465, and amendments thereto, shall be made in accordance with appropriation acts each year as provided in this section.

(b) (1) In the months of July through May of each school year, the state board shall determine the amount of general state aid which will be required by each district to maintain operations in each such month. In making such determination, the state board shall take into consideration the district's access to school financing sources and the obligations of the general fund which must be satisfied during the month. The amount determined by the state board under this provision is the amount of general state aid which will be distributed to the district in the months of July through May;

(2) in the month of June of each school year, subject to the provisions of subsection (d), payment shall be made of the full amount of the general state aid entitlement determined for the school year, less the sum of the monthly payments made in the months of July through May.

(c) The state board of education shall prescribe the dates upon which the distribution of payments of general state aid to school districts shall be due. Payments of general state aid shall be distributed to districts once each month on the dates prescribed by the state board. The state board shall certify to the director of accounts and reports the amount due as
general state aid to each district in each of the months of July through June. Such certification, and the amount of general state aid payable from the state general fund, shall be approved by the director of the budget. The director of accounts and reports shall draw warrants on the state treasurer payable to the district treasurer of each district entitled to payment of general state aid, pursuant to vouchers approved by the state board. Upon receipt of such warrant, each district treasurer shall deposit the amount of general state aid in the general fund or the school district, except that the portion of general state aid that is attributable to the amount calculated under K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6465(a)(2), and amendments thereto, shall be deposited in the supplemental general fund of the school district, which such fund is continued in existence.

(d) If any amount of general state aid that is due to be paid during the month of June of a school year pursuant to the other provisions of this section is not paid on or before June 30 of such school year, then such payment shall be paid on or after the ensuing July 1, as soon as moneys are available therefor. Any payment of general state aid that is due to be paid during the month of June of a school year and that is paid to school districts on or after the ensuing July 1 shall be recorded and accounted for by school districts as a receipt for the school year ending on the preceding June 30.

(e) The provisions of this section shall be effective from and after July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2017.

Sec. 7. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6472 is hereby amended to read as follows: 72-6472. (a) For school year 2015-2016 and school year 2016-2017, the board of each school district that has adopted a local option budget may levy an ad valorem tax on the taxable tangible property of the district for the purpose of:

(1) Financing that portion of the school district's local option budget which is not financed from any other source provided by law; and

(2) paying a portion of the principal and interest on bonds issued by cities under authority of K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto, for the financing of redevelopment projects upon property located within the district.

(b) Except the proceeds of such tax levied for the purpose specified in subsection (a)(2), the proceeds from the tax levied by a school district under authority of this section shall be deposited in the supplemental general fund of the district.

(c) No school district shall proceed under K.S.A. 79-1964, 79-1964a or 79-1964b, and amendments thereto.

(d) The provisions of this section shall be effective from and after July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2017.

Sec. 8. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6474 is hereby amended to read as
follows: 72-6474. (a) The board of any school district to which the provisions of this subsection apply may levy an ad valorem tax on the taxable tangible property of the school district for school years 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 in an amount not to exceed the amount authorized by the state court of tax appeals for school year 2014-2015 pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6441, prior to its repeal, for the purpose set forth in K.S.A. 72-6441, prior to its repeal. The provisions of this subsection apply to any school district that imposed a levy pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6441, prior to its repeal, for school year 2014-2015.

(b) The board of any school district which would have been eligible to levy an ad valorem tax pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6441, prior to its repeal, for school year 2015-2016 or 2016-2017, may levy an ad valorem tax on the taxable tangible property of the school district each year for a period of time not to exceed two years in an amount not to exceed the amount authorized by the state board of tax appeals under this subsection for the purpose of financing the costs incurred by the school district that are directly attributable to ancillary school facilities, whose construction was financed by the issuance of bonds approved for issuance at an election held on or before June 30, 2015. The state board of tax appeals may authorize the school district to make a levy which will produce an amount that is not greater than the difference between the amount of costs directly attributable to commencing operation of one or more new school facilities and the amount that is financed from any other source provided by law for such purpose.

(c) The state board of tax appeals shall certify to the state board of education the amount authorized to be produced by the levy of a tax under subsection (a). The state board of tax appeals may adopt rules and regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this section, including rules and regulations relating to the evidence required in support of a school district's claim that the costs attributable to commencing operation of one or more new school facilities are in excess of the amount that is financed from any other source provided by law for such purpose.

(d) The board of any school district that has levied an ad valorem tax on the taxable tangible property of the school district each year for a period of two years under authority of subsection (b) may continue to levy such tax under authority of this subsection each year for an additional period of time not to exceed six years in an amount not to exceed the amount computed by the state board of education as provided in this subsection if the board of education of the school district determines that the costs attributable to commencing operation of one or more new school facilities are significantly greater than the costs attributable to the operation of other school facilities in the school district. The tax authorized under this subsection may be levied at a rate which will produce an
amount that is not greater than the amount computed by the state board of
education as provided in this subsection. In computing such amount, the
state board shall:
    (1) Determine the amount produced by the tax levied by the school
district under authority of subsection (b) in the second year for which such
tax was levied;
    (2) compute 90% of the amount of the sum obtained under subsection
(d)(1), which computed amount is the amount the school district may levy
in the first year of the six-year period for which the school district may
levy a tax under authority of this subsection;
    (3) compute 75% of the amount of the sum obtained under subsection
(d)(1), which computed amount is the amount the school district may levy
in the second year of the six-year period for which the school district may
levy a tax under authority of this subsection;
    (4) compute 60% of the amount of the sum obtained under subsection
(d)(1), which computed amount is the amount the school district may levy
in the third year of the six-year period for which the school district may
levy a tax under authority of this subsection;
    (5) compute 45% of the amount of the sum obtained under subsection
(d)(1), which computed amount is the amount the school district may levy
in the fourth year of the six-year period for which the school district may
levy a tax under authority of this subsection;
    (6) compute 30% of the amount of the sum obtained under subsection
(d)(1), which computed amount is the amount the school district may levy
in the fifth year of the six-year period for which the school district may
levy a tax under authority of this subsection; and
    (7) compute 15% of the amount of the sum obtained under subsection
(d)(1), which computed amount is the amount the school district may levy
in the sixth year of the six-year period for which the school district may
levy a tax under authority of this subsection.
    (e) The proceeds from any tax levied by a school district under
authority of this section shall be remitted to the state treasurer in
accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments
thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall
deposit the entire amount in the state treasury and shall credit the same to
the state school finance fund. All moneys remitted to the state treasurer
pursuant to this subsection shall be used for paying a portion of the costs
of operating and maintaining public schools in partial fulfillment of the
constitutional obligation of the legislature to finance the educational
interests of the state.
    (f) The provisions of this section shall be effective from and after July
1, 2015, through June 30, 2017.
follows: 72-6481. (a) The provisions of K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463 through 72-6481, and section 2, and amendments thereto, shall not be severable. If any provision of K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463 through 72-6481, and section 2, and amendments thereto, is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by court order, all provisions of K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463 through 72-6481, and section 2, and amendments thereto, shall be null and void.

(b) The provisions of this section shall be effective from and after July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2017.

Sec. 10. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-8801 is hereby amended to read as follows: 72-8801. (a) The board of education of any school district may make an annual tax levy at a mill rate not to exceed the statutorily prescribed mill rate upon the taxable tangible property in the school district for the purposes specified in this act and for the purpose of paying a portion of the principal and interest on bonds issued by cities under the authority of K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto, for the financing of redevelopment projects upon property located within the school district. No levy shall be made under this act until a resolution is adopted by the board of education in the following form:

Unified School District No. _____, __________________________ County, Kansas.

RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved that:

The above-named school board shall be authorized to make an annual tax levy for a period not to exceed ______ years in an amount not to exceed ______ mills upon the taxable tangible property in the school district for the purpose of acquisition, construction, reconstruction, repair, remodeling, additions to, furnishing, maintaining and equipping of school district property and equipment necessary for school district purposes, including: (1) Acquisition of computer software; (2) acquisition of performance uniforms; (3) housing and boarding pupils enrolled in an area vocational school operated under the board; (4) architectural expenses; (5) acquisition of building sites; (6) undertaking and maintenance of asbestos control projects; (7) acquisition of school buses; and (8) acquisition of other fixed assets, and for the purpose of paying a portion of the principal and interest on bonds issued by cities under the authority of K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto, for the financing of redevelopment projects upon property located within the school district. The tax levy authorized by this resolution may be made, unless a petition in opposition to the same, signed by not less than 10% of the qualified electors of the school district, is filed with the county election officer of the home county of the school district within 40 calendar days after the last publication of this resolution. In the event a petition is filed, the county election officer
shall submit the question of whether the tax levy shall be authorized to the electors in the school district at an election called for that purpose or at the next general election, as is specified by the board of education of the above school district.

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the above resolution was duly adopted by the board of education of Unified School District No. _______, ____________ County, Kansas, on the ____ day of __________, ____________

______________________________________________________________

Clerk of the board of education.

All of the blanks in the above resolution shall be appropriately filled. The blank preceding the word "years" shall be filled with a specific number, and the blank preceding the word "mills" shall be filled with a specific number, and no word shall be inserted in either of the blanks. The resolution shall be published once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper having general circulation in the school district. If no petition as specified above is filed in accordance with the provisions of the resolution, the board of education may make the tax levy specified in the resolution. If a petition is filed as provided in the resolution, the board of education may notify the county election officer of the date of an election to be held to submit the question of whether the tax levy shall be authorized. If the board of education fails to notify the county election officer within 60 calendar days after a petition is filed, the resolution shall be deemed abandoned and no like resolution shall be adopted by the board of education within the nine months following the first publication of the resolution.

(b) As used in this act:

(1) "Unconditionally authorized to make a capital outlay tax levy" means that the school district has adopted a resolution under this section, has published the same, and either that the resolution was not protested or that it was protested and an election has been held by which the tax levy specified in the resolution was approved;

(2) "statutorily prescribed mill rate" means: (A) Eight mills; (B) the mill levy rate in excess of eight mills if the resolution fixing such rate was approved at an election prior to the effective date of this act; or (C) the mill levy rate in excess of eight mills if no petition or no sufficient petition was filed in protest to a resolution fixing such rate in excess of eight mills and the protest period for filing such petition has expired;

(3) "asbestos control project" means any activity which is necessary or incidental to the control of asbestos-containing material in buildings of school districts and includes, but not by way of limitation, any activity undertaken for the removal or encapsulation of asbestos-containing
material, for any remodeling, renovation, replacement, rehabilitation or
other restoration necessitated by such removal or encapsulation, for
conducting inspections, reinspections and periodic surveillance of
buildings, performing response actions, and developing, implementing and
updating operations and maintenance programs and management plans;
(4) "asbestos" means the asbestiform varieties of chrysotile
serpentine), crocidolite (riebeckite), amosite (cummingtonitegrunerite),
anthophyllite, tremolite, and actinolite; and
(5) "asbestos-containing material" means any material or product
which contains more than 1% asbestos.

Sec. 11. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 74-4939a is hereby amended to read as
follows: 74-4939a. On and after the effective date of this act for each fiscal
year commencing with fiscal year 2005, notwithstanding the provisions of
K.S.A. 74-4939, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, all moneys
appropriated for the department of education from the state general fund
commencing with fiscal year 2005, and each ensuing fiscal year thereafter,
by appropriation act of the legislature, in the KPERS — employer
contributions account and all moneys appropriated for the department of
education from the state general fund or any special revenue fund for each
fiscal year commencing with fiscal year 2005, and each ensuing fiscal year thereafter, by any such appropriation act in that account or any other
account for payment of employer contributions for school districts, shall
be distributed by the department of education to school districts in
accordance with this section. Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 74-
4939, and amendments thereto, for school year 2015-2016, the department
of education shall disburse to each school district that is an eligible
employee as specified in K.S.A. 74-4931(1), and amendments thereto, an
amount in accordance with K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6465(a)(6), and
amendments thereto, which shall be disbursed pursuant to K.S.A. 2015
Supp. 72-6465, and amendments thereto. Notwithstanding the provisions
of K.S.A. 74-4939, and amendments thereto, for school year 2016-2017,
the department of education shall disburse to each school district that is
an eligible employer as specified in K.S.A. 74-4931(1), and amendments
thereto, an amount in accordance with K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6465(b)(4),
and amendments thereto, which shall be disbursed pursuant to K.S.A.
2015 Supp. 72-6465, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of each such
disbursement of moneys, the school district shall deposit the entire amount
thereof into a special retirement contributions fund of the school district,
which shall be established by the school district in accordance with such
policies and procedures and which shall be used for the sole purpose of
receiving such disbursements from the department of education and
making the remittances to the system in accordance with this section and
such policies and procedures. Upon receipt of each such disbursement of
moneys from the department of education, the school district shall remit, in accordance with the provisions of such policies and procedures and in the manner and on the date or dates prescribed by the board of trustees of the Kansas public employees retirement system, an equal amount to the Kansas public employees retirement system from the special retirement contributions fund of the school district to satisfy such school district's obligation as a participating employer. Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 74-4939, and amendments thereto, each school district that is an eligible employer as specified in K.S.A. 74-4931(1), and amendments thereto, shall show within the budget of such school district all amounts received from disbursements into the special retirement contributions fund of such school district. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other statute, no official action of the school board of such school district shall be required to approve a remittance to the system in accordance with this section and such policies and procedures. All remittances of moneys to the system by a school district in accordance with this subsection and such policies and procedures shall be deemed to be expenditures of the school district.

Sec. 12. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6463, 72-6465, 72-6466, 72-6472, 72-6474, 72-6481, 72-8801 and 74-4939a are hereby repealed.

Sec. 13. From and after July 1, 2016, K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 72-6476 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Kansas register.