

SENATE BILL No. 132

By Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government

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Proposed Amendments to SB 132
Senator Fitzgerald
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1 AN ACT concerning the regional system of cooperating libraries;
2 amending K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 75-2550 and repealing the existing
3 section.
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 75-2550 is hereby amended to read as
7 follows: 75-2550. (a) The system board shall consist of one or more
8 representatives selected by each of the boards participating in the regional
9 system, and one or more representatives appointed by the ~~governor~~ *state*
10 ~~librarian, subject to approval by the~~ *board of county commissioners of* ~~the~~
11 ~~county of residence of such appointee,~~ *]* to represent territory not within the
12 district of participating library board but within the territory of the regional
13 system of cooperating libraries. The petition provided for in K.S.A. 75-
14 2549, and amendments thereto, may propose the number of representatives
15 of each such board, but the determination thereof shall be made by the
16 state board when approving such petition. The state board shall consider
17 any petition presented to it as provided in this act and if it approves such
18 petition it shall adopt a resolution officially designating such particular
19 regional system of cooperating libraries and describing the territory thereof
20 which shall include one or more counties but shall exclude the territory of
21 any taxing district which regularly levies 0.25 or more mills of tax for the
22 support of a public library upon the request of the governing body of the
23 district making such levy. Any district so excluded may later petition to be
24 added to and included in the regional system of cooperating libraries from
25 which it was excluded and such petition shall be prepared and processed as
26 other petitions provided for by this act. Additional counties may be added
27 to the territory of any regional system of cooperating libraries upon
28 petition by a library board located in such county and such a petition shall
29 be prepared and processed as is provided in this act for initial petitions;
30 except that the prior approval in writing of a petition under this sentence
31 shall be obtained by the petitioning board from the regional board and
32 attached to the petition when submitted to the state board. Within two
33 weeks after receiving notice of approval of a petition provided for under
34 this act the board of each participating library and the ~~governor~~ *state*
35 ~~librarian, subject to approval by the board of county commissioners of the~~
36 ~~county of residence of such appointee,~~ shall select the number of

each county that is a part of the regional system