AN ACT concerning roads and highways; designating a portion of United States highway 40 as John Carlin highway; amending K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 68-1009 and repealing the existing section.

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

New Section 1. The portion of United States highway No. 40 from the junction with highway K-15 then west to the junction with United States highway No. 81 is hereby designated as the John Carlin highway. Upon compliance with K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 68-10,114, and amendments thereto, the secretary of transportation shall place highway signs along the highway right-of-way at proper intervals to indicate that the highway is the John Carlin highway.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 68-1009 is hereby amended to read as follows: 68-1009. (a) The portion of United States highway No. 40 traversing this state where it crosses the Missouri-Kansas border on the east to the point where it leaves the state on the west at the Kansas-Colorado line, be and it is hereby designated as the official east-west Blue Star memorial highway in the state of Kansas.

(b) If the state of Missouri designates a portion of interstate highway 70 as the Truman/Eisenhower Presidential highway, or something substantially similar, then the portion of United States highway No. 40 from where it crosses the Missouri-Kansas border, to the west city limits of Topeka, and then from the junction of highway K-15 United States highway No. 81 with United States highway No. 40, then west on United States highway No. 40 to the point where it leaves the state at the Kansas-Colorado line, shall be designated as the official east-west Blue Star memorial highway in the state of Kansas.

Sec. 3. K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 68-1009 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.