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MEMORANDUM

To:House Committee on EducationFrom:Office of Revisor of StatutesDate:February 17, 2021Subject:House Bill 2302

House Bill 2302 would amend the student data privacy act to add new requirements for the administration of certain tests, questionnaires, surveys and examinations. Currently, K.S.A. 72-6316 prohibits the administration of a test, questionnaire, survey or examination that contains questions regarding beliefs or practices in issues such as sex, family life, morality or religion unless the school provides prior notification and obtains written permission to participate from the student's parent or guardian or from the student if an such student is an adult.

HB 2302 would amend K.S.A. 72-6316 to require schools to provide a copy of the test, questionnaire, survey or examination to the parent or legal guardian, or to the student if such student is an adult, prior to obtaining consent to for such student to participate.