HOUSE BILL No. 2649

By Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development

AN ACT concerning the American flag; pertaining to the display thereof.

Section 1. (a) (1) From and after the effective date of this act, no American flag shall be displayed at a building owned or operated by the state of Kansas including any agency thereof or by a municipality unless such American flag is manufactured in the United States.

(2) This subsection shall apply to any American flag purchased by the state of Kansas or any agency thereof or by a municipality on and after the effective date of this act.

(b) For the purposes of this act, the term "municipality" shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in K.S.A. 12-105a, and amendments thereto.

(c) (1) Except as provided in subsection (a)(2), this provision shall not apply to any American flag displayed by the state of Kansas including any agency thereof or by a municipality if such American flag was acquired on or before the day preceding the effective date of this act.

(2) Subsection (a) shall apply to any American flag purchased on and after the effective date of this act.

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