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MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on **Public Health and Welfare** recommends **HB 2279** be amended as recommended by the Committee on Public Health and Welfare as reported in the Journal of the Senate on March 25, 2021, and the bill be further amended by substituting with a new bill to be designated as "Senate Substitute for HOUSE BILL NO. 2279," as follows:

"Senate Substitute for HOUSE BILL NO. 2279

By Committee on Public Health and Welfare

"AN ACT concerning health professions and practices; relating to advanced practice registered nurses; licensure thereof; authorizing the prescribing of drugs without a supervising physician; requiring malpractice insurance coverage; rules and regulations; amending K.S.A. 65-1130 and K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 65-1626 and 65-4101 and repealing the existing sections.";

And the substitute bill be passed.

 Chairpersor