

Statutory Updates in Accordance with Enacted 2016 SB 449 and 2012 ERO No. 41; SB 217

SB 217 updates several statutory references in accordance with 2012 Executive Reorganization Order No. 41 (ERO 41) and enacted 2016 SB 449, which updated statutes transferred under ERO 41.

The bill replaces the term “mentally retarded and other handicapped persons” in statutes with “individuals with intellectual or other disabilities” in accordance with current law. The bill amends language to clarify the annual report of the Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund Board of Governors will be submitted to the Health Care Stabilization Fund Oversight Committee and requires the reporting of the fund balance at the end of the fiscal year.

Additionally, the bill updates statutory references related to the Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services and the Kansas Department for Children and Families in accordance with ERO 41. The bill makes conforming and technical amendments to law.