ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

K.A.R. 115-7-2. Fishing; general provisions.

DESCRIPTION: This regulation establishes general provisions applicable to fishing in Kansas. The proposed amendments would allow persons to use three fishing lines on all waters of the state pursuant to purchasing the appropriate third pole permit. This recommendation is a result of the Revenue Task Force formed by the Department this past summer.

FEDERAL MANDATE: None.

ECONOMIC IMPACT: The proposed amendments are intended to offer another alternative for anglers in Kansas. It is anticipated that this alternative could provide up to \$200,000 dollars in increased revenue for the Wildlife Fee Fund at four dollars per permit. Otherwise, we would anticipate no substantive economic impact to the department, other state agencies, or the public. **ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:** No alternative amendments are being considered at this time.