

**Law enforcement related bills signed by Governor:**The following bills are effective on publication in Kansas Register

1. SB67 - Effective on publication in Kansas Register [Published April 15, 2010] - Amends the mistreatment of dependent adult statute; Amends the identity theft statute; Amends the criminal possession of a firearm statute changing the 5 year period from the disqualifying event to a 10 year period. It also adds several drug felonies to the list of disqualifying felonies. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
2. SB381 - Effective on publication in the Kansas Register (not published as of 4/19/2010) - Fixes the problems of the State vs. Hendrix Kansas Supreme Court decision. **Also makes major changes to the self defense provisions of the statutes.** [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
3. SB386 - Effective on publication in the Kansas Register [Published April 15, 2010] - Disclosure and redaction of documents provided under discovery; Permitting interactive video testimony on forensic evidence. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
4. SB497 - Effective on publication in the register [Published April 8, 2010] - Amending the law on weapons, KSA 21-4201, criminal use of weapons. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
5. HB2411 - Effective on publication in the register [Published March 18, 2010] - Amends K.S.A. 65-4105(d) by adding the K-2 substances, BZP, and TFMPP to the list of schedule 1 drugs. Check with your local prosecutor, but I believe possession of these drugs falls under K.S.A. 21-36a06(b)(3) and is always an A misdemeanor. I believe distribution or possession with intent to distribute falls under K.S.A. 21-36a05(a)(4) and is a felony. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
6. HB2435 - Effective on publication in Kansas Register (not published as of 4/19/2010) - 1) Fix for State vs. Horn court decision regarding sentencing on attempts, solicitation and conspiracy to commit crimes; 2) fix for State Vs. Trautloff on how multiple convictions on the same day count toward aggravated sex offenders; 3) sentence for aggravated endangering a child is consecutive; 4) drug distribution to a minor; and 5) **they added commission of a felony while wearing or using ballistic material that was in HB2454.** [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
7. HB2469 - Effective on publication in the register [Published April 8, 2010] - This bill amends the statute on determining criminal history levels in response to a court opinion. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
8. HB2547 – Effective on publication in the register [Published April 15, 2010] – Amends KSA 8-2409 by allowing the 30-day temporary registration to entitle a truck, truck tractor or any combination of truck or truck tractor and any type of trailer or semitrailer to be operated under laden conditions. NOTE: Section 1 of the bill is the relevant section. The remainder is about automobile dealer franchise agreements. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
9. HB2661 - Effective on publication in the register [Published April 15, 2010] - Correcting some technical errors in the drug recodification bill passed last year. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)

The following bills are effective on publication in the statute book (July 1, 2010)

1. SB346 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Requires certain paperwork to accompany prisoners when transferred to DOC; allows DOC to take up to four days from notification sentencing documents are complete to accept a prisoner from the local jail; and allows DOC Secretary to order a prisoner released instead of transfer to DOC if there is ten days or less of sentence remaining. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
2. SB353 - Effective 7/1/10 - Human Trafficking - Adds criminal sanctions for certain acts of peonage and other forms of forced servitude and provides for forfeiture for violations of human trafficking. The senate added offender registry for prostitution and patronizing a prostitute but those were removed by the conference committee. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
3. SB458 - Effective 7/1/10 - Amends the securities act sentencing provisions. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)

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4. SB533 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Provides efficiency provisions for use of electronic citations in compliance with statutory matters previously directed at paper citations. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
5. SB537 - Effective 7/1/10 - Provides for civil cause of action and mechanism for false liens and provides mechanism for court to issue injunction against a person from filing future false liens. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
6. HB2039 - Effective 7/1/10 - This bill is the result of conference committee action placing the contents of SB454 in place of the original contents of this bill. The bill eliminates a conflict in the statutes on who is in charge of the jail and sheriff's office if the sheriff's position is vacant. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
7. HB2412 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Release of persons with terminal illness from state DOC. Requires one physician to say person is expected to die within 30 days, approval of the Secretary of Corrections, and approval of the chair of the parole board. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
8. HB2440 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Requires the Kansas DOC to notify crime victims or victims' family members, as soon as practical, of the status of a defendant convicted of certain crimes when the defendant is diverted from the criminal justice system for an evaluation of competency to stand trial or for involuntary commitment. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
9. HB2468 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Requires a person convicted of any attempt, conspiracy, or criminal solicitation of certain sex crimes to register for life. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
10. HB2485 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Changes the time period of motor carrier audits from 12 months to 18 months to comply with federal law. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
11. HB2492 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Requires vehicle make and year on motor vehicle liability insurance proof of insurance documents. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
12. HB2517 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Domestic Violence - Changes to domestic violence laws most of which have a delayed effective date of 7/1/2011. This bill places domestic violence definitions and sentencing provisions into state statute and removes them from local regulation. It also creates a system to "tag" cases as domestic violence cases. Significant changes for law enforcement including a requirement that will change our mandatory regulations on domestic violence. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
13. HB2585 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Reporter Shield Law - Clarifies for the court the determination of when a reporter must reveal information and the source of the information in criminal cases. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
14. HB2604 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Law providing the judges authority to use work release in sentencing for certain crimes where the sentence is served in local jails. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
15. HB2605 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Forensic Laboratory Fees and DNA processing fees - Clarifies the requirement of the courts to assess and collect these fees. Adds the Sedgwick County Computer Forensics Lab to the list of labs. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
16. HB2638 - Effective 7/1/2010 - Creates authority for the Horsethief Reservoir Benefit District to have a police department. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)
17. HB2652 - Effective 7/1/10 - Kelsey Smith Act - Changes the requirement of the KBI to collect contact information to requiring cell phone companies to report the information to the KBI. [Read the bill.](#) [Read the explainer.](#)

**Awaiting Action by the Governor**

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