

**SENATE BILL No. 48**

By Committee on Public Health and Welfare

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1 AN ACT concerning public health; relating to transportation arrangements  
2 prior to a funeral; amending K.S.A. 65-1753 and repealing the existing  
3 section.

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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 65-1753 is hereby amended to read as follows: 65-  
7 1753. (a) Except as otherwise provided by law and in accordance with any  
8 applicable legal requirements, a dead human body ~~which~~ *that* is removed  
9 from the location of death shall be transported only to a licensed funeral  
10 establishment, a licensed branch funeral establishment containing an  
11 embalming preparation room or a holding facility, a licensed crematory  
12 containing a holding facility, a hospital, a cemetery, a coroner or medical  
13 examiner facility, the university of Kansas medical center, a federally  
14 certified organ procurement organization serving the state of Kansas, *a*  
15 *location determined by a person authorized to dispose of the decedent's*  
16 *remains pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1734, and amendments thereto,* or other  
17 location of final disposition.

18 (b) A dead human body ~~which~~ *that* is to be removed in accordance  
19 with subsection (a) to a federally certified organ procurement organization  
20 serving the state of Kansas shall be removed only upon the release of a  
21 person listed in the order of priority pursuant to K.S.A. 65-3228, and  
22 amendments thereto.

23 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 65-1753 is hereby repealed.

24 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
25 publication in the statute book.