

HB 996 -- Kansas City Police Officers

Sponsor: Brown (30)

Currently, police department officers and employees in Kansas City are prohibited from making political contributions, being members of any political party committee or a ward committee person, and campaigning on behalf of any organization, party, or candidate for public office. This bill removes the ban on police officers making political contributions and being a member of any political party committee or a ward committee person. Police officers will be prohibited from holding a partisan political office and from campaigning on behalf of any organization, party, or candidate for public office while on duty, in uniform, or wearing any clothing or accessory that indicates employment with the police department.