

# **RULES AND REGULATIONS KANSAS WATER APPROPRIATION ACT**

**(Excerpted)**

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**K.A.R. 5-25-3. Reasonable appropriation.** (a) An application for a permit to appropriate water for irrigation use shall not be recommended by the board for approval for a quantity in excess of those quantities specified in K.A.R. 5-3-19.

(b) For livestock and poultry, the maximum annual quantity of water shall be limited to those quantities specified in K.A.R. 5-3-22.

(c) For all uses of water, the quantity of water requested shall be reasonable for the proposed beneficial use, and the approval shall neither impair an existing right nor prejudicially and unreasonably affect the public interest. (Authorized by K.S.A. 82a-706a and K.S.A. 2002 Supp. 82a-1028; implementing K.S.A. 82a-706, K.S.A. 82a-706a, K.S.A. 2002 Supp. 82a-711, and K.S.A. 2002 Supp. 82a-1028; effective May 1, 1980; amended April 19, 1996; amended Oct. 31, 2003.)