

## HOUSE BILL No. 2718

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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1 AN ACT concerning planning and zoning; relating to firearms  
2 manufacturers, importers and dealers.

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

5 Section 1. (a) The governing body shall not adopt or enforce zoning  
6 regulations that have the effect of excluding federally licensed firearms  
7 manufacturers, importers or dealers from the entire zoning jurisdiction of  
8 the governing body. In addition, the governing body shall not adopt or  
9 enforce zoning regulations that could be reasonably construed to solely  
10 affect federally licensed firearms manufacturers, importers or dealers.

11 (b) Nothing in this section shall be construed as precluding the  
12 establishment of architectural or aesthetic standards applicable to federally  
13 licensed firearms manufacturers, importers or dealers so as to ensure  
14 compatibility with other structures in the same zoning district.

15 (c) Nothing in this section shall be construed to preempt or supersede  
16 valid restrictive covenants running with the land.

17 (d) The terms used in this section shall have the meanings ascribed  
18 thereto in K.S.A. 12-742, and amendments thereto.

19 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
20 publication in the statute book.