

STATE OF KANSAS OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

Kansas law requires offenders convicted of a sex offense, murder, manslaughter, aggravated kidnapping, kidnapping, criminal restraint, any offense where a deadly weapon was employed, unlawful manufacturing of controlled substances, precursor chemicals for the manufacturing of methamphetamine and the possession with intent to distribute opiates, opium, narcotic drugs, or other designated stimulants (includes methamphetamine, cocaine, cocaine base and heroin) to submit a NOTICE OF DUTY TO REGISTER form within 10 days of his/her release from custody or placement on community supervision. The Kansas Bureau of Investigation is the central repository for this information. Offenders are also required to report to the sheriff in the county in which they reside.

All offenders affected by this act are required to register within 10 days of arrival in the state of Kansas. Offenders must register in the counties in which they reside and work. If the offender's residence or employment changes, he/she is required to give written notice to the law enforcement agency where he/she last registered and the Kansas Bureau of Investigation within 10 days of the change. All registered offenders will be required to report in person three times per year to the sheriff's office in the county where they reside. This must occur during the month of their birth and in every 4th and 8th month after any birthday. A registration fee of \$20 will be charged each time the offender reports to the sheriff's office. Registered offenders are required to annually renew a driver's license or state issued identification card on the offender's birthday. The driver's license and identification card shall indicate the person is a convicted offender.

The act requires any non-resident of Kansas who is working or attending school in the state of Kansas to register. A person required to register under any federal, military or other state's law must register in Kansas even if such conviction was prior to Kansas' effective registration date for that offense. Any person convicted of a crime outside of Kansas that would require registration in Kansas must register. Adults are required to register for ten years for a first conviction and for life for a second conviction. Adults are required to register for life for a first conviction for the offenses of rape, aggravated criminal sodomy, aggravated trafficking (victim < 14), aggravated indecent liberties with a child (victim < 14), promoting prostitution or sexual exploitation of a child (victim < 14), or if the offender is declared a sexually violent predator. Juveniles are required to register for five years or until age 18, whichever is greater. Any person convicted in another state is required to register for as long as that state would require, or for the period of time required in Kansas, whichever is longer.

The public may access registration information for any offender convicted after April 14, 1994 at www.accesskansas.org/kbi. Failure to register as required is a Level 5 person felony. A new violation will occur every 30 days the offender remains non-compliant with the act.

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