

**KLISS Modernization Steering Committee**  
**Report to the Legislative Coordinating Council**  
**November 5, 2025**

**KLISS Modernization Project Update**

**Background**

On October 13, 2025, the Legislative Coordinating Council (LCC) accepted the recommendation of the Legislative Coordinating Council's Subcommittee on Administration to not use the new KLISS system during the 2026 legislative session. The LCC further instructed the KLISS Modernization Steering Committee (Steering Committee) to re-evaluate the options available for the KLISS Modernization Project and to present these options, including a recommendation on a path forward, to the LCC by the December 2025 meeting of the LCC.

**Actions Taken**

On behalf of the Legislative Coordinating Council, the LCC Subcommittee on Administration, and in accordance with the terms of the Computer Software Implementation Contract, issued a Stop Work Order. The Stop Work Order was delivered to Propylon on October 27, 2025. This Stop Work Order will be in effect until November 30, 2025.

While the Stop Work Order is in place, the Steering Committee will explore several options for modernizing the KLISS system, including continuing to work with Propylon, terminating the relationship, initiating the process of seeking a new vendor, or developing a new system using a combination of in-house and vendor resources.

To investigate alternative options to Propylon, the Steering Committee has decided to contact several state legislatures to discuss their automated systems. The states to be contacted include former Propylon clients, current Propylon clients, and states that have developed their own legislative systems in-house.

The Steering Committee has also reached out to Propylon's management to initiate discussions on modifying the project's implementation and development plans to better meet the legislature's needs. It is expected that Steering Committee representatives and Propylon will meet in the coming weeks to begin discussions.

The Steering Committee will continue to provide weekly updates to the LCC's Subcommittee on Administration, is preparing a comprehensive status report on the project, and will provide its recommendation for the LCC's December meeting.

## STOP WORK ORDER

Pursuant to Section 1.181 of the Computer Software Implementation Contract, dated July 1, 2022, as amended by Amendment 2401, dated September 23, 2024 ("Contract"), the Legislative Coordinating Council of the State of Kansas ("LCC") hereby issues this Stop Work Order ("Order") effective October 27, 2025.

Upon receipt of this Order, Propylon, Inc. will stop performing any work required under the Contract and amendments thereto, including any work that is to be performed but has not yet commenced.

This Order shall expire on November 30, 2025, unless otherwise canceled by the LCC prior to such date.



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Ty Masterson, President of the Kansas Senate



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Dan Hawkins, Speaker of the Kansas House of Representatives



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Dinah Sykes, Kansas Senate Minority Leader