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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2563

As Amended by House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources

Brief*

HB 2563 would designate the annual Kansas Wheat Festival held in Wellington as the official Kansas Wheat Festival.

Background

The bill was introduced by Representative Wetta who made comments in support of the bill at its hearing. In addition, a representative of the Wellington Chamber of Commerce appeared in support of the designation as a celebration of wheat production in the state.

The House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee amended the bill to change the language from the "official state wheat festival" to the "official Kansas wheat festival."

The fiscal note on the original bill states the Department of Agriculture believes that passage of the bill would have no fiscal effect on state operations.

*Supplemental notes are prepared by the Legislative Research Department and do not express legislative intent. The supplemental note and fiscal note for this bill may be accessed on the Internet at http://www.kslegislature.org