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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2668

As Recommended by House Committee on
Government Efficiency

Brief*

HB 2668 would repeal the statute concerning the recording of farm names. KSA 19-322 allows a farm owner to record the farm name in a register kept by the county clerk of the county where the farm is located and after payment of a one dollar fee to the clerk. Under current law, the farm owner is provided a certificate with the name and location of the farm and the owner's name. Duplicate farm names are not allowed in the same county under the existing statute.

Background

The bill was introduced at the request of the Governor's Office of the Repealer. The Secretary of Administration testified in favor of the bill before the House Committee on Government Efficiency, indicating the statute is unduly burdensome, as it requires overhead and oversight costs for county clerks that are not covered by the one dollar payment allowed by the statute.

No opposing or neutral testimony was presented to the House Committee.

The fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget states the bill is of a technical nature; therefore, enactment of the bill would have no fiscal effect.

*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>