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MEMORANDUM

To: Senate Committee on Judiciary
From: Office of Revisor of Statutes
Date: January 18, 2022
Subject: Bill Brief for HB 2075

House Bill 2075 changes the venue statute for agency adoptions.

Generally, venue means the place where a legal action may be filed and heard. The bill amends K.S.A. 59-2126 to provide that in an agency adoption, when the state or a state department is the agency, venue can be the county where the department or any subcontracting agency has an office. Other venue options provided by current law are unchanged.