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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2880

As Amended by Senate Committee on Judiciary

Brief*

HB 2880 expands the law regarding the collection of specimens of blood and saliva to include instances when an adult or a juvenile offender is found guilty of any felony and certain violations such as lewd and lascivious behavior, cruelty to animals, criminal restraint when the victim is less than 18 years of age, adultery when one of the parties involved is less than 18 years of age, promoting prostitution when one of the parties involved is less than 18 years of age, unlawful sexual relations when the victim is less than 18 years of age, or sexual battery.

The Deoxyribonucleic Acid (DNA) records and samples will be maintained by the Kansas Bureau of Investigation. In addition, a DNA data bank and database will be established. DNA records will be confidential and only released to authorized criminal justice agencies.

Any rules and regulations which must be promulgated in this matter shall require compliance with national quality assurance standards.

The Senate Committee clarified that collection of specimens shall be conducted by qualified volunteers, contractual personnel, or employees designated by the Kansas Bureau of Investigation.

Background

The legislator who requested the bill appeared in support of the proposal. Also testifying in favor of the bill was the conferee representing the Kansas Bureau of Investigation.

^{*}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/cgi-bin/fulltext/bills.cgi

The fiscal note on the bill as drafted indicated that in FY 2003 the total fiscal effect would be \$1,855,140.