

SESSION OF 2004

**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2487**

As Recommended by House Committee on  
Corrections and Juvenile Justice

**Brief\***

HB 2487 would repeal the current statute (KSA 2003 Supp. 75-7032) that would abolish the Juvenile Justice Authority on July 1, 2004. The bill eliminates the sunset provision.

**Background**

HB 2487 was requested for introduction by the Joint Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice Oversight.

The Family and Children Program Coordinator of the Office of Judicial Administration and the Commissioner of the Juvenile Justice Authority testified in support of the bill. Written testimony in support of the legislation was provided by the Kansas Community Corrections Association. There were no opponents.

According to the fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget, if the current law is left in place and the agency was abolished, the budget of \$53.3 million from all funding sources for FY 2005, \$28.6 million from the State General Fund, would be reduced to zero. HB 2487 would allow the budget to remain at the current expected level, based on the amounts included in *The FY 2005 Governor's Budget Report*.

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\*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>