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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2748

As Recommended by House Committee on
Appropriations

Brief*

HB 2748, as recommended, would transfer responsibility for the operations of the surplus property program for the state from the Department of Corrections to the Department of Administration. As a result of HB 2748, all fund balances for the program would be transferred to the Department of Administration. In addition, all rules and regulations currently in place would be continued until amended, revised, revoked, or nullified, and all outstanding property would be transferred to the Department of Administration. The bill would also allow for the continuance of all legal action commenced by or against the parties affected by the transfer of responsibilities. Employees of the surplus property program as of the transfer date would be retained with all retirement benefits, leave balances, and rights preserved.

Background

The Director of the Division of Facilities Management of the Department of Administration and the Secretary of Corrections testified in support of the bill.

The fiscal note from the Division of the Budget indicates that HB 2748 would be fiscally neutral. The program is self funding and would continue to be as operated by the Department of Administration.

*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>