

SESSION OF 2006

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT BRIEF
SENATE BILL NO. 434**

As Agreed to March 31, 2006

Brief*

SB 434 would extend until July 1, 2008, the pilot program for community corrections placements based on risk assessments administered by the Johnson County District Court.

Risk and needs assessments would be added to the list of certain court records that could be accessible only to the parties, the sentencing judge, the Department of Corrections and, if requested, the Kansas Sentencing Commission.

The bill also would clarify that once the Secretary of Corrections is notified by the clerk of the district court that an offender has had a sentence imposed, the Secretary has three business days to notify the Sheriff to deliver the offender to the custody of the Secretary.

Conference Committee Action

The Conference Committee agreed to the House amendments and agreed to add in provisions of HB 2819 regarding the clarification of the time frame for delivery of prisoners.

Background

The bill was supported by the Secretary of the Kansas Department of Corrections. The pilot program is set to expire on July 1, 2006.

The House Committee inserted the provision regarding accessibility of court records.

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The House Committee of the Whole amendment was technical in nature.

The bill would have no fiscal impact.

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