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**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE
SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 1**

As Recommended by House Committee on
Economic Development

Brief*

House Sub. for SB 1 would create the Joint Committee on Bioscience Oversight. The Joint Committee would be composed of 12 members, four members each appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and by the President of the Senate; two members each appointed by the minority leaders of the House and Senate. A quorum of the Joint Committee would be seven members; and the members would receive compensation, travel expenses and subsistence expenses when attending meetings of the Committee. The Joint Committee would have exclusive responsibility to monitor and study the operations and decisions of the Kansas Bioscience Authority and the Committee would be allowed to introduce legislation. The Joint Committee would sunset on July 1, 2014.

Background

The bill was requested by the Committee on Confirmation Oversight. The Senate Committee on Commerce has requested that the bill be placed on the consent calendar of the Senate. No one testified in support of or opposition to the bill.

The Senate Committee made a technical change to the bill.

The House Committee deleted all the provisions of the amended Senate bill and replaced it with the creation of the Joint Committee on Bioscience Oversight.

*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>