## SESSION OF 2007

## SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 72

As Amended by House Committee on Health and Human Services

## Brief\*

SB 72 would amend two statutes under which funeral directors are licensed and regulated by the Board of Mortuary Arts. In addition to making technical corrections to the existing statutes, the amendments would expand and clarify the definition of "funeral director," and expand and clarify the grounds for disciplinary action against a licensee.

## **Background**

SB 72 was requested by a representative of the Board of Mortuary Arts who also appeared as the sole conferee on the bill at hearings in both the House and Senate Committees. The bill was characterized by the conferee as containing updates and clarifications to existing law.

The House Committee amendment is technical in nature.

The fiscal note on SB 72 indicates passage of the bill would have no fiscal effect.

<sup>\*</sup>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