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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 101

As Recommended by House Committee on Elections and Governmental Organization

Brief*

House Sub. for SB 101 would require the Kansas Lottery Commission to designate lottery games, the revenues from which would be used to fund the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame. The bill also would establish a fund called the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame Lottery Fund in the state treasury. The games would be designated so that the proceeds of only one game at a time are used for the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame.

The bill would require the Executive Director of the Lottery Commission to report monthly the amount of net proceeds to be transferred to the newly established Kansas Sports Hall of Fame Lottery Fund by the Director of Accounts and Reports. The Director of Accounts and Reports also would be required to transfer from the State General Fund (SGF) monthly interest earnings, based in part on the average daily balance of money in the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame Lottery Fund.

The bill would require all expenditures from the newly created fund be made based on appropriation acts. The expenditures would have to be issued pursuant to vouchers approved by the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame Board of Trustees or one or more designees of the Board.

^{*}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

Background

The House Committee on Elections and Government Organization removed the contents of SB 101, which would have made several changes to the Campaign Finance Act, and replaced them with the contents of HB 2507, relating to funding for the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame. According to the fiscal note for HB 2507, the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame is a not-for-profit corporation governed by a board of trustees appointed by the Governor.

Also in the fiscal note for HB 2507, passage of the bill would reduce the annual transfer to the State Gaming Revenues Fund and ultimately to the SGF by the amount of the proceeds diverted to the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame. However, the Kansas Lottery indicates it cannot estimate the precise fiscal effect without information concerning which game would be sold specifically to fund the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame Lottery Fund.