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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2368

As Amended by Senate Committee of the Whole

Brief*

HB 2368, as amended, would authorize expenditures from the State General Fund and various special revenue funds for the payment of specific claims against the State of Kansas. Agencies affected by the bill would include: the Department of Revenue; the Department of Corrections; El Dorado Correctional Facility; Lansing Correctional Facility; Larned Correctional Mental Health Facility; the Department of Administration; the State Fair; Emporia State University; Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs; Kansas State University; and the Kansas Public Employees Retirement System (KPERS).

Background

The Senate Committee of the Whole made several technical changes to the bill. The Senate Committee on Ways and Means amended the bill to include payment for a wrongful incarceration claim which was previously removed, and changed the funding of another wrongful incarceration claim from being funded equally from the Department of Corrections and the Judicial Branch to being funded from the State General Fund. Additionally, the Committee included payment for an expired KPERS warrant. The bill, as amended by the Senate Committee on Ways and Means, authorizes total expenditures of \$340,996, which includes \$88,629 from the State General Fund and \$252,367 from other sources. In addition, the bill authorizes a transfer of \$128,956 from the State General Fund to a special revenue fund for payment of one claim.

^{*}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

The House Committee of the Whole amended the bill to include payment for a wrongful incarceration claim in the amount of \$75,000, all from the State General Fund, to be funded equally from the Department of Corrections and the Judicial Branch. The bill, as amended by the House Committee of the Whole, authorizes total expenditures of \$210,040, which includes \$88,629 from the State General Fund and \$121,411 from other sources.

The House Committee on Appropriations amended the bill to remove payments for two wrongful incarceration claims. Other amendments were technical in nature. The bill, as amended by the House Committee on Appropriations, authorizes total expenditures of \$135,040, which includes \$13,629 from the State General Fund and \$121,411 from other sources.