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## SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2893

As Recommended by House Committee on Social Services Budget

## Brief\*

HB 2893 would amend existing law to exempt programs of all-inclusive care for the elderly (PACE), certified to participate in the Medicare or Medicaid program, from the requirement of being licensed as a home health agency. This exemption would apply only to PACE programs that provide services exclusively to PACE participants.

## **Background**

Representatives of the Kansas Department on Aging, the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, and Kansas Association of Homes and Services for the Aging spoke in support of the bill at the hearing.

The fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget indicates that passage of the original bill would not have a fiscal impact on the Department on Aging.

<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