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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2492

As Recommended by House Committee on Insurance

Brief*

HB 2492 would amend a provision in the Kansas Automobile Injury Reparations Act to require insurance companies to add the make and year of an insured vehicle to the list of information required to be included on insurance identification cards.

Background

The bill was introduced at the request of the Kansas Insurance Department whose representative indicated that the sole purpose of this bill is to make provisions in the Insurance Code consistent with the laws governing the Department of Revenue and their enforcement of automobile financial responsibility law. The representative further noted that since 1996 (HB 2691), all automobile liability insurance companies doing business in Kansas have complied with KSA 8-1604 (Department of Revenue law noted above) and have included both the make and year of a vehicle on their proof of insurance identification card.

The House Committee recommended the bill be placed on the Consent Calendar.

The fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget states that the Kansas Insurance Department indicates that passage of the bill would have no fiscal effect to the agency.

^{*}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