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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 2051

As Recommended by House Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice

Brief*

Substitute for HB 2051 would amend the Criminal Procedure Code related to offender release to provide the following:

- ! No fee could be charged for providing criminal history record information to the Department of Corrections or any other criminal justice agency; and
- ! The Criminal Justice Information System Central Repository would be required to identify those persons committed to a correctional facility and report the issuance of an arrest warrant or the imposition of a sentence for such persons to the Department of Corrections within seven days of receiving those reportable events.

Background

A conferee representing the Department of Corrections spoke in favor of the original bill. A delegate from the Kansas Bureau of Investigation expressed support for the concept of the original bill.

The fiscal note on the original bill indicates the impact would result in the need for 152 additional prison beds by FY 2006 and 14 additional prison beds by FY 2015. A fiscal note on the substitute bill was not available when the substitute bill was passed out of the House Committee.

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^{*}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