

SESSION OF 2005

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2298

As Recommended by House Committee on
Transportation

Brief*

HB 2298 would allow the owner or lessee of a motorcycle who has been awarded a purple heart medal to be issued a license plate designating the applicant as a recipient of such medal.

Background

Conferees who testified in support of the bill included Chris Maurich of A Brotherhood Against Totalitarian Enactments and American Bikers Aimed Towards Education (ABATE) , and Charles Yunker, The American Legion. Timothy S. Gates, a private citizen submitted written testimony in support of the bill. The Director of Vehicles submitted informational testimony.

The Kansas Department of Revenue indicates that some programming changes to the Vehicle Information Processing System would be required with passage of the bill. Also, production and shipping cost of the license plate to all 105 counties would be required. The agency estimates that these expenses would be handled with current revenues.

*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>