

SESSION OF 2006

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 373

As Recommended by Senate Committee on
Transportation

Brief*

SB 373 will implement the Performance and Registration Information Systems Management (PRISM) program in Kansas. The bill would allow the Kansas Department of Revenue to revoke or suspend the vehicle registration of commercial motor vehicles upon notice from the PRISM program that the motor carrier responsible for its safety has been prohibited from operating in interstate commerce by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration.

Background

Representatives of the Kansas Motor Carriers Association (KMCA) and the Kansas Department of Revenue appeared as proponents of the bill. The KMCA noted that the PRISM program would allow Kansas to tie interstate commercial motor vehicle identification numbers to a motor carrier's identification number issued by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration. The KMCA also noted that implementation of PRISM would be funded through grants from the federal government. There was no testimony in opposition to the bill.

At the time of the hearing, there was no fiscal note for SB 373.

*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>