

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MR. SPEAKER:

The Committee on **Corrections and Juvenile Justice** recommends **SB 487**, As Amended by Senate Committee, be amended on page 3, following line 12, by inserting:

"New Sec. 3. (a) An offender may file a petition with the district court in the county where such offender resides to establish that such offender is indigent for the purposes of K.S.A. 22-4905, and amendments thereto. No surcharge or fee shall be imposed on any offender filing a petition pursuant to this section.

(b) The petition shall be accompanied by an affidavit that sets forth a factual basis upon which the offender alleges by reason of poverty an inability to pay the fees described in K.S.A. 22-4905, and amendments thereto, including, but not limited to, the source and amount of such offender's weekly income. Such affidavit shall contain the information required in an affidavit pursuant to K.S.A. 60-2001, and amendments thereto, and be signed and sworn to by the offender under penalty of perjury, K.S.A. 21-5903, and amendments thereto. The form of the affidavit shall be deemed sufficient if in substantial compliance with the form set forth by the judicial council.

(c) The court may conduct a hearing on the petition and require additional information from the offender. The court, with or without a hearing, may:

- (1) Deny the petition; or
- (2) grant the petition, determine that the offender is indigent for the purposes of K.S.A. 22-4905, and amendments thereto, and enter the basis for such decision on the record.

(d) This section shall be a part of and supplemental to the Kansas offender registration

act.";

On page 11, in line 39, by striking all after "\$20"; in line 40, by striking all before "as"; in line 42, after "school" by inserting "and remit the technology fee described in section 1, and amendments thereto, in the county where the offender resides"; in line 43, by striking the second "such"; also in line 43, after "payment" by inserting "to the sheriff's office in the amount of \$20 plus the technology fee described in section 1, and amendments thereto,";

And by renumbering sections accordingly;

On page 1, in the title, in line 4, after the semicolon by inserting "providing for a petition to determine that an offender is indigent;"; and the bill be passed as amended.

Chairperson