

SESSION OF 2011

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2080

As Amended by House Committee on
Elections

Brief*

HB 2080 would revise KSA 2-624, changing the filing deadline for extension districts from five weeks prior to the election, to the Tuesday ten weeks before the election.

Technical changes also would be made to KSA 2-624 to correct the lettering of sections.

Background

Representative Jerry Williams and six county clerks (Allen, Cloud, Jefferson, Neosho, Osage, and Washington) testified in favor of the bill, which will make the filing deadlines more uniform, allowing ballots to be printed in a more timely manner.

There was no opponent testimony.

The House Committee on Elections approved an amendment to move the filing deadline from Wednesday to Tuesday to conform with other filing deadlines. The conferees agreed with this amendment, which will make all filing deadlines consistent.

The fiscal note states that the Secretary of State indicated no impact on state revenue or expenditures.

*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>