

SESSION OF 2014

**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL
NO. 2476**

As Recommended by House Committee on
Appropriations

Brief*

Senate Sub. for HB 2476 would appropriate the Professional Employer Organization Fee Fund within the Kansas Insurance Department for FY 2014 and FY 2015. Registration fees from professional employee organizations required to register with the Insurance Commissioner in compliance with the Professional Employer Organization Registration Act would be credited to this fund. The Professional Employer Organization Registration Act became effective January 1, 2014.

Additionally, the bill would transfer \$120, 10.0 percent of the printing, advertising, and marketing budget, from the Insurance Department Service Regulation Fund to the Maintenance Obligations Fund of the Department of Children and Families and reduce expenditures by the same amount for FY 2015.

The bill would be in effect upon publication in the *Kansas Register*.

Background

The House Appropriations Committee removed all sections pertaining to appropriations for the Kansas Insurance Department for FY 2014 and FY 2015 from HB 2529 (as amended by the Committee) and inserted the

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sections into HB 2476, after deleting the contents of HB 2476. The House Committee then passed the bill as a substitute bill.

HB 2529 amends the Governor's recommended budget for FY 2015 by deleting the transfer of \$3.0 million from the Insurance Department Service Regulation Fund to the State General Fund for FY 2015. This would leave intact the \$5.0 million transfer from the Insurance Department Service Regulation Fund to the State General Fund already authorized by the 2013 Legislature. The Appropriations Committee also deleted \$3,577, all from special revenue funds, for the Governor's 1.5 percent base pay increase for classified employees for FY 2015.

No opponents or proponents appeared to testify concerning this bill. A fiscal note on the substitute bill was not immediately available.