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**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE RESOLUTION NO.
6045**

As Amended by House Committee on
Agriculture and Natural Resources

Brief*

HR 6045 would state that the Kansas House of Representatives supports the use of sound science to study and regulate modern agricultural technologies such as crop protection chemistries and genetically engineered or enhanced traits and nutrients. In addition, the resolution would state opposition by the House to legislation or regulatory action, at any level, that may result in unnecessary restrictions on the use of modern agricultural technologies.

A copy of the resolution would be sent to the President of the United States, the President of the U.S. Senate, the Speaker of the U.S. House, and to all the members of the Kansas delegation to Congress, with the request that the resolution be included in the Congressional Record.

Background

At the hearing on the resolution in the House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee, proponents included spokespersons representing Bayer Health, the Kansas Agricultural Alliance, and the Kansas Farm Bureau. Written testimony in support of the resolution was provided by the Kansas Corn Growers Association and the Kansas Chamber.

*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>

The House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources amended the resolution by eliminating one of the preambles to the resolution.