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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 250

As Amended by House Committee on
Appropriations

Brief*

SB 250, as amended, would remove the requirement that the Secretary of Administration provide a monthly progress report to the Joint Committee on State Building Construction regarding progress on existing projects.

Background

The Director of Legislative and Public Affairs of the Kansas Department of Administration testified in support of the bill at the hearings in the Senate Committee on Ways and Means during the 2015 Legislative Session and the House Committee on Appropriations during the 2016 Legislative Session. The Director indicated the bill was the product of the Office of the Repealer and, due to a reduction in the amount of oversight and project management the Division of Facilities Management provides to Regents institutions, the reports are of limited value. The Director indicated the Division of Facilities Management would continue to provide monthly reports on change orders on these and other construction projects. There was no other testimony on the bill.

The House Appropriations Committee amended the bill to reflect the current year.

According to the fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget, the bill would have no fiscal effect on agency operations.

*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>