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**MEMORANDUM**

To: House Committee on Insurance

From: Jason Thompson, Senior Assistant Revisor of Statutes

Date: January 26, 2017

Subject: Bill Brief for HB 2067

HB 2067 authorizes the commissioner of insurance to require fingerprinting of applicants for a resident insurance agent license.

The bill amends K.S.A. 40-4905, part of the uniform insurance agents licensing act, to allow the commissioner of insurance to require a person applying for a resident insurance agent license to be fingerprinted for purposes of a national criminal history record check. Subsection (b) of the current law allows the commissioner to examine the applicant's background for disqualifying acts, but a full state and national criminal history record check requires submission of fingerprints to the Kansas bureau of investigation, which is not authorized by current law.