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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2130

As Recommended by House Committee on
General Government Budget

Brief*

HB 2130 would remove the requirement that state agency contracts or leases extending for a period longer than one year be filed with the Director of Accounts and Reports. The bill would also remove the requirement that contracts subject to approval by the Attorney General be countersigned by the Director of Accounts and Reports. Finally, the bill would remove the requirement that orders or requisitions for contractual services be made on a prescribed form unless a purchase order is required for each contracted payment.

Background

In the House Committee on General Government Budget hearing, the Director of Legislative and Public Affairs for the Department of Administration testified in support of the bill. The Director indicated the bill was a product of the Office of the Repealer and the goal was to remove a redundant contractual cover page requirement after the development of alternative contractual approval procedures in the Statewide Management Accounting and Reporting System. No other testimony was provided.

The House Committee recommends this bill be placed upon the consent calendar.

*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>

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