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MEMORANDUM

To: Senate Committee on Judiciary
From: Natalie Scott, Assistant Revisor of Statutes
Date: March 14, 2019
Subject: Bill Brief on HB 2191

HB 2191 makes changes to the law related to search warrants for electronically stored information.

The bill amends K.S.A. 22-2503 to provide that warrants issued for electronically stored information, electronic devices or media capable of storing electronically stored information located within Kansas authorize the transfer of the information for further review and examination anywhere within the state or outside the state. The bill provides this new provision shall apply to warrants issued after the effective date of the bill, if passed (July 1, 2019).