

SESSION OF 2019

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 19

As Recommended by Senate Committee on
Judiciary

Brief*

SB 19 would amend the statute governing the presentence investigation report prepared in criminal cases to allow access to the report by community correctional services and any entity required to receive the information under the Interstate Compact for Adult Offender Supervision. The bill also would make technical changes to provide consistency in references to the report and consistency in statutory phrasing.

Background

The bill was introduced by the Senate Committee on Judiciary at the request of the Judicial Branch. In the Senate Committee Hearing, a representative of the Office of Judicial Administration testified in support of the bill. Representatives of the Kansas Community Corrections Association, Kansas District Judges Association, and Kansas Sentencing Commission submitted written-only proponent testimony. No other testimony was provided.

According to the fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget on the bill, the Office of Judicial Administration and the Kansas Sentencing Commission indicate enactment of the bill would have no fiscal effect.

*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>