

SESSION OF 2022

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2462

As Recommended by House Committee on
Federal and State Affairs

Brief*

HB 2462 would amend law to remove committee membership requirements for legislators appointed to the Joint Committee on State-Tribal Relations.

Under current law, legislators appointed to the Joint Committee on State-Tribal Relations must be selected only from the membership of the standing committees on Federal and State Affairs and Judiciary, the House Committee on Taxation, or the Senate Committee on Assessment and Taxation.

Background

The bill was introduced by Representative Victors.

House Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In the House Committee hearing, Representative Victors, Byers, Haswood, and Sawyer provided **proponent** testimony, stating the committee membership requirement is outdated, makes appointments difficult, and does not account for Native American legislators with different interests and expertise.

No other testimony was provided.

*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>

Fiscal Information

According to the fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget on the bill, enactment of the bill would have no fiscal effect, as it would not change the number of committee members for the Joint Committee on State-Tribal Relations.

Joint Committee on State-Tribal Relations; membership requirements