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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2605

As Recommended by House Committee on Government Efficiency

Brief*

HB 2605 would repeal a statute in the Kansas Pesticide Law (Chapter 2, Article 24). The statute, KSA 2-2465, abolished the Pest Control Operators' Fee Fund and transferred all unencumbered moneys to the Pesticide Use Fee Fund.

Background

The bill was introduced at the request of the Governor's Office of the Repealer. A representative of the Department of Agriculture testified in favor of the bill before the House Committee on Government Efficiency noting the Kansas Pesticide Law established the Pesticide Use Fee Fund. The representative further stated the requirements of KSA 2-2465 (requiring all unencumbered moneys credited to the Pest Control Operators' Fee Fund be transferred to the Pesticide Use Fund and abolishing the Pest Control Operators' Fee Fund) have been fulfilled. The Department of Agriculture supports repealing the statute. No opposing or neutral testimony was presented to the House Committee.

The fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget states the bill is of a technical nature; therefore, 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