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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5006

As Amended by House Committee on Judiciary

Brief*

HCR 5006 would submit to the qualified electors of the State a proposed constitutional amendment concerning appropriations. The amendment would provide that the executive and judicial branches have no authority to direct the legislative branch to make any appropriation of money or to redirect an appropriation or limit in any fashion an appropriation already made by law, except as the legislative branch may provide or as may be required by the *U.S. Constitution*.

Background

In the House Committee on Judiciary, Representative Lance Kinzer appeared in support of HCR 5006. The Committee also received written testimony from Americans for Prosperity in support of the resolution, and from the Kansas Association of School Boards in opposition to the resolution. The Committee made technical amendments.

No fiscal impact information is available on this concurrent resolution.

^{*}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