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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 1

As Recommended by Senate Committee on Ways and Means

Brief*

SB 1 would allow the State Fair Board to expend or transfer moneys from its State Fair Capital Improvements Fund in the same manner as moneys from its State Fair Fee Fund for fiscal year (FY) 2021 and FY 2022. Currently, the State Fair Capital Improvements Fund may be used only for the payment of capital improvements and maintenance for the state fairgrounds and payment of capital improvements obligations that have been financed.

The bill would be in effect upon publication in the Kansas Register.

Background

The bill was introduced by Senator McGinn.

Senate Committee on Ways and Means

In the Senate Committee hearing on January 26, 2021, **proponent** testimony was provided by the Interim General Manager of the Kansas State Fair (State Fair). He noted the loss of revenue for the State Fair due to the cancellation of the 2020 State Fair event. He stated the bill would allow flexibility to assist the State Fair with cash flow issues.

No **opponent** or neutral 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, the State Fair states enactment of the bill would have no fiscal effect on the agency.

Kansas State Fair; capital improvements