

SESSION OF 2023

**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2214**

As Amended by Senate Committee on Judiciary

**Brief\***

HB 2214, as amended, would amend the definition of “correctional institution” in the Department of Corrections (KDOC) definitions statute. The amended definition would:

- Change the name of the Larned Correctional Mental Health Facility to the Larned State Correctional Facility;
- Remove references to the Osawatomie Correctional Facility and Toronto Correctional Work Facility that are no longer open ;
- Include “any juvenile correctional facility or institution” as defined in the Revised Kansas Juvenile Justice Code; and
- Include any other correctional institution for “adult and juvenile” offenders.

The bill would also amend the definition statute for “correctional institution” in the public-private partnership for correctional construction projects statute to cross reference the definition back to the department of corrections definitions statute.

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

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\*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>

## **Background**

The bill was introduced by the House Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice at the request of a representative of the KDOC.

### ***House Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice***

In the House Committee hearing on February 6, 2023, a representative of the KDOC testified as a **proponent** of the bill, stating the name change would clarify the current mission and purpose of the facility.

No other testimony was provided.

### ***Senate Committee on Judiciary***

In the Senate Committee hearing on March 7, 2023, a representative of the KDOC testified as a **proponent** of the bill, stating a name change would align the facility to the current mission of the facility.

No other testimony was provided.

The Senate Committee amended the bill to make it effective upon publication in the *Kansas Register*.

## **Fiscal Information**

According to the fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget on the bill, the KDOC indicates that enactment of the bill would require updates to agency signage and documents that would be covered with existing resources.

Any fiscal effect associated with the bill is not reflected in *The FY 2024 Governor's Budget Report*.

Larned State Correctional Facility; correctional institution; Department of Corrections;