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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1606

As Adopted by the Senate

Brief*

SCR 1606 makes findings concerning abortion policy in Kansas and enactment of the Reproductive Health Act by the State of New York.

The resolution states the State of Kansas condemns enactment of the Reproductive Health Act of New York and encourages legislators and executive officials in all 50 states to reject similar legislation.

The resolution requires the Secretary of State to send enrolled copies of the resolution to the Governor of New York and to each member of the New York State Senate and New York State Assembly.

Background

SCR 1606 was introduced in the Senate by Senators Masterson, Alley, Baumgardner, Berger, Billinger, Bowers, Braun, Denning, Estes, Givens, Goddard, Hardy, Hilderbrand, Kerschen, Longbine, Lynn, McGinn, Olson, Peterson, Pilcher-Cook, Pyle, Rucker, Suellentrop, Taylor, Tyson, Wagle, and Wilborn. The resolution was referred to the Senate Committee of the Whole and appeared on General Orders in the Senate on February 13, 2019. The resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 14, 2019.

*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