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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2484

As Recommended by House Committee on
Judiciary

Brief*

HB 2484 would require depositions in Kansas to be taken before a person who is certified by the Kansas Supreme Court as a certified court reporter, in addition to the current requirement that depositions be taken before an officer or person authorized by state law to administer oaths.

Background

In the House Committee on Judiciary, representatives of the Kansas Court Reporters Association appeared in support of HB 2484. No opponents offered testimony.

The fiscal note indicates passage of HB 2484 would have no fiscal effect on the Judicial Branch or local governments, as parties to the suit would pay the expense of having a certified court reporter take a deposition.

*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>