

SESSION OF 2012

**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 276**

As Amended by Senate Committee on Federal  
and State Affairs

**Brief\***

SB 276, as amended, would remove the current requirements on hiring practices that previously necessitated background checks for employees working for licensees under the Club and Drinking Establishment Act.

**Background**

The Director of the Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) testified as a proponent of the original bill. Testifying in opposition to the original bill were representatives of the Kansas Restaurant and Hospitality Association, the Kansas Licensed Beverage Association, the Kansas Wine & Spirits Wholesalers Association, and the Kansas Beer Wholesalers Association.

The Senate Committee removed the original amendment in the bill that would have required a background check.

The fiscal note on the original bill was negligible and ABC indicated that any costs could be absorbed within existing resources. The fiscal note for the amended bill was not available to the Senate Committee.

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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>