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**MEMORANDUM**

To: House Committee on Children and Seniors  
From: Kyle Hamilton, Assistant Revisor of Statutes  
Date: February 9, 2017  
Subject: Bill Brief on HB 2187

HB 2187 would amend K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 65-516 to expand the breadth of background checks on individuals residing, working or regularly volunteering at a child care facility.

Section 1 would add language that would prohibit the following additional individuals from interacting with child care facilities:

- Individuals convicted or adjudicated of a crime that requires registration as a sex offender under the Kansas offender registration act, as a sex offender in any other state or as a sex offender on the national sex offender registry.
- Individuals who are listed in any child abuse and neglect registry maintained by any other state or the federal government that is similar to the child abuse and neglect registry maintained by the Kansas department for children and families; and
  - failed to follow the requirements of a corrective action plan by an entity in any other state or the federal government similar to the Kansas department for children and families; or
  - has not had their record expunged pursuant to rules and regulations adopted by an entity in any other state or the federal government similar to the Kansas department for children and families.

HB 2187 would become effective upon publication in the statute book.