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## MEMORANDUM

To: House Committee on Veterans and Military

From: Jenna Moyer, Assistant Revisor of Statutes

Date: February 26, 2019

Subject: HB 2037 – Establishing the veterans benefit lottery game fund and disposition

of profits to veterans service programs.

Section 1 establishes the veterans benefit lottery game fund.

Section 2 amends K.S.A. 74-8711 by adding transfers to the veterans benefit lottery game fund as an allowable use for moneys in the lottery operating fund.

Section 3 amends K.S.A. 74-8724 to provide that on July 1 of each year, \$2,000,000 shall be transferred from the lottery operating fund to the veterans benefit lottery game fund. Of these moneys, 40% are credited to the national guard benefit fund, 30% for the use of the Kansas veterans' and soldiers' homes and 30% for a veterans enhanced service delivery program. This section also provides that beginning in 2020, these transfers are to be increased by 5% every year.