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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5016

As Recommended by House Committee on Judiciary

Brief*

HCR 5016 requests the Attorney General and the Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control in the Department of Revenue to conduct a study and make recommendations regarding sales and delivery of wines not available for sale in Kansas. It is recommended that, after hearings on the matter, a report and any recommendations be presented to the 2004 Legislature. The Kansas Legislative Research Department and the Kansas Revisor of Statutes Office would assist in carrying out the study, report, and recommendations.

Current law provides for a strict three tiered distribution system with products emanating from manufacturers to in-state distributors to retail licensees for sale to the public.

Background

Representative R. J. Wilson testified in favor of the resolution.

Others appearing in favor of the measure included conferees representing the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division in the Department of Revenue, the Kansas Association of Beverage Retailers, and the Kansas Wine and Spirits Wholesalers Association as well as a private citizen.

^{*}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/klrd