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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 562

As Amended by Senate Committee on Ways and Means

Brief*

SB 562, an amended, authorizes state agencies that own motor vehicles to purchase comprehensive coverage for collision on those vehicles. Current law prohibits agencies from purchasing any coverage beyond liability coverage on the vehicles.

Background

The Director of Facilities Management of the Department of Administration appeared on the bill. Written testimony in support of the bill was submitted by the Executive Director of the Real Estate Commission.

The bill as introduced would have mandated the purchase of comprehensive coverage for collision by agencies which own motor vehicles. The Senate Committee amended the bill to make the provisions permissive.

The fiscal note on the bill indicated the cost to an agency would be approximately \$472 per vehicle for the increased coverage.

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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