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**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 214**

As Recommended by House Select Committee on
Corrections Reform and Oversight

Brief*

House Sub. for SB 214 would grant retroactive jurisdiction, for violations committed after July 1, 2006, to a municipal court over driving under the influence (DUI) violations which the district court also has jurisdiction over, as long as the elements of the ordinance violation are the same as the statute on DUI and the violation would constitute a felony.

Background

SB 214, as introduced, would have removed statutory employee salary restrictions for both the Office of the Attorney General and the Insurance Department. Those provisions passed the Legislature in 2007 SB 114 and are codified in KSA 40-110 and KSA 75-3111.

There was no testimony on House Sub. for SB 214.

The House Select Committee on Corrections Reform and Oversight deleted the original provisions of the bill and inserted the provision that would grant retroactive jurisdiction to a municipal court over certain DUI violations.

The fiscal note from the Division of Budget states the passage of this bill could reduce the number of district court hearings by shifting cases to municipal courts. However, it is unknown how many cases would shift. Therefore, the fiscal effect of the bill is unknown.

*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>