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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 527

As Amended by Senate Committee on
Education

Brief*

SB 527 would expand the age of eligibility for students who qualify for parent education programs to any child under the age of eligibility for school attendance. Current law provides that parent education programs (Parents as Teachers) can be provided for infants and toddlers under the age of three.

Background

Representatives of the Kansas Association of School Boards and the Kansas Parents As Teachers Association supported the bill. There were no opponents of the bill during the Committee hearing.

The Committee amended the bill eliminating the bill's section that would allow any child under the age of three to be eligible for the Early Head Start Program.

There was no fiscal note for the amended bill.

*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>