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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON SENATE BILL NO. 702

As Recommended by Senate Committee on
Ways and Means

Brief*

SB 702 would extend 14 statutory exceptions to the Open Records Act until July 15, 2009, in order for legislative reviews of each provision to be completed.

Background

In recent years, the Legislature undertook a comprehensive review of the Open Records Act in order to determine if any statutory exceptions to that law were unnecessary and could be discontinued. That legislative review work has not been completed, and the bill would extend 14 of the statutory provisions for another year to allow completion of the review for each exception. Recommendations about each of the statutes addressed in this bill would be presented to the 2009 Legislature after a 2008 interim study is completed.

*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>