

SESSION OF 2008

**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6021**

As Amended by House Committee on
Education

Brief*

HR 6021 would urge the State Board of Education to focus more specifically on the reading needs of children with dyslexia. The resolution would address early screening, diagnostic assessments, teacher preparation, and instructional programs for the students.

Background

The Chairman of the House Committee on Education asked Representative Rhoades to develop a resolution addressing the needs of dyslexic students. The request was made after a hearing was held on HB 2778, during which testimony was received from students and parents regarding unmet instructional needs in public schools.

The House Committee amended the bill to fine-tune the language.

*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>