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MEMORANDUM

To: Senate Committee on Judiciary

From: Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date: March 11, 2025

Subject: Bill Brief on SB 288 (As Introduced)

Senate Bill 288 prohibits certain sex offenders from entering onto school property or attending school activities and creates criminal penalties for violation.

New Section 1 would create a new section of law to provide that it is unlawful for any sex offender who is 18 years of age or older and whose underlying crime for which the offender is required to register was a crime against a victim who was less than 18 years to enter onto school property or attend a school activity. On a first conviction, violation of this section would be a severity level 6, person felony, on a second conviction, a severity level 5, person felony, and on a third or subsequent conviction, a severity level 3, person felony.

Section 2 amends K.S.A. 22-4901, the citation of the act statute, to include new section 1 in the Kansas offender registration act.

Section 3 amends K.S.A. 22-4902, the statute that provides definitions for the Kansas offender registration act, to include definitions of "school activity" and "school property".

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