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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2078

As Recommended by House Committee on
Education

Brief*

HB 2078 would allow the School for the Blind to conduct training programs year round. Current law only allows training programs to be conducted during the summer. Current law does not prohibit the School for the Deaf from conducting training sessions at any time during the year.

Background

This bill was recommended by the State Board of Education. Proponents of the bill included Sue Storm, State Board of Education, and Madeleine Burkindine, Superintendent of the Kansas Schools for the Deaf and Blind.

The Division of the Budget fiscal note indicated the enactment of the bill would have no fiscal effect because all training programs are financed by fees imposed on those accessing the services.

*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>