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# SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2133

#### As Amended by House Committee of the Whole

### Brief\*

HB 2133, as amended, would authorize expenditures from existing resources, which include the State General Fund and various special revenue funds for the payment of specific claims against the State of Kansas. Agencies affected by the bill would include: the Department of Revenue; the Department of Corrections; El Dorado Correctional Facility; Winfield Correctional Facility; Lansing Correctional Facility; Larned Correctional Mental Health Center; Hutchinson Correctional Facility; Norton Correctional Facility; Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks; the University of Kansas; the Kansas Highway Patrol; the Department of Health and Environment; the State Board of Technical Professions; and the Topeka Correctional Facility.

# Background

The House Appropriations Committee authorized total expenditures of \$199,987.95, including \$9,452.18 from the State General Fund. The recommendation included \$34,190.96 for motor fuel tax refunds, \$466.27 from the Department of Corrections and the correctional facilities, \$5,280 from the Department of Wildlife and Parks to reimburse a claimant for bobcat pelts; \$12,302.40 form the University of Kansas General Fees Fund to reimburse a claimant for out-of-state tuition; \$125,416.04 from the Kansas Highway Patrol to reimburse University of Kansas Physicians, Inc. and the University of Kansas Hospital Authority pursuant to KSA 22-4612(a) for medical treatment of two prisoners in

<sup>\*</sup>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

Highway Patrol Custody; \$7,064.10 from the Sales Tax Refund Fund to reimburse Saunge, Inc. for overpayment of sales tax; \$9,452.18, all from the State General Fund, to reimburse Christian Van Meteren for legal expenses incurred defending allegations of the Governmental Ethics Commission; \$2,694.00 from the Underground Petroleum Tank Storage Release Trust Fund to reimburse a claimant for costs incurred during fuel storage tank leak testing; and \$3,122 from the Board of Technical Professions Fee Fund to reimburse Eldon Ray for legal costs incurred defending allegations by the Board of Technical Professions.

The House Committee of the Whole amended the bill to make several technical corrections recommended by Office of the Revisor to correctly identify several State General Fund accounts.

The fiscal note prepared by the Division of Budget indicated that the bill would authorize expenditures totaling \$199,987.95 from all funding sources, of which \$150,372,59 is from the State General Fund.