

SESSION OF 2011

**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2227**

As Recommended by House Committee on  
Corrections and Juvenile Justice

**Brief\***

HB 2227 would amend KSA 22-2304 to allow issuance of warrants identifying a defendant by a description of the defendant's DNA, rather than by name, when the defendant's name is unknown.

**Background**

In the House Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice, a representative of the Kansas Association of Chiefs of Police, Kansas Sheriffs Association, and the Kansas Peace Officers Association offered testimony in support of the bill. No opponents offered testimony.

The fiscal note indicates that passage of HB 2227 would have no fiscal effect.

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\*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>