

February 5, 2024

The Honorable Leo Delperdang, Chairperson
House Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 582-N
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Delperdang:

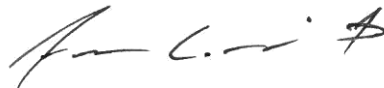
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2597 by House Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2597 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2597 would amend current law pertaining to the Kansas Corporation Commission's (KCC) timeline for determination of rate-making principles and treatment for electric generating or transmission facilities. Under current law, if the KCC does not issue a determination within 180 days of the date in which an application is filed, the rate-making principles and treatment proposed by the applicant is deemed to have been approved by the KCC and is binding on the KCC. The bill would extend the timeframe for the KCC to issue a determination from 180 days to 240 days.

The Kansas Corporation Commission and the Citizen's Utility Ratepayer Board indicate that the enactment of the bill would not have a fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



Adam C. Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Peter Barstad, Kansas Corporation Commission
Shonda Rabb, Citizens Utility Ratepayer Board