

February 12, 2014

The Honorable Ralph Ostmeyer, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs
Statehouse, Room 136-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Ostmeyer:

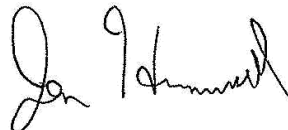
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 345 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 345 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 345 would allow a person holding a microbrewery license to also be issued a manufacturer's license. The bill would prohibit the licensee from selling any manufactured alcoholic liquor at its licensed premises or microbrewery outlets.

The Department of Revenue indicates that SB 345 would have a negligible fiscal effect on expenditures, but would increase liquor tax receipts if additional barrels of domestic beer were manufactured and sold. The Kansas Association of Counties indicates that it cannot determine what fiscal effect passage of SB 345 may have on Kansas counties.

Sincerely,



Jon Hummell,
Interim Director of the Budget

cc: Steve Neske, Revenue