

January 17, 2018

The Honorable Jene Vickrey, Chairperson
House Committee on Insurance
Statehouse, Room 276-W
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Vickrey:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2469 by House Committee on Insurance

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2469 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2469 would allow insurance companies to provide temporary claim services to their clients in the case of a catastrophic event. The bill would prohibit local governments from imposing restrictions and licensing requirements for insurance claim operations during an emergency, catastrophe, or other life or property threatening event. The insurance company would be required to notify the city or county prior to establishing a temporary claims handling operation.

The Insurance Department indicates HB 2469 would have no fiscal effect on its operations. The Kansas Association of Counties and the League of Kansas Municipalities indicate that the bill would have no fiscal effect on local governments.

Sincerely,



Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc: Glenda Haverkamp, Insurance
Chardae Caine, League of Municipalities
Melissa Wangemann, Association of Counties