

March 9, 2022

The Honorable Caryn Tyson, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Assessment and Taxation  
Statehouse, Room 548-S  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Tyson:

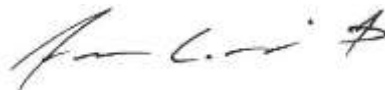
**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for SB 528 by Senate Committee on Assessment and Taxation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 528 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 528 would require each school district to provide up to \$250 to each teacher for classroom supplies. Any reimbursement would require documentation of the expense by the teacher.

SB 528 would have no fiscal effect on state aid expenditures to school districts. However, the Department of Education estimates that the bill would require total statewide reimbursements of up to \$9,571,250 by school districts to teachers ( $\$250 \times 38,285$  licensed teachers = \$9,571,250) in FY 2023, with similar expenditures in each subsequent year. The cost of the reimbursement would be paid from the general fund of each school district. The Department notes that each district would require additional clerical time to maintain an accounting of the reimbursements; however, a fiscal effect cannot be estimated.

Sincerely,



Adam Proffitt  
Director of the Budget

cc: Craig Neuenswander, Education