

April 7, 2022

The Honorable Ty Masterson, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Interstate Cooperation  
Statehouse, Room 332-E  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Masterson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 571 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

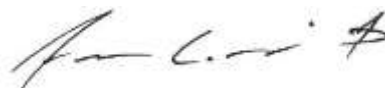
In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 571 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 571 would establish the Senate Committee on Organization and the House of Representatives Committee on Organization, both as standing committees of each chamber. The Senate Committee on Organization would have six voting members comprising the six most senior members in continuous terms of service of the majority party, excluding the President, Vice President, and Majority Leader. The House Committee on Organization would have 12 voting members comprising the 12 most senior members in continuous terms of service of the majority party, excluding the Speaker, Speaker Pro Tem, and the Majority Leader. The most senior member of the majority party of both chambers, in terms of continuous service, would serve as the chamber's standing committee as chairperson.

SB 571 would allow each chamber's standing committee on organization to close meetings of the committee to the public. The committees on organization would appoint the members of all standing, special and select committees of the respective chambers, and would select the chairpersons, vice chairpersons and would designate the ranking minority members.

According to Legislative Administrative Service, the enactment of SB 571 would be negligible on the Legislature's budget. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 571 is not reflected in *The FY 2023 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Karen Clowers, Legislative Services