February 19, 2019

The Honorable Brenda Landwehr, Chairperson
House Committee on Health and Human Services
Statehouse, Room 352-S
Topeka, Kansas  66612

Dear Representative Landwehr:

SUBJECT:  Fiscal Note for HB 2307 by House Committee on Health and Human Services

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2307 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2307 would prohibit any contract issued or renewed after July 1, 2019, between a health insurer and dentist who is a participating provider from having the terms, discounts, or rates being changed mid-term without the concurrence and agreement of the dentist. The bill would also clarify that a “covered service” does not include any service or material that is covered or provided at a nominal or de minimis rate, or any service or material that is not covered because of maximum coverage limitations.

The Insurance Department and the Department of Health and Environment indicate that enactment of HB 2307 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

Larry L. Campbell
Director of the Budget

cc:  Glenda Haverkamp, Insurance
     Dan Thimmesch, Health & Environment