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The Honorable Pete DeGraaf, Chairperson House General Government Budget Committee Statehouse, Room 459-W Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative DeGraaf:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2669 by House Committee on Appropriations

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2669 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2669 would transfer the State Civil Service Board from the Department of Administration to the Office of Administrative Hearings on July 1, 2015.

The Department of Administration and the Office of Administrative Hearings indicate both agencies have agreed that the provisions of the bill would not be implemented until the start of FY 2016, consistent with the bill's effective date. There would be no fiscal effect to the state budget in FY 2015 if the bill was enacted. Currently, the Department contracts with the office for Board functions using its appropriation from the State General Fund of \$67,500. This funding would simply be appropriated instead to the Office beginning in FY 2016.

Sincerely,

Jon Hummell,

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cc: Pam Fink, Department of Administration Bob Corkins, Administrative Hearings