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The Honorable Dennis Pyle, Chairperson Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government Statehouse, Room 234-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Pyle:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 99 by Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and

Local Government

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 99 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Current law requires an individual to register as a lobbyist if the total amount of reportable lobbying expenditures exceeds \$100 in a calendar year. SB 99 would increase that threshold amount to \$500.

According to the Governmental Ethics Commission, passage of SB 99 would have no fiscal effect on the agency.

Sincerely,

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