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The Honorable Dennis Hedke, Chairperson House Committee on Energy and Environment Statehouse, Room 581-W Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Hedke:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2693 by House Committee on Energy and Environment

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2693 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Current law allows the Secretary of the Kansas Department of Agriculture to establish rules and regulations imposing limitations on the use of any pesticide. HB 2693 would exempt the application of a pesticide to the soil prior to construction of a structure for the control of termites from rules or regulations requiring a rate, dosage or concentration that is more or less than that specified on the pesticide's label.

According to the Kansas Department of Agriculture, passage of HB 2693 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

Shawn Sullivan,

Director of the Budget

cc: Justin Law, Agriculture