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The Honorable Keith Esau, Chairperson  
House Committee on Elections  
Statehouse, Room 151-S  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Esau:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2539 by Representative Carpenter

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2539 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2539 would amend existing law concerning elected statewide officials to require that every candidate for the office of Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, and State Commissioner of Insurance be a qualified elector of the State of Kansas. In addition, the bill would require that every candidate for the office of Governor and Lieutenant Governor be a qualified elector and have been a Kansas resident for at least four consecutive years prior to becoming a candidate.

According to the Secretary of State, enactment of HB 2539 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shawn Sullivan", written over a horizontal line.

Shawn Sullivan,  
Director of the Budget

cc: Linda Borrer, Office of the Secretary of State