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Mr. Chairman and members of the Senate Financial Institutions & Insurance committee--

Thank you for the opportunity to write in support of SB 135 which would add Corrections staff to the KP&F retirement plan.

I believe that it is important for KDOC employees to have this opportunity, as it would lead to better retention, and a more competitive benefits package. This is important in a place like Leavenworth County where we have several prisons, Federal, State and Private. The state being less competitive than the other two mentioned.

In conclusion, I urge you to work SB 135 and pass it favorably out of committee. Thank you for, at a minimum, having a hearing on this subject.

Sincerely,

Bruce W Cobb