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Laura Kelly, Governor

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The Honorable Beverly Gossage, Chairperson Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 142-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Gossage:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 112 by Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 112 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 112 would authorize a registered nurse anesthetist to practice as an independent Advanced Practice Registered Nurse within the scope of the licensee's education and qualifications. The anesthetist would also be authorized to prescribe, procure, select, order, and administer any drug consistent with the licensee's education. The bill would take effect on and after January 1, 2024, and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book

The Board of Nursing indicates that SB 112 would have a negligible fiscal effect. Any expenses associated with the bill would include staff time for the revision of regulations, holding a public hearing, and publication costs in the Kansas Register. Communication to the Board's licensees and stakeholders would occur through current communication methods with no added cost. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 112 is not reflected in *The FY 2024 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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cc: Jill Simons, Board of Nursing