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The Honorable Steve Brunk, Chairperson House Committee on Federal and State Affairs Statehouse, Room 149-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Brunk:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2229 by House Committee on Commerce and

Economic Development

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2229 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2229 would require that schools give equal access to all education employee associations to physical or electronic mailboxes and new teacher or employee orientations. The bill would prohibit a school from giving an education employee association preferential treatment through procedures or policies and would prohibit endorsement of an employee association. In addition, any breaks in a school year could not be referred by a name of an employee education association.

Enactment of HB 2229 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

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