

February 17, 2011

The Honorable Tim Owens, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Judiciary
Statehouse, Room 559-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Owens:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 176 by Senate Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 176 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 176 would require courts, when considering the release of a person on appearance bond, to take into account whether a defendant is lawfully present in the United States.

Enactment of SB 176 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



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cc: Mary Rinehart, Judiciary