

January 25, 2012

The Honorable Ralph Ostmeyer, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Natural Resources  
Statehouse, Room 225-E  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Ostmeyer:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 314 by Senate Committee on Natural Resources

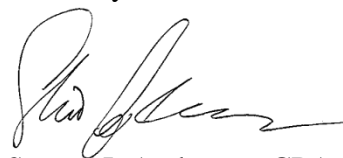
In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 314 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Current law exempts individuals over 65 years of age from purchasing hunting or fishing licenses. SB 314 would remove that exemption.

Estimated State Fiscal Effect				
	FY 2012 SGF	FY 2012 All Funds	FY 2013 SGF	FY 2013 All Funds
Revenue	--	--	--	\$702,999
Expenditure	--	--	--	--
FTE Pos.	--	--	--	--

According to the Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism, passage of SB 314 would increase fee revenues in FY 2013 by \$702,999. Of this amount, \$477,000 would be from actual fees paid for hunting and fishing licenses, and \$225,999 would come from the increase in federal matching funds that is based on the number of hunting and fishing licenses sold. Because fees for hunting and fishing licenses are based on the calendar year, rather than the fiscal year, the revenue increase for FY 2014 is expected to be twice the increase for FY 2013, or \$1.4 million. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 314 is not reflected in *The FY 2013 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,



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cc: Chris Tymeson, KDWPT