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Sam Brownback, Governor

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

Dear Senator Owens:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 97 by Senate Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 97 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 97 would extend the Judicial Branch surcharge through FY 2012. Under current law, the Judicial Branch surcharge will expire on June 30, 2011. The bill also includes technical language to correct and update citations.

The Judicial Branch FY 2012 budget, as submitted to the Legislature and included in *The FY 2012 Governor's Budget Report*, is based upon continuing the surcharge. It is estimated that continuing the current surcharge will result in \$9.0 million in revenues paid to the Judicial Branch in FY 2012 in support of non-judicial personnel.

Sincerely,

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cc: Mary Rinehart, Judiciary