



March 20, 2013

To: Chairman Olson and Committee Members

From: Steve Evans, F.O.P. President, Topeka Lodge #3

Subject: Senate Bill 152

Chairman Olson and Committee Members,

The Kansas Fraternal Order of Police represents thousands of active and retired police officers in Kansas. Passage of SB 152 would be of tremendous benefit to all of our members by allowing the continued health insurance coverage (for 18 months) for the families of officers killed in the line of duty. On behalf of the FOP I encourage you to support police officers and their families by voting in favor of this bill. There is some cost to the government entity of the officer killed but the long term benefit far outweighs the cost. Please vote to support this legislation.

Sincerely,

Steve Evans

Fraternal Order of Police

President, Topeka Lodge # 3