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The Honorable David Crum, Chairperson House Committee on Health and Human Services Statehouse, Room 512-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Crum:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2701 by House Committee on Health and Human

Services

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2701 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2701 would amend the Kansas Uniform Controlled Substances Act by adding several drugs to Schedules I and III of the controlled substance list. Schedule IV would be amended to include any material, compound, mixture or preparation which contains lorcaserin.

The State Board of Pharmacy indicates HB 2701 would reconcile the state list with the federal list and would have no fiscal effect. The Kansas Sentencing Commission indicates that adding any new chemical compound to the list could result in additional prison admissions and beds or the workload of the Commission, but there are no data available regarding those listed in the bill upon which to base an impact.

Sincerely,

Jon Hummell,

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cc: Debra Billingsley, Pharmacy Scott Schultz, Sentencing Commission