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Sam Brownback, Governor

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The Honorable Dennis Pyle, Chairperson Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government Statehouse, Room 234-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Pyle:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 100 by Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 100 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Current law requires registered lobbyists who spend less than \$100 in a given year to file an expenditure report on January 10 of the following year with the Secretary of State. SB 100 would eliminate this requirement.

According to the Office of the Secretary of State, passage of SB 100 would have no fiscal effect on the agency. The Governmental Ethics Commission states that passage of SB 100 would result in cost savings to the agency of approximately \$250. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 100 is not reflected in *The FY 2014 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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cc: Carol Williams, Governmental Ethics Rachel Sciolaro, Secretary of State's Office