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The Honorable Julia Lynn, Chairperson Senate Committee on Commerce Statehouse, Room 445-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Lynn:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 412 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 412 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, school bus drivers are permitted to apply for unemployment insurance benefits when school is in session. SB 412 would remove the reasonable assurance for school bus drivers. Removing the reasonable assurance would allow school bus drivers to apply and receive unemployment insurance benefits when school is not in session.

The Kansas Department of Labor states that enactment of SB 412 would have a fiscal effect because an increase in the number of unemployed persons would cause unemployment insurance benefit payments to increase. However, no information is available upon which to base an accurate estimate.

Sincerely,

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Larry L. Campbell Chief Budget Officer

cc: Dawn Palmberg, Department of Labor