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The Honorable Jene Vickrey, Chairperson House Committee on Insurance Statehouse, Room 276-W Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Vickrey:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2074 by Representative Probst, et al.

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2074 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2074 would require insurers who offer individual policies providing hospital, medical or surgical expense benefits to accept every individual who applies for coverage. The bill would also allow insurers to impose a preexisting condition exclusion of 90 days following the date of enrollment for conditions for which medical advice, diagnosis, care or treatment was recommended or received in the 90 days prior to the effective date of enrollment. In addition, the bill would make several technical amendments to current statute.

Enactment of HB 2074 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely, appell

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