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Laura Kelly, Governor

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The Honorable Kent Thompson, Chairperson House Committee on Local Government Statehouse, Room 187C-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Thompson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2238 by Representative Collins

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2238 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, the board of education of any school district, or the governing body of any city, or the board of education of any school district jointly with the governing body of any city in the school district is authorized to receive gifts of no more than \$500,000 to be used for the purpose of construction and furnishing of a library under certain conditions. HB 2238 would authorize would remove the \$500,000 cap to authorize donor gifts in any amount. The bill would include technical amendments.

The Kanas Department of Education indicates HB 2238 would have no fiscal effect on state revenues or expenditures, but it could have a fiscal effect on local school district expenditures, depending on the number and size of gifts that a district would accept.

Sincerely,

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