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The Honorable Kellie Warren, Chairperson Senate Committee on Judiciary Statehouse, Room 441B-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Warren:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 196 by Senator Haley

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 196 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 196 would require a convicted defendant to pay restitution for the purpose of supporting minor children if a crime caused the death or incapacitation of a victim who has minor children. Prior to sentencing, the court would conduct a hearing to establish the amount of restitution or state in detail on record why restitution is unworkable.

The Office of Judicial Administration indicates that enactment of the bill would have a negligible fiscal effect that could be absorbed within existing resources. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 196 is not reflected in *The FY 2022 Governor's Budget Report*.

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cc: Debbie Thomas, Judiciary