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The Honorable Caryn Tyson, Chairperson Senate Committee on Assessment and Taxation Statehouse, Room 123-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Tyson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 311 by Senate Committee on Assessment and Taxation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 311 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 311 would provide a sales tax exemption to the Johnson County Christmas Bureau Association for the purpose of providing food, clothing, cleaning supplies, personal care items, and other necessities to those in need and desiring assistance. The bill would also exempt sales taxes from being collected from any tangible personal property sold by or on behalf of the organization.

Estimated State Fiscal Effect				
	FY 2021 SGF	FY 2021 All Funds	FY 2022 SGF	FY 2022 All Funds
Revenue			(\$7,200)	(\$8,500)
Expenditure			\$1,200	\$1,200
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The Department of Revenue estimates that SB 311 would decrease state revenues by \$8,500 in FY 2022. Of that total, the State General Fund is estimated to decrease by \$7,200 in FY 2022, while the State Highway Fund is estimated to decrease by \$1,300 in FY 2022. This bill also is estimated to decrease local sales tax revenues by approximately \$3,500 in FY 2022. The Department of Revenue indicates that this bill would have a similar fiscal effect in future fiscal years. According to the Department of Revenue, reissuing sales tax publications and issuing tax entity exemption certificates would cost \$1,200 from the State General Fund in FY 2022.

The Kansas Department of Transportation indicates that the bill would reduce state revenues to the State Highway Fund as noted above. The Kansas Association of Counties and the League of Kansas Municipalities indicate that the bill would provide a net reduction to local sales tax collections that are used in part to finance local governments. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 311 is not reflected in *The FY 2022 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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