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The Honorable Mike Thompson, Chairperson Senate Committee on Utilities Statehouse, Room 548-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Thompson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 476 by Senate Committee on Utilities

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 476 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 476 would cap the amount of fees or charges included in a utility bill for a customer of a Board of Public Utilities at 15.0 percent of the combined charges for sewer, water, and electric service.

The League of Kansas Municipalities indicates SB 476 would have a negative fiscal effect on cities with boards of public utilities if they currently assess fees in excess of this bill's limits. The Kansas Corporation Commission indicates that SB 476 would have no fiscal effect on the Commission.

Sincerely,

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