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Laura Kelly, Governor

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The Honorable Robert Olson, Chairperson Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs Statehouse, Room 144-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Olson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 532 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 532 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 532 would allow candidates for nonpartisan offices to have their political party provided with the candidate's name on the ballot.

The Secretary of State's office indicates that the enactment of SB 532 would have no fiscal effect on its operations. The Kansas Association of Counties states that this bill is not anticipated to have any fiscal impact on local government, provided that including the political party affiliation on the ballot does not increase ballot printing costs or disrupt ballot formatting.

Sincerely,

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cc: Jay Hall, Association of Counties Sandy Tompkins, Office of the Secretary of State Wendi Stark, League of Municipalities