

February 11, 2011

The Honorable Roger Reitz, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Local Government
Statehouse, Room 223-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Reitz:

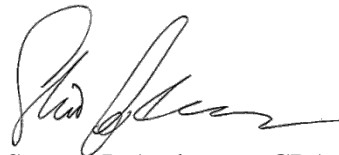
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 150 by Senate Committee on Ways and Means

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 150 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 150 would amend existing law concerning petitions for the incorporation of a city by clarifying how signatures on the petition must be verified. In addition, current law prohibits territory from being incorporated into a city unless it has 300 or more inhabitants or 300 or more platted lots served by water and sewer lines. SB 150 would decrease those numbers to 250.

According to the Kansas Association of Counties and the League of Kansas Municipalities, passage of SB 150 would have no fiscal effect on the counties or municipalities in Kansas.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Larry Baer, League of KS Municipalities
Melissa Wangemann, KS Association of Counties