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The Honorable Susan Humphries, Chairperson House Committee on Judiciary 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 582-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Humphries:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2155 by House Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2155 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2155 would clarify that sheriffs have liability for official acts related to the charge and custody of jails. The bill would specify that sheriffs and their sureties would be liable for the acts of deputies or jailers performing official duties related to the management of the jail.

The Judiciary indicates that enactment of the bill would have no fiscal effect on its operations. The Kansas Association of Counties indicates that the bill would have no fiscal effect on county governments.

Sincerely,

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