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The Honorable Beverly Gossage, Chairperson Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 142-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Gossage:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 145 by Senator Shane

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 145 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 145 would expand the number and circumstances of when reports need to be sent from the Department for Children and Families (DCF) to law enforcement agencies. Additionally, the bill would permit additional sharing of DCF resources with law enforcement.

DCF indicates that enactment of SB 145 would have no fiscal effect on the agency. The Kansas Association of Counties states enactment of the bill could impact reporting, though it is unclear how much of an impact this would have. The League of Kansas Municipalities indicates that SB 145 could have a positive fiscal effect on cities. This bill would allow local law enforcement agencies to request resources from DCF for investigations.

Sincerely,

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