

February 11, 2025

The Honorable Michael Fagg, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Utilities
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 548-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Fagg:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 170 by Senate Committee on Utilities

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 170 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

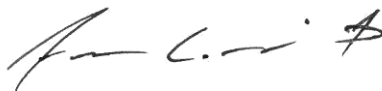
SB 170 would authorize the Kansas Corporation Commission to make recommendations regarding energy efficiency standards for residential, commercial, or industrial structures.

Estimated State Fiscal Effect			
	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
Expenditures			
State General Fund	--	--	--
Fee Fund(s)	--	\$40,000	\$40,000
Federal Fund	--	--	--
Total Expenditures	--	\$40,000	\$40,000
Revenues			
State General Fund	--	--	--
Fee Fund(s)	--	--	--
Federal Fund	--	--	--
Total Revenues	--	--	--
FTE Positions	--	--	--

The Kansas Corporation Commission indicates that enactment of the bill would increase expenditures for consulting services by \$40,000 per year from agency fee funds for review of best practices for building codes in order to make recommendations. The agency believes consulting services would be less expensive than hiring a position to conduct the research and prepare recommendations.

The Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board indicates that the enactment of the bill would not have a fiscal effect on its operations. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 170 is not reflected in *The FY 2026 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adam C. Proffitt", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Adam C. Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Lynn Retz, Kansas Corporation Commission
Shonda Rabb, Citizens Utility Ratepayer Board