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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 193 by Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 193 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 193 would amend KSA 65-16,127 related to dispensing and providing prescription-only emergency opioid antagonists in Kansas. The bill would exclude law enforcement and their respective agencies from the definition of first responder agencies and these personnel would not be eligible to receive prescription-only naloxone from pharmacists via the statewide dispensing protocol. However, the liability waivers and other protections are left in place for law enforcement who administer opioid antagonists in good faith to someone experiencing a suspected overdose.

The Board of Pharmacy indicates that enactment of SB 193 would have no fiscal effect on the Board.

Sincerely,

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