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Laura Kelly, Governor

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The Honorable Mike Thompson, Chairperson Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 144-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Thompson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 43 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 43 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 43 would make technical updates to cross references in the Personal and Family Protection Act regarding the eligibility requirements for obtaining a license to carry a concealed handgun. A person who holds a provisional license could submit a request to the Attorney General to have a standard license issued when they reach 21 years of age. Once the Attorney General confirms the individual is 21, the Attorney General would be required to issue a standard license for the remaining unexpired portion of the term of the provisional license.

When a license is suspended or revoked, the licensee would be required to surrender the physical license card or authorization document to the Attorney General. If a license is suspended, the physical card or authorized document would be returned to the licensee upon conclusion of the suspension. The bill would allow the Attorney General to charge a fee not to exceed \$250 to a licensee who fails to surrender a license within 30 days after a written notice that a license has been suspended or revoked. Any fees collected would be deposited into the Concealed Handgun Licensure Fund. Under the bill, a person of authority for a building would not be allowed to require, request, or record certain personal information of any off-duty law enforcement officer entering such building and the officer would not be required to wear anything identifying them as an officer or that they are armed.

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The Office of the Attorney General states that the bill would not affect agency operations. However, if the Office were to charge a fee for failure to surrender a license, revenues would increase by an unknown amount. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 43 is not reflected in *The FY 2026 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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