

March 22, 2011

The Honorable Pat Colloton, Chairperson  
House Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice  
Statehouse, Room 167-W  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Colloton:

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for HB 2325 by House Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2325 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2325 would amend current law by removing the requirement that any good time credits earned and subtracted from the time spent in prison be added to the term of postrelease supervision.

The Sentencing Commission indicates that passage of HB 2325 would have no effect on prison beds because the bill does not create new crimes, amend the penalties for existing crimes, or alter the amount of good time credits offenders can earn while in prison. The bill could potentially reduce the amount of time offenders must serve under postrelease supervision; however, this would not have an effect on prison beds. Several requests for information have been sent to the Department of Corrections; however, no response has been received. A revised note will be provided once specific information is obtained.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Helen Pedigo, Sentencing Commission  
Marie McNeal, Parole Board  
Jeremy Barclay, Corrections