

March 2, 2011

The Honorable Jean Schodorf, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Education
Statehouse, Room 236-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Schodorf:

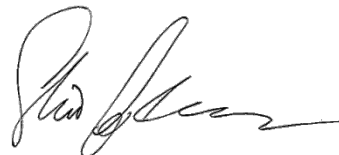
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 111 by House Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 111 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Current law regarding special education state aid contains a funding formula that would begin during school year 2011-2012 that would determine the minimum and maximum amount of special education state aid a school district may receive, based on a per-teacher basis. SB 111 would repeal this section of the special education school finance formula.

According to the Kansas Department of Education, enactment of SB 111 would have the potential to redistribute special education state aid payments among school districts, but would not change overall special education state aid to districts in total.

Sincerely,



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cc: Dale Dennis, Education