

February 17, 2011

The Honorable Tim Owens, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Judiciary
Statehouse, Room 559-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Owens:

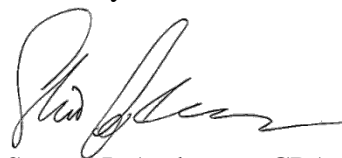
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 160 by Senator Lynn

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 160 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, only a "IV-D Agency" may serve a copy of an income withholding order for child support on a payor or business. SB 160 would permit a court trustee to serve copies of such orders, as well. In addition, the bill clarifies that the debt setoff provisions would apply not only to persons receiving assistance from the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services in collecting child support, but also to those individuals seeking assistance from the court trustee in collecting child support.

The Office of Judicial Administration indicates that passage of SB 160 would have no fiscal effect on its operations. The Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services also states that the bill would have no fiscal effect on its operations.

Sincerely,



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