

February 12, 2014

The Honorable Lance Kinzer, Chairperson
House Committee on Judiciary
Statehouse, Room 165-W
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Kinzer:

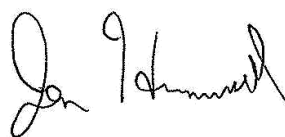
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2461 by Representative Edwards

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2461 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2461 would prohibit any state agency, political subdivision, or employee acting in the employee's official capacity, and any member of the Kansas National Guard on official state duty from assisting in an official capacity to aid an agency of the Armed Forces of the United States in any investigation, prosecution, or detention of any person under Section 2021 of the National Defense Authorization Act of FY 2012 if the aid would result in the state agency, political subdivision, or employee being in violation of the *United States Constitution*, the *Kansas Constitution*, or any state law. The bill would allow state or local law enforcement agencies or the Kansas National Guard to participate in a joint task force with any federal law enforcement agency if the joint task force is not for the purpose of investigating, prosecuting, or detaining any person pursuant to Section 2021 of the National Defense Authorization Act of FY 2012. The bill defines "political subdivision" and "state agency."

The League of Kansas Municipalities states it cannot estimate what fiscal effect enactment of HB 2461 would have upon Kansas cities because the League does not know how often, if at all, cities are called upon by the federal government to participate in the actions stated in the bill. The Adjutant General states there would be no fiscal effect to agency operations if HB 2461 were passed.

Sincerely,



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