

January 28, 2014

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

Dear Representative Kinzer:

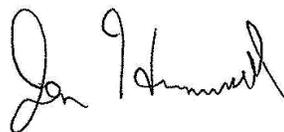
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2489 by House Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2489 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, records submitted to the Commissioner of Insurance in regard to public adjusters that contain information identified in writing as proprietary by the public adjuster are treated as confidential by the Commissioner and are not open for inspection under the Kansas Open Records Act (KORA). This exemption to the KORA is currently set to sunset on July 1, 2014. HB 2489 would remove the sunset provision.

According to the Kansas Insurance Department, enactment of HB 2489 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



Jon Hummell,
Interim Director of the Budget

cc: Zac Anshutz, Insurance