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The Honorable Dennis Pyle, Chairperson Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government Statehouse, Room 234-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Pyle:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 177 by Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and

Local Government

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 177 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 177 would prohibit the disclosure of voters' names, particularly the names of voters who cast provisional ballots, between Election Day and the final canvass of the election. The names of advance voters could be disclosed.

The Office of the Secretary of State indicates that SB 177 would have no fiscal effect on state revenues or expenditures or on county election offices.

Sincerely,

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