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To: House Judiciary Committee

Subject: HB2289 – Testimony In Favor

Chairman John Barker and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for allowing me to write in favor of HB2289. I have worked in the DUI field almost exclusively since 2010, and along the way represented hundreds of people dealing with the administrative consequences to a driver's license that come along with a DUI in Kansas.

This bill seeks to bring fundamental fairness to administrative driver's license hearings in KS. As things currently stand a person must pay \$50 for their right to a hearing, the person can then be denied access to police reports, and the person isn't even allowed to argue if the stop was lawful or not. This bill would bring fairness to the system.

This bill would correct current omissions in the statute, which deny people a fair hearing. I ask that you support HB2289.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert C. Gigstad".

Robert C. Gigstad