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The Honorable John Rubin, Chairperson House Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice Statehouse, Room 151-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Rubin:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2337 by House Committee on Corrections and

Juvenile Justice

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2337 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2337 would remove references and provisions relating to conservation camps and the Labette correctional conservation camp.

Enactment of HB 2337 would have no fiscal effect on the Department of Corrections. The conservation camp at Labette was operated by the Department of Corrections and was once a sentencing and alternative placement option for the Department and the courts. The camp was closed in 2009. However, the site was reopened in 2013 as the El Dorado Correctional Facility Southeast Unit, or the Oswego Correctional Facility, to house a specialized population of 230 geriatric inmates.

Sincerely,

Shawn Sullivan,

Director of the Budget