

February 8, 2016

The Honorable Daniel Hawkins, Chairperson
House Committee on Health and Human Services
Statehouse, Room 521-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Hawkins:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2607 by House Committee on Health and Human Services

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2607 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2607 would amend current law regarding child care facilities, as licensed by the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE). The bill would require that those who work, reside, or regularly volunteer at any child care facility be checked against the Kansas Sex Offender Registry to determine if they have been convicted or adjudicated of a crime that requires registration. The bill would also expand the check of individuals to include the Child Abuse and Neglect Registry from Kansas as well as any registries of other states or the federal government.

Passage of HB 2607 may require additional staff time; however, KDHE indicates any additional staff time would be absorbed within current resources.

Sincerely,



Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc: Aaron Dunkel, Health & Environment