

January 20, 2015

The Honorable Jeff King, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Judiciary
Statehouse, Room 341-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator King:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 17 by Senate Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 17 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 17 would amend current law to increase the number of members of the Judicial Council by adding the chairpersons of the House and Senate Corrections and Juvenile Justice Committees to the Council membership.

According to the Judicial Council, passage of SB 17 would create an ongoing expense in the amount of \$1,229, with \$283 for mileage and travel reimbursement and \$946 for per diem, subsistence and associated employer-paid benefits. If the bill were to be passed before the final Judicial Council meeting of FY 2015, expenditures for that fiscal year would be increased by approximately \$614. The agency is able to fund the expenditures using existing resources. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 17 is not reflected in *The FY 2016 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,



Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc: Janelle Williams, Judicial Council