

March 2, 2015

The Honorable Ralph Ostmeyer, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs
Statehouse, Room 136-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Ostmeyer:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 224 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 224 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 224 would allow the Emergency Medical Services Board to impose fines, issue subpoenas, and investigate violations that are specified in the bill. The bill would also require the Emergency Medical Services Board to submit an annual report on or before January 15 of each year to the Legislature regarding the use of fines and subpoenas issued.

The Emergency Medical Services Board indicates there would be additional revenues generated by the fines established in the bill; however, the Board cannot estimate how much additional revenue the fines would generate, as the agency is unable to estimate how many violations would occur. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 224 is not reflected in *The FY 2016 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,



Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc: Mary Rinehart, Judiciary
Joe House, EMS