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The Honorable Clay Aurand, Chairperson
House Committee on Education
Statehouse, Room 286-N
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Aurand:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2723 by House Committee on Education

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2723 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2723 would provide a procedure allowing residents of a township or city to petition and vote for the transfer of a school district territory. If the election is approved, the school district that lost the territory may petition the State Board of Education to hold a hearing to challenge the transfer of the territory. In considering the petition, the State Board would be required to uphold the transfer of the territory unless there is "clear and convincing" evidence that the transfer should not be upheld.

Enactment of HB 2723 would have no fiscal effect on state aid payments to school districts. Any fiscal effect from the bill would be borne by individual school districts and townships or cities that choose to have a petition vote.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "L. Campbell".

Larry L. Campbell
Chief Budget Officer

cc: Dale Dennis, Education
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Melissa Wangemann, Association of Counties