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April 5, 2018

The Honorable Carolyn McGinn, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Ways and Means
Statehouse, Room 545-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator McGinn:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 458 by Senate Committee on Ways and Means

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 458 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, public and private schools and educational institutions, except colleges and universities, are required to conduct at least one fire drill each month and three tornado drills throughout the school year during school hours. SB 458 would require all public and private schools and educational institutions, except colleges and universities, to conduct 16 emergency preparedness drills during the school year, including four fire drills, three tornado drills, and nine crisis drills, such as intruder response and lockdown drills.

The League of Kansas Municipalities indicates that enactment of SB 458 could require additional expenditures for travel costs and overtime pay for local public safety officials to oversee the emergency preparedness drills. However, the fiscal effect cannot be estimated because the number of additional overtime hours and travel costs for local public safety officials would vary widely across school districts. The Department of Education, Office of the State Fire Marshal, and Association of Counties indicate that enactment of SB 458 would have no fiscal effect. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 458 is not reflected in *The FY 2019 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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

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cc: Doug Jorgensen, Fire Marshal
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