

Cerebral Palsy Research Foundation of Kansas

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**To: The House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic
Development**

From: Patrick Terick, Director of Governmental Activities (CPRF)

Chairman Tarwater and members of the House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development, I want to thank you for your willingness to allow me to provide written testimony on behalf of the Cerebral Palsy Research Foundation of Kansas (CPRFK) in support of House Bill 2174.

CPRFK provides janitorial services under the state use law in Southcentral Kansas. This bill would extend the sunset provision of the state use committee. The state use committee provides a vital role in qualifying vendors to the program and assist the director of purchasing in setting the pricing for the products and services provided to state agencies, USD's (school district) and state Board of Regents universities.

I would urge the committee to extend the sunset provision of the use law committee for another five years and urge your support of House Bill 2174.

I wish to thank you again Chairman Tarwater and members of the House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development for allowing me to provide written testimony.