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The Honorable Fred Patton, Chairperson House Committee on Judiciary Statehouse, Room 519-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Patton:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2258 by Representative Holscher, et al.

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2258 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2258 would prevent landlords from evicting or refusing to lease to individuals for having been or being in imminent danger of becoming a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking, or stalking, if the individual otherwise qualifies for the tenancy. Tenants would not be liable for rent if they vacate the premises for the reasons listed above and the landlord is notified. The bill would provide additional housing protections for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking, or stalking.

The Office of Judicial Administration indicates enactment of HB 2258 would have a negligible fiscal effect on the operations of the Judicial Branch.

Sincerely,

Larry L. Campbell
Director of the Budget

cc: Janie Harris, Judiciary Scott Schultz, Sentencing Commission Linda Kelly, Corrections