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The Honorable Bill Sutton, Chairperson
House Committee on Elections
Statehouse, Room 274C-W
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Sutton:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2559 by House Committee on Elections

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2559 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Current law allows the response to a Notice of Failure to File issued with regard to written statements of substantial interest or any other forms required of lobbyists to be made within five days from the date of the receipt of the notice. HB 2559 would change that grace period to five days from the date the notice is deposited in the mail.

According to the Governmental Ethics Commission, enactment of HB 2559 would simplify enforcement and potentially reduce postage costs; however, the agency does not expect any measurable fiscal effect on agency operations. The Secretary of State does not expect enactment of the bill would have any fiscal effect on agency operations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "L. L. Campbell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "L".

Larry L. Campbell
Director of the Budget

cc: Mark Skoglund, Governmental Ethics