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

Dear Representative Patton:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2743 by House Committee on Taxation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2743 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2743 would allow the Chief Justice of the Kansas Supreme Court to issue orders to suspend or extend court deadlines and time of pretrial confinement and authorize the use of technology in order to conduct court proceedings remotely when the action is necessary to secure the health and safety of court users, staff, and judicial officers. The bill would also clarify time computation for various purposes. The bill would take effect upon its publication in the *Kansas Register*.

The Office of Judicial Administration states enactment of HB 2743 would not have a fiscal effect on the operations of the Judicial Branch.

Sincerely,

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

Larry L. Campbell
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cc: Mary Rinehart, Judiciary