

February 27, 2019

The Honorable Gene Suellentrop, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare  
Statehouse, Room 441-E  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Suellentrop:

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for SB 194 by Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 194 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 194 would amend the Uniform Anatomical Gift Act by providing that any citizen or resident of the State of Kansas would be authorized to make an anatomical gift. Further, the Act would provide the individual has the inherent right to decide whether to make an anatomical gift and about the conditions of use of the gift of all or part of the donor's body for transplantation, therapy, research or education. The bill would prohibit discrimination against these rights of decisions. The Kansas Department of Health and Environment would be required to adopt rules and regulations on or before July 1, 2020, to determine the process for such anatomical gifts. Upon adoption of the rules and regulations, the Kansas Division of Vehicles would provide notification to any individual regarding organ donations.

The Kansas Department of Revenue indicates the bill would have no fiscal effect. The Kansas Department of Health and Environment indicates that the agency would need to contract with a lawyer to compose the rules and regulations at a cost of \$84,000 from the State General Fund for FY 2020. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 194 is not reflected in *The FY 2020 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Janie Harris, Judiciary  
Dan Thimmesch, Health & Environment  
Lynn Robinson, Department of Revenue