

January 25, 2021

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

Dear Representative Patton:

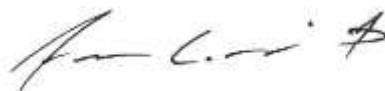
**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for HB 2109 by House Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2109 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, the Board of Indigents' Defense Services Board comprises five members who are lawyers registered with the Kansas Supreme Court and four members who are not lawyers. HB 2109 would change the membership of the Board to six members and three members, respectively. Current law also requires that at least one board member be from each county having a population greater than 100,000. The bill would increase the county population requirement to 115,000.

HB 2109 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



Adam Proffitt  
Director of the Budget

cc: Heather Cessna, Indigents Defense Services