

February 28, 2022

The Honorable Kellie Warren, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Judiciary
Statehouse, Room 346-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Warren:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 535 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 535 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

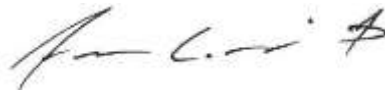
SB 535 would require a hiring agency that interviews an applicant for a law enforcement officer position to conduct a review of the applicant's employment history. The bill would require the hiring agency to determine whether an applicant has been employed in law enforcement in any state, territory or by the federal government and whether the applicant's name is listed in the National Decertification Index of the International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards and Training. The Kansas Commission on Peace Officers' Standards and Training would be required to assist the hiring agency on any determinations. In addition, the hiring agency would be required to review applicants' records contained in the Commission's central registry.

Estimated State Fiscal Effect				
	FY 2022 SGF	FY 2022 All Funds	FY 2023 SGF	FY 2023 All Funds
Revenue	--	--	--	--
Expenditure	--	--	--	\$40,000
FTE Pos.	--	--	--	0.50

The Commission on Peace Officers' Standards and Training reports that the enactment of the bill would increase expenditures by \$40,000 from its fee funds in FY 2023 for salaries and wages to convert a part time position to full time to handle additional records requests. The Commission estimates the workload of the central registry staff would increase by approximately

35.0 percent due to hiring agencies being required to request officer records for each applicant. The Commission indicates the additional 0.50 FTE would allow it to respond to all hiring agency requests within five business days. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 535 is not reflected in *The FY 2023 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adam Proffitt", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Adam Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Doug Schroeder, Peace Officers