

February 8, 2023

The Honorable Ronald Ellis, Chairperson
House Committee on Veterans and Military
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 281-N
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Ellis:

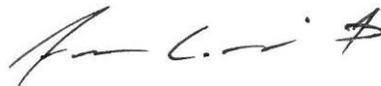
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2230 by House Committee on Veterans and Military

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2230 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2230 would allow the Adjutant General, with the Governor's approval, to appoint a state military forces officer as State Judge Advocate, with the rank of Colonel. The Adjutant General could appoint as many assistants to the State Judge Advocate as deemed necessary. The Adjutant General, with the approval of the Governor, could promote a state Judge Advocate to the rank of Brigadier General if the Judge Advocate has served 30 or more years of combined services in the Kansas National Guard and the United States military forces and has held the rank of Colonel for at least 10 years. The bill would also make technical corrections and would delete or update outdated language.

The Adjutant General's Department states that the bill would not have a fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



Adam Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Michael Neth, Office of the Adjutant General