February 21, 2019

The Honorable Sean Tarwater, Chairperson
House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
Statehouse, Room 151-S
Topeka, Kansas  66612

Dear Representative Tarwater:

SUBJECT:    Fiscal Note for HB 2355 by House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2355 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2355 would amend the definition for federal law enforcement officer to include any person employed by the United States government who is empowered to effect an arrest with or without a warrant for violation of the United States code and who is authorized to carry a firearm in the performance of the person’s official duties as a federal law enforcement officer.  Current law limits the definition to those assigned to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

The Kansas Bureau of Investigation and Kansas Highway Patrol indicate this bill would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

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Director of the Budget

cc:  Paul Weisgerber, KBI
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