March 22, 2019

The Honorable Susan Concannon, Chairperson
House Committee on Children and Seniors
Statehouse, Room 149-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Concannon:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2404 by House Committee on Taxation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2404 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2404 would establish the Kansas Senior Services Taskforce. The bill would identify the members and duties of the Taskforce. The Department for Aging and Disability Services would be required to provide data and information relating to senior services upon the Taskforce’s request. The Taskforce would be required to submit a finalized report to the Legislature on or before January 11, 2021, that would include recommendations regarding improvements to increase the well-being of seniors in the state, including any recommendations to change state statutes, rules and regulations, policies and programs.

The Department for Aging and Disability Services indicates enactment of HB 2404 would have a fiscal effect on the Department but could be absorbed within existing resources. The bill would also have a fiscal effect on the Legislature from the provision allowing legislative members to receive reimbursements for travel and subsistence. However, the fiscal effect on the Legislature cannot be estimated because the number of Taskforce meetings is unknown. Any fiscal effect associated with HB 2404 is not reflected in The FY 2020 Governor’s Budget Report.

Sincerely,

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Director of the Budget

cc: Cody Gwaltney, Aging & Disability Services