January 24, 2019

The Honorable Molly Baumgardner, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Education
Statehouse, Room 445-S
Topeka, Kansas  66612

Dear Senator Baumgardner:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 16 by Senate Committee on Education

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 16 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 16 would provide that on and after July 1, 2019, best practices for at-risk programs identified by the State Board of Education would include programs and services provided by state-based national nonprofit organizations that: (1) focus on students who are identified as “at-risk” or who face other identifiable barriers to success; (2) provide peer-reviewed, evidence-based instruction and support services to students inside and outside the school setting; and (3) show proven and consistent effectiveness through outcomes data, including school attendance, academic progress, graduation rates, pursuit of postsecondary education or career advancement. The bill would also include Jobs for America’s Graduates as a program eligible for appropriations by the Legislature to assist with student achievement.

According to the Department of Education, enactment of SB 16 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Larry L. Campbell
Director of the Budget

cc: Dale Dennis, Education