February 6, 2020

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

Dear Senator Baumgardner:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 353 by Senate Committee on Education

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 353 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 353 would clarify that information obtained from an assessment of the educational needs of each attendance center of a school district, when preparing the school district’s budget, is used to ensure improvement in student academic performance. In addition, the bill would require the budget of a school district to allocate sufficient funds in a matter reasonably calculated so that all students can achieve certain standards for student academic performance, also known as the “Rose Capacities.”

According to the Department of Education, the enactment of SB 353 would have no fiscal effect on state aid to school districts.

Sincerely,

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Director of the Budget

cc: Dale Dennis, Education