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Laura Kelly, Governor

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The Honorable Michael Fagg, Chairperson Senate Committee on Utilities 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 548-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Fagg:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 422 by Senate Committee on Utilities

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 422 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 422 would change current law regarding electric public utilities. The bill would increase the capacity limitation for the total amount of generation facilitates subject to net metering, require generation facilities to be appropriately sized, and establish requirements for exporting power to a utility. The bill would generally apply to interconnection agreements between Kansas customer generators and utilities. The bill would establish certain parameters on the availability of these agreements relative to total utility rate generation, capacity size of qualifying customer generation facilities, and the availability of time-varying rates for customer generators.

The Kansas Corporation Commission indicates that the enactment of the bill would not have a fiscal effect. The Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board (CURB) indicates that the enactment of the bill, with respect to utility rates in general, could open a general docket with the Kansas Corporation Commission, but the proceedings are not likely to have a fiscal effect on the agency's revenues or expenditures.

The Kansas Association of Counties indicates that the fiscal effect for counties associated with the enactment of the bill cannot be estimated. The League of Kansas Municipalities indicates that the enactment of the bill would not have a fiscal effect on cities.

Sincerely,

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cc: Jay Hall, Kansas Association of Counties Wendi Stark, League of Kansas Municipalities Peter Barstad, Kansas Corporation Commission Shonda Rabb, Citizens Utility Ratepayer Board