February 11, 2013

The Honorable Sharon Schwartz, Chairperson
House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
Statehouse, Room 149-S
Topeka, Kansas  66612

Dear Representative Schwartz:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2202 by House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2202 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2202 would allow for the temporary suspension of motor carrier registration and fuel tax permits enforced by the Department of Revenue when a motor carrier transports hay or other animal forage feedstuffs to an area that the Governor has declared to be in a state of drought. The temporary suspension in the bill would also apply to motor carrier licensing, certification, and permitting rules and regulations required by the Kansas Corporation Commission.

The Department of Revenue indicates that the revenue loss to the State Highway Fund attributable to the passage of HB 2202 would be negligible. The bill would have no fiscal effect for the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Sincerely,

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cc: Tom Day, KCC
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