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Laura Kelly, Governor

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The Honorable Ronald Ellis, Chairperson House Committee on Veterans and Military 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 281-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Ellis:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2761 by House Committee on Veterans and Military

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2761 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2761 would prohibit the receipt of compensation for preparing, presenting, prosecuting, advising, consulting, or assisting any individual with regard to any veterans benefits matter and would list requirements if an individual was to provide any of those services. The bill would define "veterans benefits matter" and specify that violation of the bill's provisions would be a violation of the Consumer Protection Act. The bill would be effective upon publication in the *Kansas Register*.

According to the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs Office, enactment of HB 2761 would not have a fiscal effect on agency operations.

Sincerely,

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cc: Crystal Hewitt, Commission on Veterans Affairs Office