

February 14, 2019

The Honorable Sean Tarwater, Chairperson
House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
Statehouse, Room 151-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Tarwater:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2167 by House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2167 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2167 would authorize the Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism to establish a system for the transfer of regular landowner or tenant "hunt-on-your-own-land" big game permits from the original recipient to a nonresident. The bill would also allow the agency to charge a transfer fee for transfers designated for antlerless white-tailed deer not to exceed half of the cost of a nonresident hunting permit for antlered and antlerless white-tailed deer and not to exceed the cost of the original permit for the regular landowner or tenant hunt-on-your-own-land big game permit.

According to the Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism, enactment of the bill could result in the sale of more permits that could be transferred and would generate revenue from transfer fees. However, the fiscal effect cannot be estimated because the number of additional permits that would be sold or transferred is unknown. Any fiscal effect associated with HB 2167 is not reflected in *The FY 2020 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Chris Tymeson, Wildlife, Parks & Tourism