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The Honorable Scott Schwab, Chairperson House Committee on Elections Statehouse, Room 561-W Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Schwab:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2224 by House Committee on Elections

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2224 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2224 would require all candidates for state or national office to provide proof of United States citizenship to the Office of the Secretary of State when filing for office. For candidates for President and Vice President, the national party committee would be required to certify to the Secretary of State the names of its nominees and submit proof of United States citizenship for each candidate.

The Secretary of State indicates that HB 2224 would have no fiscal effect on state revenues or expenditures.

Sincerely,

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