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The Honorable Roger Reitz, Chairperson Senate Committee on Local Government Statehouse, Room 223-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Reitz:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 244 by Senate Committee on Ways and Means

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 244 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 244 would amend current law to allow municipalities to purchase, lease, or enter into a lease-purchase agreement for the building of a renewable energy generation facility.

The League of Kansas Municipalities states that SB 244 would have a fiscal effect for municipalities that pursue renewable energy generation. Without knowing the number of cities that would do so, or the timeframe that would be involved, an estimate of the expenditures cannot be made.

Sincerely,

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