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Sam Brownback, Governor

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The Honorable David Crum, Chairperson House Committee on Health and Human Services Statehouse, Room 512-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Crum:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2155 by House Committee on Health and Human Services

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2155 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2155 would create an apprentice license and a temporary permit for the body art profession regulated by the Board of Cosmetology. The bill would also change the expiration date for body art practitioner licenses from one year after issuance to two years after issuance.

The Board of Cosmetology indicates that passage of HB 2155 would cause fee revenue to decrease because of the change in the expiration period of body art practitioner licenses. According to the Board, there are currently 165 licensed body art practitioners and each currently pays \$100 per year to renew their licenses for a total of \$16,500 per year, which would be reduced to \$8,250 per year if HB 2155 is enacted. The Board further indicates that there would be a small increase in revenue received because of the creation of the apprentice license and temporary permit for the body art profession, but that the increase would be negligible. Any fiscal effect associated with HB 2155 is not reflected in *The FY 2014 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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cc: Debbie Uhl, Cosmetology