

January 18, 2013

The Honorable Dennis Pyle, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government
Statehouse, Room 234-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Pyle:

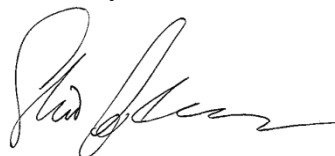
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 13 by Senator Hensley, et al.

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 13 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, the county election commissioner is appointed by the Secretary of State in counties with populations greater than 130,000. SB 13 would place this authority with the boards of county commissioners. Currently, four counties fall within this category: Sedgwick, Johnson, Shawnee, and Wyandotte.

The Office of the Secretary of State indicates that SB 13 would have a negligible fiscal effect on state or county revenues or expenditures.

Sincerely,



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cc: Rachel Sciolaro, Secretary of State's Office
Carol Williams, Governmental Ethics