

February 6, 2014

The Honorable Rob Olson, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance
Statehouse, Room 236-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Olson:

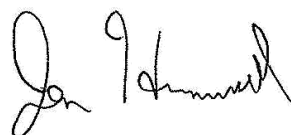
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 285 by Senate Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 285 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 285 would prohibit insurers from limiting or setting fees for vision care services that are not covered under the plan contract. The bill would also prohibit vision care providers from charging more than their usual and customary rate for vision care services that are not covered under the plan contract.

The Kansas Department of Health and Environment states that SB 285 would not have a fiscal effect on the State Employee Health Plan. The Kansas Insurance Department states that SB 285 would not have a fiscal effect on the agency.

Sincerely,



Jon Hummell,
Interim Director of the Budget

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Aaron Dunkel, Health & Environment