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The Honorable John Barker, Chairperson House Committee on Judiciary Statehouse, Room 149-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Barker:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2111 by House Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2111 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2111 would add to the list of items which may be taxed as costs under the Kansas Code of Civil Procedure to include convenience fees and other administrative fees applied to assessments, fees, costs, fines, or forfeitures paid by credit card.

The Office of Judicial Administration indicates that HB 2111 would have no fiscal effect on the Judicial Branch. Costs would be specified by the party seeking to assess them and paid to that party by the person or entity against whom they are assessed.

Sincerely,

Shawn Sullivan,

Director of the Budget

cc: Mary Rinehart, Judiciary