

February 16, 2016

The Honorable Mario Goico, Chairperson  
House Committee on Veterans, Military and Homeland Security  
Statehouse, Room 276-W  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Goico:

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for HB 2692 by House Committee on Veterans, Military and Homeland Security

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2692 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2692 would require oral and in writing notices be provided to veterans before any veterans' benefit transaction is completed. The notice would explain that the veteran is not required to apply for any benefit or entitlement through any particular agent or company. The notice would also explain that the veteran may request assistance in applying for benefits from a veterans' service officer accredited by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Office or the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs Office. Finally, the notice would inform veterans that entering into transactions does not guarantee any benefits and may delay or make them ineligible for other veterans' or federal benefits.

The Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs Office indicates HB 2692 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



Shawn Sullivan,  
Director of the Budget

cc: Pam Rodreguez, Veterans Affairs