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The Honorable Blaine Finch, Chairperson House Committee on Judiciary Statehouse, Room 519-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Finch:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2126 by House Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2126 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2126 would amend the Kansas Uniform Trust Code to specify that a provision in a trust instrument requiring mediation or arbitration of trust-related disputes is generally enforceable. One exception would be any dispute regarding the validity of a trust, which would be enforceable only if all interested persons consent to mediation or arbitration.

The Office of Judicial Administration indicates HB 2126 would have no fiscal effect on revenues or expenditures of the Judicial Branch.

Sincerely,

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cc: Ashley Michaelis, Judiciary