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The Honorable Kyle Hoffman, Chairperson House Committee on Agriculture Statehouse, Room 481-W Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Hoffman:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2619 by House Committee on Agriculture

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2619 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2619 would amend the Kansas Pesticide Law to allow any documentation required by the law to be created and maintained in paper or electronic form, or in a combination of the two. The bill specifies that any document created or maintained in electronic form must be capable of being reproduced in a readable paper format and that documents requested by the Secretary of Agriculture or the Secretary's designee must be provided in the format selected by the person making the request. Statements of services or contracts presented to customers by pesticide business licensees must be in paper format unless the customer agrees to receive all or part of the document in electronic format. The bill specifies the time frame within which statements or contracts must be presented to the customer or provided to the Secretary. The documents may be signed using the legible printed name of the person who performed or supervised the performance of the service.

According to the Kansas Department of Agriculture, enactment of HB 2619 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

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cc: Justin Law, Agriculture